

# *Small Modular Reactors: Energy Opportunities and Regulatory Views*

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Small Modular Reactors (SMRs) are part of a new generation of nuclear power plant designs whose benefits include less on-site construction, increased containment efficiency and the ability to have greater quality controls. Saskatchewan, with its comparatively small population base, is not ideal for a conventional reactor that can produce upwards of 1000 megawatts of power. However, an SMR that produces anywhere from 10 to 300 megawatts could be a good fit for Saskatchewan's energy needs. What is the future outlook for SMRs in Saskatchewan, what are the potential regulatory challenges and how is Canada's nuclear regulator, the Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission, going to address them?

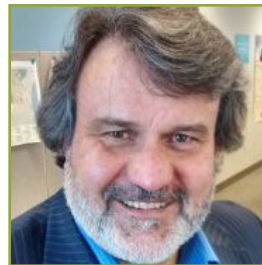
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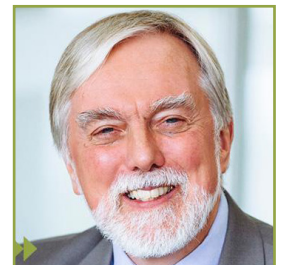
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