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NEW Dillon Consulting Limited supports women in engineering with new undergraduate scholarship

(Renfrew, Ontario): The Canadian Engineering Memorial Foundation (CEMF) is proud to announce that Dillon Consulting Limited has partnered with the Foundation to support and promote Canadian women in engineering.

A new annual \$5,000 scholarship will be provided by Dillon for a woman enrolled in an accredited engineering undergraduate program in any field of engineering study.

The scholarship also comes with a possible summer job opportunity at one of the many Dillon locations across Canada.

Along with the 10 other CEMF-managed scholarships, the Dillon Undergraduate Engineering Scholarship will be provided to a woman who is a leader in her community, a dedicated volunteer and a strong ambassador for the engineering profession. Academic achievement is not part of the criteria.

“We are thrilled to partner with Dillon and thank them for coming forward and supporting women in engineering in a definitive way,” says Huntley O’Connor, CEMF president. “Less than 10 per cent of professional engineers in Canada are women, yet having a work force with talented and innovative engineers is integral to our economic success. Dillon recognizes this and the important role women have to play in furthering the profession.”

CEMF has been providing scholarships, networking and promotional opportunities to women in engineering for 23 years, and was established in memory of the 14 women killed at École Polytechnique on December 6, 1989.

Dillon Consulting Limited is a Canadian consulting company specializing in planning, engineering, environmental sciences and management with over 750 employees worldwide.

“As an employer, these scholarships are essential for our organization to ensure we develop future talent in engineering,” says Nicole Caza, partner, Dillon Consulting Limited. “Our standard at Dillon has always been, and remains, to work as partners with our clients, employees and the community. Partnering with CEMF to support women in engineering through scholarship and career opportunities falls in line with our mission to be the company the best organizations want to work with, and also supports Dillon’s long-term commitment towards diversity and gender equity.”

The deadline to apply for the 2013 Dillon Undergraduate Scholarship is **FEBRUARY 22, 2013**. Applications must be postmarked by midnight of February 22 to be considered.

Criteria and guidelines in English and French can be found at www.cemf.ca. Apply today!

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