



NEWSLETTER



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Happy March from the IIBA Winnipeg Chapter!

We're down in our first quarter and we're off to a great start. In December, we said farewell to several of our long-tenured board members, James Fatoki, Sam Baidur, and Kemi Charles, our VP at Larges, as well as our Secretary, Kaori Murakami. In January, we welcomed our new team - Colin Glass, Vincent Turski, Juliet Ojo, and Whitney White, who have quickly gotten up to speed and are busy bringing some fresh ideas to our board.

In February, we kicked off our regular programming with our Annual General Meeting (AGM). For the board, this is a chance to set our goals for the year at the portfolio and the strategic level, as well as highlight some of our biggest accomplishments. A few things you can look forward to this year:

- We've secured and are developing a close relationship with the PMI Manitoba chapter which will help us grow our sponsorship, membership, and events portfolios
- We're working to expand our membership base, bringing back our road-show events, and targeting post-secondary students
- We're bringing back in-person events, and exploring new ways to engage. Look out for new networking opportunities and interactive events
- We're bringing the community together, continuing with the expansion of our BA spotlight opportunities and resumption of our newsletter
- We're keeping you learning by re-launching our CBAP and CPOA study groups, as well as an in-person workshop later in the fall.

I want to thank our amazing community for working with us as we move back to our in-person programming, and we look forward to engaging with you over the upcoming months!

2023 BOARD MEMBERS

Board of Directors



Carla Janzen
President



Whitney White
Secretary



Wendy Payne
Treasurer



Utsav Panchal
Vice President of
Communications



Shakti Vyjayanthi
Vice President of
Marketing



Siddh Sheth
Vice President of
Memberships



Vincent Turski
Vice President of
Member Events



Anas Orwani
Vice President of
Professional Development



Sridhar Nair
Vice President of
Sponsorship



Kevin Haines
Vice President at
Large



Colin Glass
Vice President at
Large



Shubhra Upreti
Vice President at
Large



Juliet Ojo
Vice President at
Large



Mike Einarson

BA SPOTLIGHT



Dennis Batacan

We would like to recognize the excellent work being performed at Manitoba Liquor & Lotteries. Under the leadership of **Dennis Batacan**, they have developed a strong business analysis team. **Mike Einarson** works closely with Dennis and has increased the maturity of the BA Centre of Excellence. Implementing standard methodology and deliverables ensures a consistent approach and high quality. As the practice continues to mature, additional samples and guides are being developed. Estimation, planning, elicitation, analysis and documentation follow BABOK guidelines. Both Dennis and Mike are also instructors for our sponsor, the University of Manitoba Extended Education. They clearly demonstrate the leadership, knowledge and expertise to lead the business

analysis team. **Thank you to both of them in our Winnipeg IIBA Chapter BA Spotlight, March 2023.**

APRIL'S EVENT



19 APR



5 P.M.

SPRING NETWORKING EVENT

BAs & Brews



2nd Floor, King's Head,
120 King St, Winnipeg, MB
R3B 1H9

IIBA® Winnipeg
Chapter

UPCOMING EVENTS

MAY
03

Life in the Fast Lane -
Moving at the Speed
of Trust

MAY
11

BAs AND PMs
Networking event

JUNE
01

8th Annual IIBA
Winnipeg Job Fair &
Networking Event

REGISTER NOW

THANK YOU TO OUR SPONSORS



IIBA Winnipeg Chapter

P.O. Box 27040, RPO Winnipeg Square, Winnipeg, MB, R3C 4T3, Canada

You are receiving this email from IIBA® because you signed up to receive communications from IIBA Winnipeg Chapter. ©International Institute of Business Analysis 2017. This communication is the copyrighted property of the International Institute of Business Analysis. All rights reserved.

IIBA®, the IIBA® logo, BABOK® and Business Analysis Body of Knowledge® have registered trademarks owned by the International Institute of Business Analysis. CBAP® is a registered certification mark owned by the International Institute of Business Analysis. Certified Business Analysis Professional, EEP and the EEP logo, Certification of Competency in Business Analysis, CCBA®, and the CCBA® logo are trademarks owned by the International Institute of Business.

[Unsubscribe here](#)