



Happy Holidays from the BC TRCR!

Thank you to our sponsors, exhibitors, presenters, and supporters for helping make this past year another successful and memorable one. To everyone who joined us in beautiful Penticton, we truly value the time spent fostering knowledge sharing and collaboration among industry leaders, environmental scientists, Indigenous communities, and policymakers—all working together to balance development with environmental stewardship.

As we look ahead to the New Year, we are excited to welcome you to Fort St. John for the **49th Mine Reclamation Symposium** in September. Please watch for our **Call for Papers**, which will be released early in the new year, with abstracts due in early to mid-April and full papers due in June. Please also watch for the call for Community and Indigenous presentations. We are grateful to our authors and presenters and look forward to another strong program in 2026, including workshops and a tour of Conuma Resources' Northeast BC metallurgical coal mines.

The **Call for Nominations** for the TRCR Reclamation Awards will also be issued in the new year. This is a wonderful opportunity to recognize a BC mine reclamation project deserving of distinction. The nomination period will close on **July 15, 2026**—more details on the nomination process will be shared soon.

Students are encouraged to participate in the **2026 BC Mine Reclamation Symposium** through volunteer opportunities, reduced-rate student registration, and a dedicated student poster session. Applications and poster abstracts are due **June 5, 2026**. An open poster session will also welcome submissions from practitioners, industry, government, NGOs, and community groups, with abstracts due June 5, 2026. Full details will be available on the TRCR website.

The symposium would not be possible without the support of our generous sponsors. Please stay tuned this spring for information on **2026 sponsorship and exhibitor opportunities**—we look forward to working with you. Once again, thank you, and we wish you and your loved ones a very happy holiday season.