Vinay Sharma

In addition to role as the EDA Chair for the 2017-2018 term, Vinay Sharma is the Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of London Hydro, which provides electricity to about 150,000 customers. Having joined the utility in 1998, Mr. Sharma assumed progressive leadership roles until he became the CEO in 2009.

Mr. Sharma's career and dedication to the electricity industry spans across decades since entering the industry at Saskatchewan Power Corporation. He also worked as a consulting engineer with Cambrian (now AMEC) and served as an assistant professor of electrical engineering at the University of Saskatchewan.

Mr. Sharma has a Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering and is a Professional Engineer in the provinces of Ontario, Alberta, and Saskatchewan. He also holds a M.Sc. and Ph.D. from the University of Saskatchewan and an MBA from the University of Regina. He is also a Chartered Director and a Fellow of the Canadian Academy of Engineering.