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Geoscientists Canada Celebrates 25 Years of Service to the Regulated Practice of Geoscience in Canada

Vancouver – Geoscientists Canada celebrates its 25th anniversary year in 2021. Through the determination of a small group of visionary volunteers, Geoscientists Canada, formerly known as Canadian Council of Professional Geoscientists, was established in 1996 to champion effective regulation, in the public interest, of the geoscience profession in Canada.

Geoscientists Canada proudly serves and works closely with its members, the provincial and territorial regulators of the practice of geoscience. Dedicated volunteer Board and committee members, supported by the regulators, have successfully accomplished a wide variety of initiatives over the past 25 years in support of the development of high national standards of admission, competency, practice, and mobility to ensure that Canada is served by a skilled, versatile, reputable, and accountable geoscience profession.

"I am honored to follow in the footsteps of all of the well-respected Past-Presidents of Geoscientists Canada and I am fortunate to serve during the 25th Anniversary. I am constantly reminded of the key role that Geoscientists Canada plays in representing our 9 constituent associations across the country and the Board looks forward to working on upcoming projects and issues. Stay safe everyone" said current President Michael Parkhill, P.Geo., FGC.

As part of the 25th anniversary celebrations, watch for Geoscientists Canada's social media posts to learn more about the organization, available resources, and Canada's accomplished professional geoscientists. For more information about Geoscientists Canada and professional geoscience in Canada, please visit www.geoscientistscanada.ca and its sister-site www.geoscienceincanada.ca.

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