

## **Vote for Haris Ahmadzai – A Fresh Voice for the Western Region**

For more than a decade, I have had the privilege of leading professional teams and volunteer groups across a wide range of initiatives. These experiences have shown me that effective leadership is built on three core principles: engaging people meaningfully, providing the training and support they need to succeed, and motivating them with purpose. Motivation is often the most challenging, particularly in volunteer environments such as Professional Engineers Ontario. Main reason because individuals contribute their time only when they feel valued and see real impact. This is why leaders must cultivate environments that are inclusive, energizing, and grounded in a clear, shared mission. When leaders build strong relationships, offer support, and inspire collective commitment, organizations flourish, and communities grow stronger.

PEO is at a pivotal stage in its evolution, and strong leadership is more important than ever. My vision for the Western Region focuses on:

- Strengthening member engagement and amplifying engineers' voices, including revitalizing a comprehensive EIT program.
- Building stronger collaboration between chapters.
- Championing professional development and maintaining public trust.
- Supporting PEO's evolution as a modern, accountable, and ethical regulator.

Please look for your voting package from [vote@simplyvoting.com](mailto:vote@simplyvoting.com) and take part in this important process. Voting closes on February 23, 2026.

If you would like to connect, I welcome your questions:

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Thank you for your support. I look forward to serving the Western Region as your Councillor.