# Ahmed Elmeligy, P.Eng.

Edmonton, AB

#### WORK EXPERIENCE

# Government of Alberta, Executive Council - Policy Coordination Office

Edmonton, AB

Manager, Business Planning and Reporting

Dec 2024 – Present

- **Highlight:** Oversee the development and implementation of data-driven systems to streamline mandate tracking, policy reporting, and decision-making support to the highest level of the provincial government.
- Facilitate cross-ministry collaboration by providing strategic guidance and training to enhance capacity for policy reporting and alignment with government priorities, ensuring transparent communication to senior decision-makers.

Policy Analyst

May 2024 – Dec 2024

- **Highlight:** Enhanced policy capacity across the government by coordinating an 8-member cross-departmental team to develop new onboarding materials for policy professionals and transform the biennial policy conference.
- Led data cleaning of 6,000+ government records to reduce mandate status tracking time from weeks to minutes. This enables rapid progress updates for the Premier and Ministers offices, enhancing government accountability.

# Imperial Oil/ExxonMobil, Kearl Oil Sands

Wood Buffalo, AB

Extraction & Tailings Facilities Engineer; Fly-in/Fly-out 2-weeks on/2-weeks off

Jan 2022 – Mar 2023

- **Highlight:** Led profitability initiatives to increase unit run length by 100% thereby reducing shutdown frequency and increasing unit utilization, via design changes and metallurgy upgrades.
- Led assessments of unit operation to determine root-cause issues and barriers to profitability, safety, and reliability. Coordinated teams of operators, technologists, and maintenance personnel to identify and address areas of inefficiency.

# Imperial Oil/ExxonMobil, Strathcona Refinery

Edmonton, AB

Distillation & Hydrotreating Process Engineer-in-Training

Aug 2020 – Jan 2022

- **Highlight:** Oversaw performance optimization efforts for process units generating a cumulative P&L of \$200M annually and achieved record asphalt production by resolving bottlenecks and longstanding reliability challenges. Provide 24/7 on call technical support, acting as a focal point and escalation contact for high priority technical issues.
- Tapped by management to lead a \$52M Crude Unit improvement project and was recognized for consistently challenging existing practices to uncover process improvements.

Process Development Engineer-in-Training

Jan 2019 – Jul 2020

- **Highlight:** Designed and oversaw the execution of a new injection facility in response to off-spec bunker fuel, bringing regulatory compliance standards in-line with expectations to prevent a potential \$9M in annual penalties.
- Led early-stage project planning and capital budgeting of crude and fluid catalytic cracking units margin projects to determine feasibility and profitability (NPV, DCF, IRR), ultimately delivering net benefits of \$21M per year.

#### Process Control Engineering Co-op

Jan 2016 – Dec 2016

- **Highlight:** Identified vessels susceptible to brittle fracture and developed the logic for smart alarm implementation onto the Distributed Control Systems (DCS), to prevent cold safety events.
- Analyzed historical process data of fired equipment and developed correlations for statistical dynamic fuel gas clamps to mitigate furnace flooding/bogging risks.

# **EDUCATION**

#### University of Calgary

**Calgary, AB** 2023 – 2024

Master of Public Policy, GPA 4.0/4.0

- Capstone Project: Optimizing Transmission Infrastructure for Renewable Energy Integration in Alberta.
- Researched Pan-Canadian climate policy, energy transition pathways, and carbon pricing mechanisms.

#### University of Ottawa

Ottawa, ON

BASc in Chemical Engineering w/Environmental Engineering Option, Summa Cum Laude, GPA 3.97/4.0

2013 - 2018

- Graduated with the highest academic standing in the Department of Chemical and Biological Engineering.
- Research assistantships at University of Ottawa (3 labs over 20 months) and Tianjin University (4 months) in China.

# LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

# Circular Economy Team Lead

Nov 2023 - May 2024

• Led award-winning research on integrating CO<sub>2</sub> sequestration with geothermal energy and critical element recovery in Alberta, funded by Natural Sciences and Engineering Research Council of Canada (NSERC).

#### Imperial Oil (Edmonton) United Way Campaign Chair

Jun 2021 – Nov 2021

Provided leadership and direction to 15 committee members raising a total of \$338K, surpassing campaign goals.

