

Conexus Nuclear Joins the CNIC to Strengthen Collaboration in CANDU and Advanced Nuclear Technologies

Toronto, ON – May 16, 2025 – The Canadian Nuclear Isotope Council (CNIC) is proud to strengthen its growing membership by welcoming Conexus Nuclear Inc., a Canadian not-for-profit corporation funded by 11 members across six countries worldwide that aims to achieve excellence through collaboration with CANDU and advanced nuclear technologies.

With a 40+ year legacy as a reliable partner and thought leader for the CANDU industry, Conexus has brought together a global network of members, suppliers, and partners to drive progress through collaboration to shape the future of nuclear energy. Conexus brings the industry together to solve complex technical problems, identify opportunities, knowledge-share, and support robust regulatory acceptance.

In Canada, our Canadian-made CANDU reactors play a significant and unique role in the production of medical isotopes. Specifically retrofitted for isotope production, the CANDU reactors located at the Bruce Power and Ontario Power Generation sites have the capacity to produce a wide range of medical isotopes, without interrupting the generation of clean energy. Conexus' previous work in Canada has helped to demonstrate the feasibility of the reactors' life-extension projects, which also ensures reliable isotope production long into the future.

"Conexus' mission is *Excellence Through Collaboration*, and we are delighted to partner with the CNIC to bring the industry together to create opportunities to learn, collaborate, and accelerate innovation," said Rachna Clavero, President and CEO of Conexus. "Our 40-year history of fostering CANDU performance excellence and collaboration across the nuclear value chain positions us to support the collective achievement of global goals and help our members shape the future of nuclear technologies that will impact lives across the world for years to come."

"Conexus joining the CNIC will strengthen our collective ability to promote the strategic role of advanced nuclear technologies in the global fight against cancer" said James Scongack, Chair of the CNIC. "Conexus' international network and commitment to collaboration aligns with the CNIC's goal to expand international

partnerships and strengthen global supply chains. Together, we will work collaboratively to advocate for continued investment and research in Canadian isotopes and technology.”

About the Canadian Nuclear Isotope Council

The Canadian Nuclear Isotope Council (CNIC) is an independent, not-for-profit advocacy and member services organization. The CNIC supports over 100 members from across science, academia, healthcare, and nuclear-sector organizations dedicated to maintaining Canada’s position as a global leader in the production of life-saving isotopes. The CNIC raises awareness and advocates for long-term policies that support health-care innovation and will save countless lives for decades to come.

To learn more about the CNIC, visit www.CanadianIsotopes.ca and follow us on [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#), and [LinkedIn](#).

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About Conexus

We are Conexus Nuclear Inc. (Conexus), a Canadian not-for-profit corporation funded by our 11 members in six countries worldwide to achieve excellence through collaboration for CANDU and advanced nuclear technologies. We have a proud, 40+ year legacy as a reliable partner and thought leader for the CANDU industry.

Conexus’ vision is to be the world’s most successful and trusted nuclear collaboration hub – accelerating innovation, enabling growth and driving industry excellence.

To achieve this vision, Conexus brings the industry together to solve the most challenging technical problems, realize opportunities, share expertise and operating experience, and support robust regulatory acceptance. We do this

through collaboration, which enhances safety and reliability, strengthens human performance, reduces environmental impacts and minimizes risk and cost.

Conexus is based in Toronto, Canada. We are a lean, diverse team of industry and subject matter experts with an international network of nuclear researchers, decision makers, operators and utilities, suppliers, industry associations and partners.

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