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I grew up on a farm near Barrhead, Alberta and graduated from NAIT as a Mechanical Engineering Technologist and ASET Scholarship winner. As a member of ASET, my career has been diverse; I have worked in central, eastern and northern Alberta in upstream oil and gas, manufacturing, plant maintenance, and environmental management. In 2005, I attended Lakehead University in Thunder Bay, Ontario where I completed my engineering degree. As winner of the 2007 TD Meloche Monnex Scholarship, I enjoy giving back to the organization that has been so supportive of me. Currently, I am a Pipeline Integrity Project Manager at Enbridge Pipelines in Edmonton, working with a team of technologists and engineers.

My voluntary contributions include being Secretary of the ASET Edmonton Chapter since 2007; member of the ASET Awards Committee since 2006; member of APEGGA's Edmonton Branch in 2008-09; and, keynote speaker for the GoEngGirl event at Lakehead University in 2007.

Being a member of both ASET and APEGGA gives me a valuable bilateral perspective, as ASET takes its first steps into the world of self-regulation.