



Rand Ayres

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Rand Ayres has been the Interim Dean of the MacPhail School of Energy at SAIT since April 2014, at which time his services were borrowed from the School of Information and Communications Technologies. He has been a Dean at SAIT since 2006.

Rand holds Bachelor's and Master's Degrees in Civil Engineering from the University of Waterloo and an M.B.A. from the University of Toronto. He is also well advanced in an ongoing doctoral program in Education, at the University of Calgary. He has been a Registered Professional Engineer for 37 years, and is currently registered in both Ontario and Alberta.

Rand has spent much of his career developing and implementing various operating and information technologies. He worked with Suncor, Calgary, for five years during which he gained a solid understanding of the Oil & Gas industry. He considers himself fortunate to have also worked for extended periods in the Telecommunications, Transportation, and Agriculture sectors, and of course, Education.