CMMF ANNUAL REPORT 2009

MINING IN SOCIETY

he Mining in Society (MIS) show is an interactive, hands-on learning experience designed to demonstrate the relevance and realities of today's sophisticated, technologically advanced and environmentally responsible minerals industry.

The program saw significant developments during 2009. In May, in conjunction with the annual CIM Conference and Exhibition in Toronto, the MIS show welcomed more than 6,300 children and 1,200 other visitors over the course of the three-day event. CIM provides the space, furniture, audio-visual equipment and power free of charge, but we ask the participants to bring interactive exhibits and giveaways for the kids. Pop-up booths are not permitted at MIS as the pavilion setup allows for a more open, interactive experience.

Participants took part in a variety of hands-on activities — both educational and fun — in the show's seven pavilions.

EXPLORATION: ATLAS COPCO, DYNAMIC EARTH, GOLDER ASSOCIATES, PDAC MINING MATTERS;
MINING: TOROMONT; PROCESSING: CMP TORONTO, COAL ASSOCIATION OF CANADA, LINCOLN STRATEGIC INITIATIVES,
SHERRITT INTERNATIONAL CORPORATION; SUSTAINABILITY: MINING ASSOCIATION OF CANADA (MAC), NATURAL
RESOURCES CANADA (NRCAN), XSTRATA; PRODUCTS AND FABRICATION: CIM, VICTAULIC; EDUCATION: FEDERATED
SCHOOL OF MINES, LAURENTIAN UNIVERSITY, MCGILL UNIVERSITY, MINING INDUSTRY HUMAN RESOURCES COUNCIL
[MIHR], MIRARCO, NORCAT - ELEARNING, NORTHWEST COMMUNITY COLLEGE - SCHOOL OF EXPLORATION AND MINING,
ONTARIO MINING ASSOCIATION (OMA), UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO; NEW FRONTIERS; NORCAT, PENGUIN ASI

MIS GOES ON THE ROAD

For the first time, in November 2009, a smaller scale show — "Mini MIS" — was held in conjunction with the CIM Newfoundland Branch and Newfoundland and Labrador's Department of Natural Resources at the Johnson GeoCentre in St. John's. Four pavilions showcasing Exploration, Mining/Processing, Sustainability and Products/Fabrication were featured.

In another spin-off event, MIS presented a mining pavilion in conjunction with the Salon Éducation Emploi de Québec in October 2009. With more than 18,000 visitors, it provided very good visibility for CIM and the minerals industry in general.

CIM NATIONAL SCHOLARSHIPS

TAKING FLIGHT SCHOLARSHIP

Launched in 2009, the Taking Flight Scholarship was established to encourage Aboriginal high school and post-secondary school students to pursue a career in mining. With startup funding from De Beers Canada and Diavik Diamond Mine (joint venture between Rio Tinto and Harry Winston) up to four \$1,000 scholarships will be awarded annually to qualifying students across Canada.

2009 Taking Flight scholarship recipients: Nick Callaghan and Shane Dubyk

CMMF SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED IN 2009:

CATERPILLAR AND ITS CANADIAN DEALERS SCHOLARSHIPS Maegan Ayotte (\$2,000)

SCOTIABANK AND SCOTIA CAPITAL MARKETS SCHOLARSHIP Melissa Anderson (\$2,000)

IRENE AND ARTHUR FOLEY SCHOLARSHIP Marc-Antoine Richer (\$3,000)

CAMECO MINING AND MINERAL PROCESS NORTH AMERICAN ENGINEERING UNDERGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP

In 2009, Cameco and CIM joined forces to introduce a scholarship to encourage the pursuit of select engineering disciplines in post-secondary institutions. Three US\$5,000 scholarships were awarded in 2009 to second-year mining and mineral process engineering students.

The 2009 recipients: Kyle Buckoll, Ian Morrison and Brad St. Pierre.