



# **CANADIAN ASSOCIATION OF CHIEFS OF POLICE**

## **INTERNATIONAL POLICING COMMITTEE**

ANNUAL REPORT

2015 - 2016

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## 2015-16 Message from the Co-Chairs

The Co-Chairs are pleased to present the 2015-16 CACP International Policing Annual Report on behalf of the Committee members. This report provides a synopsis of the Committee's work over the course of this past year.

There has been one in-person meeting over the past year at last year's CACP Annual Conference in Québec City as well as several individual and group telephone conferences as indicated below. Committee meeting dates and locations are scheduled to minimize travel costs, and where possible, occur in conjunction with other CACP functions. The International Policing Committee is scheduled to meet for a two-hour period on Sunday, August 14, 2015, immediately in advance of the CACP Annual Conference.

## Accomplishments

### ***What Happens There Matters Here (WHTMH) Conference***

The Committee has been hard at work preparing for the above-noted conference to be held in Ottawa from September 26-27, 2016. The Conference is intended to address policing and community safety in an increasingly globalised world with particular emphasis on building knowledge and awareness around the connection between global events, local community safety, trust and cooperation.

### ***CACP International Policing Award***

The award is intended to recognise Canadian law enforcement personnel for their exceptional dedication and initiative in using Canadian policing skills to contribute to a safer world, and seeks to encourage more Canadian police services to contribute to and work on the international scene. This year's recipient is RCMP Inspector Calvin Chrustie from British Columbia for his work on a significant international file as well as his lifetime contributions to United Nations policing and international hostage negotiations. The award will be presented at the *WHTMH* Conference in September. Inspector Chrustie has indicated his presence to receive the award.

## Mandate

The mandate of the International Policing Committee is to inform and advise the CACP's Board of Directors and its members on best practices in policing from across the world in an effort to improve Canadian policing practices.

### Committee Priorities

- Encourage and facilitate communications amongst members of the Committee, the CACP and CACP Board of Directors regarding international policing practices, issues and trends.
- Recognise best practices of Canadian law enforcement personnel through the awarding of the International Policing Award.
- Supporting the CACP's Global Studies Program.
- Address international policing issues as identified and instructed by the CACP Board of Directors and membership.

### Goals and Objectives for 2016-17

The International Policing Committee will be identifying goals and objectives for the next year at its Ottawa meeting to be held on August 14<sup>th</sup>. As indicated, the overarching priority for 2016 remains the *WHTMH Conference*.

### Updated Membership List

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