



CIGRE Canada

2021 PARIS SESSION

NEXT GENERATION NETWORK (NGN) MEMBER SPONSORSHIP

Applicant Name: _____

Applicant Email : _____

Applicant Company or Organization : _____

CIGRE Member ID or Collective Member ID : _____

Brief Bio

[Please write a brief bio about yourself:]

Sample: I am Mary Brown and I am pleased to apply for the CIGRE Canada NGN sponsorship to the CIGRE Paris 2021 Session. I am a senior plant engineer at ABC Hydro Plant in ABC City and have been in this position for 6 years where I monitor and maintain the efficiency of plant processes. From my involvement with the ABC NGN chapter and from NGN mentorship, I have pioneered the implementation of [insert notable contribution] at my hydro plant increasing the [insert project outcome].

Objectives for wanting to attend the CIGRE 2021 Paris Session:

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- Objectives for wanting to attend the CIGRE 2021 Paris Session:
 - Benefits they believe will flow to themselves and to their employer from their attendance; and
 - Benefits they believe will flow through to the electrical power industry in Canada and CIGRE Canada from their attendance.

Sample: The CIGRE 2021 Session will undoubtedly offer numerous networking opportunities and exposure to emerging technologies in power systems. I have always benefited from attending the CIGRE NGN local events to the extent of implementing process upgrades at my plant as mentioned above. Attending the Paris session will [insert benefits to be gained] at work and with my local NGN chapter. Considering this, I would appreciate being considered for the NGN Sponsorship award.

Applicants should also demonstrate any direct involvement in the technical work of:

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- Applicants should also demonstrate any direct involvement in the technical work of:
 - CIGRE and/or CIGRE Canada, such as seminars, workshops, conferences, Panels or Working Groups;
 - Other technical organizations or industry bodies and committees; and
 - Winner or finalist of a competition based on technical projects, or papers in the electrical power engineering field.
- Applicants should also provide evidence of contributions made as an author or co-author to CIGRE papers and events, or those of other technical associations, and presentations made at events or conferences.
- Applicants should nominate their specific areas of interest at the CIGRE 2020 Session.

Sample: I have been an active NGN member for the last 4 years, participating in seminars, workshops and the latest conference at [insert any conference participation]. I also organized lunch and learn sessions for young NGN members at the University of ABC inviting experienced engineers to speak on the successes and status of the HVDC power industry. This was rewarding for myself and students alike.

Additionally, I have co-authored the CIGRE paper, ["Insert paper name", 2017] which examines [provide a summary of the paper] and concludes that the power industry would benefit greatly from [provide conclusion].

I have been involved in Working Group XX.xx where I contributed by [summarize your contributions to the Working Group].

Other Contributions:

[In this Section please address the following:]

- Any other contributions you feel are important to include in this application

Questionnaire:

Please answer the following questions:

1. Are you under the age of 35 as of August 20th 2021? [Yes or No]
2. How many years of experience in the Power System field do you have?
3. Have you attended a CIGRE Paris Session before? [Yes or No]
4. Are you also applying to the 2021 Young Members Presentation Showcase Competition? [Yes or No]
5. Will you be available to be in Paris from August 20th to 25th 2021? [Yes or No]



Applicants with Collective Memberships or Universities :

[If this applies to you, please attach a copy of this letter to application]

- Applicants from companies or organizations holding Collective membership of CIGRE Canada must have the support of their company or organization to attend the CIGRE 2021 Session in Paris. A letter of support from the applicant's manager on company letterhead is required. Similarly, applicants from Universities are expected supply a letter of support from the applicant's Faculty Dean on University letterhead.