

# Professional-in-Training Award

## Peter Schilling, EIT



Mr. Peter Schilling graduated from the University of Manitoba in 2006 with a B.Sc. in Computer Engineering. Peter became a student member of APEGM in 2004 and an Engineer-in-Training (EIT) in November of 2006.

in January of 2007, Peter was hired by MCW/AGE Consulting Professional Engineers. Over the next four-and-a-half years, he gained much experience working for the company. Since 2009, Peter has held the position of lead electrical designer or co-designer for a variety of projects. These new construction and renovation designs were for buildings including personal care homes, daycares, educational facilities, offices, a cultural centre, a condo, a hotel, and projects for the Department of National Defense.

Peter has, with the support of wonderful mentors, co-workers, architects, manufacturer representatives, and owners, completed four new Manitoba Public Insurance Buildings, accomplished multiple projects at the University of Manitoba and at the Canadian Mennonite University, submitted electrical construction drawings for the Canad Inns Hotel at the Health Sciences Centre, and has worked on many other small but very important projects within Winnipeg and throughout Manitoba. All projects are approached by Peter with energy efficiency in mind and several of them have been submitted for LEED certification.

Throughout his academic studies and professional career, Peter has been actively involved in many volunteer activities. In 2004, he began singing in his church choir and in 2009 taught catechism: grade 2 for two years and in 2011 will teach grade 1. Peter greatly enjoys working with children and this can be seen through his volunteering for the St. Louis Bible Camp, near Kenora. In this position for the last 3 years, he has been responsible for looking after the children, teaching them about his faith, and leading the outdoors program.

Peter has also been involved as a member of the Hungarian Kapisztrán Folk Ensemble for roughly eighteen years and has been passing on his culture by helping teach and choreograph for the junior and intermediate dance groups for the past four years, where this group performs at Folklorama every summer. Peter is proud to have the opportunity to pass on something that has always been a part of him and is honored to help the kids learn something that they enjoy and can grow from.

The Association of Professional Engineers and Geoscientists of Manitoba is pleased to present the Professional-in-Training Award for 2011 to Peter Schilling, an exemplary individual, committed to his community and to his profession.