



IODE Canada *Express News*

REMINDER! 2025 FALL CHATS are beginning soon!

Grab a cup of tea and join us for an hour to gain new perspectives.

Join us for an engaging and interactive one-hour Chat designed to inspire, inform, and connect! This is your opportunity to learn new ideas, share experiences, and gain practical insights you can apply right away. Our Chats provide valuable time to exchange ideas, ask questions, and collaborate with others who share your interests. You'll leave feeling energized, informed and proud of what we can accomplish together.

Every member is welcome, come share, learn and connect through these Chats.

The three Chats descriptions are listed below.

Join the ones that interest you most!

Public Relations - It's Not Bragging If It's True!

Facilitators: IODE Canada 1st VP & Public Relations/Communications Officer, Renate Schuetz and IODE Canada 2nd VP & Education Officer, Helen Danby.

IODE members make a difference every day — now let's make sure everyone knows it! This Public Relations Chat will help chapters strengthen their image, share successes effectively, and connect with new supporters. Learn how to share your chapter's stories, celebrate your community impact and attract new members with confidence. Discover easy ways to make your projects and achievements shine, because every IODE story deserves to be told!

New Members. New Momentum. Our Future.

Facilitators: IODE Ontario President, Michelle Batty and IODE Canada Membership Officer, Diane Ellison

Increasing membership is the cornerstone of our future, not just a simple matter of boosting our numbers. Every new member isn't just a number—they're an infusion of fresh ideas and crucial perspectives that supercharge our discussions. They don't just help us stay relevant; they equip us to overcome challenges and seize the future's biggest opportunities. Recruiting is the ultimate investment, guaranteeing the longevity and power of our impact for years to come. Join us to explore, share and continue building the future grounded in our wonderful foundation.

Try It! You'll Like It!

Facilitators: IODE Alberta President, Janis Ogilvie and IODE Canada President, Karen Dalton

Volunteers in all positions are the lifeblood of IODE. When these positions are shared, all members thrive. Do you wish to be a leader but aren't sure you can do it? Are you currently in a leadership role, and are interested in encouraging and supporting others to take on more responsibility in IODE? Join us with your ideas of how to spread the work, and the joy! Listen and learn from others. Share thoughts and let others learn from you! Sign up. Show up. Sit back. And join in an insightful conversation.

2025 FALL CHAT SCHEDULE

Public Relations It's Not Bragging If It's True!	Tuesday 18 November	10:00 a.m. EDT
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New Members. New Momentum. Our Future.	Wednesday 26 November	10:00 a.m. EDT
	Wednesday 26 November	2:00 p.m. EDT
Try It! You'll Like It!	Tuesday 18 November	1:00 p.m. EDT
	Monday 24 November	7:00 p.m. EDT

Email iodecanada@bellnet.ca to register.

In your email, be sure to include your preferred day and time for each Chat, together with your name, chapter name and email address to ensure that each of your Zoom links are sent promptly.

IODE Chats: where ideas grow, connections strengthen and chapters shine.

Be part of the conversation - your voice makes IODE stronger.

Founded in 1900, IODE Canada is a national women's charitable organization dedicated to enhancing the quality of life for individuals through education support, community services and citizenship programs.

For more information about our organization and charitable work, please visit our website.

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