#### Imperial Oil (Edmonton) United Way Campaign Co-Chair and Events Lead

Jun 2020 – Dec 2020

• Spearheaded the ideation, planning and execution of 7 new virtual and physical events to raise a total of \$332K, surpassing campaign goals. Nominated for Outstanding Committee Member of the Year.

# CoV-Informed (Risk and Strategy Consulting) Co-Founder

May 2020 - Oct 2021

• Provided strategy consulting to small businesses by applying data analytics to provide insights. Selected as a top team amongst 1800+ competitors from 89 countries in MIT's Beat the Pandemic Hackathon.

#### Strathcona Working from Home Engagement Committee Lead

Mar 2020 - Oct 2020

Engaged 500+ employees through well-being initiatives, fostering connection and combating disengagement.

# Khair4All (Poverty Alleviation Charity) Co-Founder and Director

Aug 2011 – June 2017

• Administered a budget of \$150,000 and managed the daily activities of 50+ volunteers across fundraising and operations.

#### COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT & EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

•	Awards Committee Member, Graduate Student Association, University of Calgary	Jan 2024 – Mar 2024
•	Mealtime Companion, Bethany Riverview	Sept 2022 – Apr 2024
•	Food Distribution Volunteer, MFNS Food Bank	Mar 2022 – Apr 2024
•	Volunteer Producer, 2023 APEGA's Nexus Conference	June 2023
•	Virtual Math & English Tutor, YYCGenerosity	Apr 2021 – Nov 2021
•	Responder, Edmonton Regional Search and Rescue Association	Jan 2020 – Nov 2021
•	Treasurer, TM4PM Toastmasters Club	Oct 2019 – Sep 2020
•	Patient Visitor & Pandemic Support Volunteer, Covenant Health	Jul 2019 – Nov 2021
•	Meal Prep Volunteer, Hope Mission	Sept 2018 – Sept 2019
•	President, Society of Environmental Engineering, Development, Management and Science	Sep 2017 – May 2018
•	Student-Athlete, University of Ottawa Novice Rower	Sep 2017 – Mar 2018
•	Research and Development Specialist, Enactus Canada	Sep 2015 – May 2016
•	Elected Engineering Faculty Council Member, University of Ottawa	Sep 2015 – Apr 2016

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

- G. Fellows, A. Elmeligy, K. Koch, R. Mansell, D. Rama, I. Skendrovic "Energy Transitions Roundtable Proceedings", School of Public Policy Paper Series, August 2024.
- Elmeligy, P. Mehrani, and J. Thibault "Artificial Neural Networks as Metamodels for the Multi-Objective Optimization of Biobutanol Production", Applied Sciences (ISSN 2076-3417), June 2018.

#### **CERTIFICATIONS**

- Private Pilot License
- Restricted Operator Certificate Aeronautical
- Standard First Aid, CPR Level
  "C" and AED
- Wilderness Advanced First Aid
- Mental Health First Aid
- Avalanche Skills Training 1
- Industrial Firefighting Fundamentals
- Citizens' Police Academy (Edmonton Police Service)
- Indigenous Relations Training Program
- ASME B31.3 Code Design Requirements
- Slurry Multi-Species PipeFlow Model

#### RELEVANT AWARDS

- 2024 Premier's Public Service Award
- 2024 NSERC's REDEVELOP Conference 1st Place
- 2023 NSERC's CREATE Grant
- 2021 United Way Alberta Capital Region Employee Campaign Chair of The Year (Private Sector)
- 2019 & 2020 Imperial Oil Strathcona Excellence Award (People and Culture)
- 2018 Canada Hatch Plant Design Competition 2nd Place out of 22 universities across Canada
- 2018 Canadian Society of Chemical Industry Award (Engineering)

- 2018 Faculty Plaque in Chemical Engineering
- 2017 International Experience Scholarship
- 2016 University of Ottawa Merit Scholarship
- 2015 2017 Chemical Engineering Professors' Scholarship
- 2014 Undergraduate Research Opportunity Program
- 2013 2018 University of Ottawa's Renewable Admission Scholarship
- 2013 2018 Dean's Honour List
- 2013 Dean's Merit Scholarship

# **HOBBIES & INTERESTS**

Adventure Pursuits: Aviation, ultra marathons, mountaineering, cross-country skiing, biking, skydiving, scuba diving. Sports: Flag football (uOttawa intramurals), rowing, rugby, football, soccer, weightlifting. Creative Interests: Photography (landscape, architecture, portrait), blogging, vlogging, reading, chess.