



Nomination Template for Chair Elect

Commission 7 – Cadastre and Land Management	
Nominee	
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Degrees and educational background	– Specialized Graduate Diploma in international administration, École nationale d'administration publique (National School of Public Administration), Québec – Bachelor's degree in geodesy (B.Sc.A), Université Laval, Québec
Employment history - current position - previous	MINISTÈRE DES RESSOURCES NATURELLES ET DE LA FAUNE (QUÉBEC DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND WILDLIFE) (Since 1990) – Director, Office of the Surveyor General of Québec (OSGQ) (2001 - ...) – Head, public land register division (OSGQ) (1999 – 2001) – Head, analysis and officialization division (Cadastre) (1993 –1999) – Person responsible for the digitization division (1990 – 1993) Previous: PROJECT LEADER AND ASSOCIATE FOR VARIOUS PRIVATE LAND SURVEYING FIRMS, (Béliveau – Couture, Daniel Roberge and associates, Consortium Géogaz, SNCLavalin) 1982 TO 1990 - Land development and land reform on Lower North-Shore and Nunavik - Land survey of the Quebec network of natural gas - Land surveying works required for the construction of the water treatment plan, Urban Community of Quebec

<p>Positions of trust</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - current - previous 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Director, Office of the Surveyor General of Québec since 2001 - Vice-president of the Champlain Branch of the Canadian Institute of Geomatics since 2004 <p>Previous:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - President of the Board of directors and founding member of the Association des jeunes arpenteurs-géomètres du Québec (association of young Québec land surveyors), 1991 – 1993
<p>Positions in FIG</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - current - previous 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Canadian delegate to Commission 7 since 2006 - Member of FIG Working Group 7.2, <i>Land administration for sustainable development</i>, since 2006 - Corresponding member of FIG Commission 3, <i>Geospatial information management</i>, since 2002 <p>Previous:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Member of FIG Working Group 3.1, <i>e-government and ecitizen</i>, since 2002-2006 - Member of FIG Working Group 7.1, <i>Reforming the cadastre</i>, 1998 to 2002
<p>Other activities in FIG</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Co-president of GeoConference Quebec 2007, the largest congress of surveying and geomatics ever organized in Quebec, sponsored by FIG, which gathered 1200 participants from more than 40 countries. - Organizer of a Workshop on land administration and sustainable development (2007) co-organized by FIG and the Fédération des géomètres francophones (FGF) which gathered 50 delegates from 20 countries. - Author of many papers presented in various FIG events, namely: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>After the Tsunami, how the surveying profession can participate in the reconstruction</i> presented at FIG Working Week in Cairo, Egypt, 2005. This paper was selected as the FIG article of the month of may 2005 and published in <i>Géomètre Expert</i> (Belgium), <i>Boletín del Consejo profesional de agrimensura de la provincia de Buenos Aires</i> (Argentina), <i>Geomatica</i> (Canada) and <i>Géomatique</i> (Québec). - <i>Benchmarking Cadastral systems</i> (co-author) published in 2002 by FIG Commission 7
<p>Field of surveying discipline</p>	<p>Cadastre, Land administration, Land information systems development, Registration of land rights, International cooperation, Capacity building</p>

Nominees Statement	
Why I want to be a Commission Chair and what I would like to achieve	<p>I want to contribute to :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - develop a better geo-cooperation and partnership between develop and developing countries in land administration, professional development and organization and capacity building - have more francophone (namely in Africa) and Latin American countries becoming member of FIG and encourage and facilitate the participation of their members to FIG events and Commission 7 activities. - strengthen relationships between FIG and international organizations.
What I can offer to FIG in support of the aims and objectives of the Commission	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Very good experience in international relations - Good network worldwide, namely in Canada, Europe and Latin American and Francophone countries and in International organizations - Excellent experience and competencies in land administration, land reform and cadastre
My key skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Expert in land administration, land reform and cadastre - Excellent vision and leadership - Language skills : French, English and good knowledge of Spanish
Any other general comments	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - I have been involved in the design, development and implementation of two of the most extensive land reforms ever undertaken in North America: the reform of the Québec cadastre and the modernization of the registration rights on public land. - I am Recognized as a leader in the surveying profession in Canada : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <i>Champlain Award 2007</i> for an outstanding contribution in promoting and advancing the land surveying profession, Canadian Council of Land Surveyors – <i>President's citation 2005</i> awarded for involvement in international affairs, Canadian Council of Geomatics
Nominator	Bob Parkinson, president
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Nominator's statement	On behalf of the Canadian institute of Geomatics and Canada's Surveying, Mapping and Geomatics Community I, Robert Parkinson, President of the Canadian Institute of Geomatics would like to nominate Daniel Roberge for the function of Chair Elect Commission 7
Why the association wants to nominate Nominee	<p>Canada and CIG are giving an increasing priority to links with leading global professional and knowledge based organizations. The exchange of best practices, the development of next practices and the integration of national and international networks is of strategic significance to our organization, our members, our businesses and our economy. Commission 7 is of special strategic interest to us and Daniel Roberge has a strong personal and professional interest in FIG and particularly Commission 7 in which he has played an active role in the last years.</p> <p>Mr. Roberge's experience and his active involvement in many large-scale land surveying and geomatics initiatives have him well positioned to take on these roles. He has been recognized as a leader in the design, development and implementation of the Reform of the Québec Cadastre and is currently the Director of the of General Surveyor's Office with the Ministry of Natural Resources of Quebec.</p> <p>I have observed Daniel as a strong leader and innovator in his job, in his community of surveyors and internationally and he is one of the best Canada has to offer. He combines an unusual professional capability with significant senior management and leadership abilities so critical to facilitate and lead an important Commission.</p> <p>His multi-lingual capabilities (French, English and Spanish) and his international network provides effective tools to break down some of the barriers to full participation from all continents.</p> <p>Daniel is an action oriented person, a team player and leader and as the recent GeoConference Quebec 2007 has shown, results are impressive.</p>
Support the Association can offer the Nominee (financial and other)	His nomination is supported not just by CIG, but by his employer the Québec Department of Natural Resources and Wildlife (in which his office as Surveyor General of Québec is located), the Québec and Canada's other National Land Survey organizations, including Natural Resources Canada and the Department of Foreign Affairs and International Trade. Support and financing for his role can be drawing from multiple organizations. In addition the CIG Executive and administrative services will be available to him during

	his tenure
Any other comments	
Signed I hereby certify the above is true and correct	
Date	12 December 2007
Nominee	 for Daniel Roberge
Nominator	 Robert Parkinson - President of CIC