

October 31, 2018

APGO Board of Council Appoints New Executive Director and Chief Executive Officer

On behalf of the APGO Board of Council and Executive Committee, I am pleased to announce the appointment of Dr. Tony Andrews as our Executive Director and Chief Executive Officer, effective October 31st. Dr. Andrews reports to the Board of Council, and will be responsible for managing all aspects of the APGO operations to the Council's Ends as well as driving forward the achievement of the Strategic Plan.

Tony has a lifetime of experience with the geoscience industry, as well as proven skills in leadership, positive motivation and strategy, as demonstrated in his early career as a Senior Project Geologist with the Mineral Deposits Section of the OGS, and as an Executive Director for the PDAC (1987 to 2011). Most recently, Tony joins the APGO after seven years as the Principal and Co-Founder of the Center for Responsible Mineral Development.

As our Strategic Plan renewal approaches in the coming year, the APGO Board of Council is looking forward to working closely with Tony to further our shared endeavours and enter this new and exciting chapter of the APGO.

Yours in geoscience,



Zen Keizars, P.Geo.



Dr. Tony Andrews, APGO's newly appointed Executive Director and CEO

About the APGO

Reporting to the Minister of Energy, Northern Development and Mines, the primary mandate of the APGO is to protect the public and to regulate the profession of geoscience, per the Professional Geoscientists Act (2000) and O.Reg's 324/16, 60/01, 258/02. The legislation protects the public and investors by establishing a regulated association of geoscientists; maintaining high academic, experience, continued development, and practise standards.

With over 3,000 members, APGO is the second largest geoscience regulator in Canada.