Privacy Policy

This is the CANDU Owners Group ("COG") privacy policy applicable to any site containing the URLs cogonline.org, candu.org and any other web sites operated by COG (collectively referred to as the "COG Web sites"). Please read this Privacy Policy carefully as well as the Terms and Conditions applicable to use of the COG Web sites.

Overview

COG values individual privacy, and we want to give visitors to the COG Web sites the opportunity to know what information we collect about them, what we do with that information, and how they can limit the use of personally identifiable information beyond the purposes for which they first provided it. At all times, however, COG reserves the right to disclose information where required by law or to comply with valid legal process (such as a search warrant, subpoena, or court order), to protect COG's rights or property, including during emergencies when safety is at risk.

COG reserves the right to modify this Privacy Policy at its discretion with or without providing notice to users of the COG Web sites. Whenever we change this Privacy Policy, however, we will endeavor to give users of the COG Web sites reasonable notice by posting a notice on the home page of www.cogonline.org and www.candu.org.

Data We Collect and How We Use It

For cogonline.org we will collect and retain certain personal information necessary to maintain our membership records. The type of personal information we collect may include, but it is not limited to, your name, email address, the organization you work for, your job title and phone number. You cannot access COGonline without you creating an account and providing this information.

The COG Web sites may automatically collect certain information from users through the use of "cookies" (A "cookie" is a string of information that is sent by a web site and stored on a user's computer) and other tracking mechanisms. Information automatically collected may include, but is not limited to: your domain name and host for Internet access; the Internet address of the site from which you came; the date and time you visit the Web site and the pages you visit; your computer's IP address and information about its operating system, browser and host. COG may use information, such as your IP address, to analyze the traffic to the COG Web sites and to help us improve the sites. This information is used only by COG and our service providers, and is not provided to any other organizations.

You may block "cookies" by modifying the cookie option in your browser's settings, but doing so may inhibit certain features or services of the COG Web sites from being accessible or functioning properly.

This Privacy Policy applies to the information you provide to COG through the COG Web sites. This policy does not apply to information collected by third parties linked or otherwise connected in any way to COG Web sites, such as Configio. COG has no control over, and no responsibility or liability for, any third party's collection, use, disclosure, or retention of the personal information that is provided directly to them, and that collection, use, disclosure, and retention is not subject to this policy.

We encourage you to review the terms of use and privacy policies of these other web sites before providing any personal information. You can see Configio Privacy Policy at: https://configio.com/privacy-policy/.

If you are a resident of EU, under the European Union's General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) you have the right to:

- receive information related to personal data processing by COG
- withdraw, at any time, the consent for personal data processing; you have also the right to restrict the data processing
- rectification of inaccurate data related to you, or supplementation of incomplete personal data
- obtain from COG, without unjustified delays, the deletion of personal data related to you under the conditions specified by the GDPR
- object, due to reasons related to your particular circumstances, the processing performed by COG, based on the legal ground of your legitimate interest
- not be subjected to a decision exclusively based on automatic processing
- to submit a complaint at cog@candu.org

E-mail Policy

Your e-mail address will be used only by COG. We do not share, sell or rent e-mail addresses to anyone outside COG. We sometimes collect specific information on e-mail responses, such as how many recipients open an e-mail or choose to click through to links provided in the e-mail message. This information is used solely within COG to analyze areas of interest and to enhance our products, services, and the COG Web sites.

Sharing Personal Information

COG may share limited member data, including postal address, to third parties such as other member or supplier participant organizations. In addition, COG may share limited personal information such as names and e-mail addresses of registered COG event attendees with other participants to the event. COG also hires vendors to perform certain services for COG, such as printing or sending postal mail. We provide only the information these companies need to perform these services.

Security

COG uses up-to-date technology to keep any information you provide as secure as possible. COG employees are obligated to maintain the confidentiality of personally identifiable information and are subject to disciplinary action for any breach, up to and including termination. While COG has mechanisms in place to safeguard your personal information once it receives it, no transmission of data over the Internet or any other public network can be guaranteed to be 100%.

Children's Privacy

Our Services do not address anyone under the age of 13. We do not knowingly collect personal identifiable information from children under 13. In the case we discover that a child under 13 has provided us with personal information, we immediately delete this from our servers. If you are a parent or guardian and you are aware that your child has provided us with personal information, please contact us so that we will be able to take the necessary actions.

You must be 17 years or older to use COGonline (www.cogonline.org)

Contacting Us

If you have any questions about this Privacy Policy or other matters that relate to it, you may send us an e-mail at cog@candu.org, or call us at 416 595–1888.