

## PAN Meeting with MPP Jagmeet Singh (Bramalea—Gore—Malton)

On December 2, 2016, PAN representative Augusta Erhero and Energy Task Force member Rhonda Wright Hilbig, P.Eng. met with MPP Jagmeet Singh (Bramalea—Gore—Malton). MPP Singh is the NDP's Critic for the Attorney General and Critic for Government and Consumer Services.

The meeting focused on engineers and climate change. Augusta noted that, when it comes to matters of complex science, it is important that engineers are consulted and involved in the policymaking process. Moreover, as a non-partisan organization, OSPE delivers recommendations that are focused on the public interest.



**From left to right:** Jag Sainu, EIT, Ravinder Panesar, P.Eng., MPP Jagmeet Singh, Rhonda Wright Hilbig, P.Eng., and Augusta Erhero.

MPP Singh has strong knowledge of both OSPE and PEO, as well as the differences between the organizational mandates given his current portfolios. He was also very receptive to the topic and glad to hear from OSPE on the role engineers can play, and are playing, in contributing to the province's climate change and energy policies.

Thank you to Augusta and Rhonda for their dedication to the engineering profession, and thank you Minister Coteau for meeting with OSPE!