

## THE NORTHERN LEDGER

Spring 2022

### Chartered Professional Accountants NWT/NU Board of Directors Corner

Welcome to Denise Grey, our new Executive Director and a big thank you to Marlene Sutton for her many years of service to the profession. As we continue our journey people come and go but we always have the public's interest as the focus of our endeavours. Our current CPA NWT/NU Board members are:

Chair – Shawn Lester

Vice-Chair – Anna-May St. Amand

Treasurer – Drew Queen

Secretary – Peter Tumilty

Director – Biswanath Chakrabarty

Director – Gillian Lee

Director – Geoffrey Wiest

Director – Sandra Omik

We will continue to work for your benefit through professional development opportunities, celebration of significant events such as passing the CFE or receiving an award etc. and participating in the Western Regional Forum and CPA Canada Council of Chairs amongst other support and promotion items.

Our strategic planning process is slowly starting. We are trying to tie it into the updated Canada governance model, Competencies 2.0, and Education Certification 2.0, which are currently being worked on by the CPA Canada Council of Chairs. More information will be provided in the future as we progress.

Our website has been updated. Please take a look. The website is what the public sees and is our main communication method. We are planning on keeping it up to date.

Thank you for your support over the last two years and hopefully we see each other in person in September at our AGM!

Shawn Lester, Chair

The Northern Ledger has been away for a full year...yet another side-effect of Covid!

Many things happened during that time, so let us give a snippet of some of the events.

Marlene Sutton retired from the office as Executive Director and was replaced with Denise Grey. What big shoes Denise will have to fill! Congrats Marlene on your well-deserved retirement. We hope you are getting to do all what you don't need a time limit to do!



We welcomed a few new members/students who passed the CFE during 2021. There were 2 sittings:

Alexandra Cracknell

Julia Stoyles

Matthew Mtatiro

Zachary Silva

Swagato Mitra

Brianne Wilson

See also the list of members who were recognized and received awards during 2021:

Zakar Hovhannisyan

Fellowship Membership

Gillian Lee

Fellowship Membership

Mark Matheson

Early Achievement Award

Fred Deschenes

Distinguished Service Award

Drew Queen

Distinguished Service Award

Dr. Pawan Chugh

Lee-Anne Tomkins Community Service Bursary

Zachary Silva

Avery Cooper & Co Ltd Legacy Public Practice Scholarship

Zachary Silva

John Laratta Excellence in Prof Ed Prog Bursary





### September 17, 2022

The Night to Celebrate is now scheduled for September 17, 2022 at the Explorer Hotel.

Come out and celebrate our successes with fellow members and find encouragement for any set-backs that may have happened.

Let us hope that Covid will no longer be a threat to this event.

### September 16, 2022

AGM – come out in your numbers to hear the business of CPA NWT/NU.

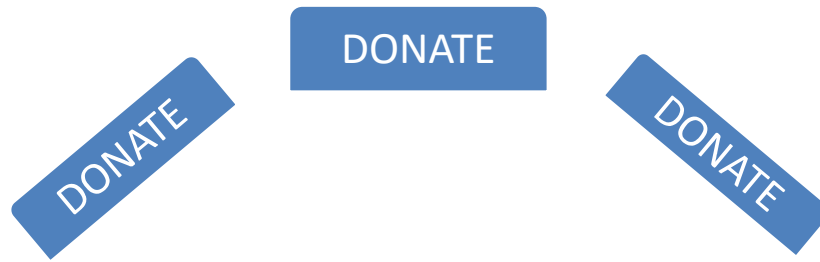
### September 12-16, 2022

CPD Days – Support the efforts of the Education and CPD Committee and get your hours for 2022 in early.

Remember – Your **CPD Year** is January 1 to December 31.

Please enter your hours before March 1 of the following year for easy reference.

Keep your eye on emails from the Education Committee as they will be conducting the CPD Audit in the next few days.



You have a lot to give. Give a little money back to CPA NWT/NU. Get a tax receipt. Everyone wins. See the link for details on donating to a scholarship or in memoriam. <https://www.cpaalberta.ca/Foundation/Donate-Today>

These are NWT/NU scholarships. Alberta is letting us use their Foundation.

## Membership of NWT/NU

Please remember that if a CPA from another province comes into the Northwest Territories or Nunavut, they must be registered with our body. Our Legislation states:

15(3)(a)(i) explicitly states:

“No person other than a member shall (a) use or display

- (i) the designation "chartered professional accountant" or the initials "CPA", or if applicable, the designation "Fellow Chartered Professional Accountant" or the initials "FCPA", or (ii) any of the following designations, initials, names, or titles: "accredited public accountant", "certified accountant", "certified public accountant", "general accountant", "professional accountant", "registered industrial accountant" or the initials "AAPA", "ACA", "APA", "FAPA" or "RIA";”

If you are aware, or even suspect, that a person is not a member, please let Denise know. She will follow up and admit them into membership if necessary.