

# **RTDNA CANADA**

Welcome to RTDNA Canada,

Whether you have just signed on, or whether you are a returning member, I want to welcome you to RTDNA Canada.

We are committed to excellence in audio, digital and video journalism. We continue to honour the best work through the RTDNA Canada awards.

This year we are focused on bringing more value to our members through seminars, our national conference, networking, participation in the national dialogue of issues important to our industry, and of course, recognition of the contribution made by audio, digital and video journalists across the country.

We welcome your input, so reach out if you would like to get involved or if you have something to share. Follow us on [Twitter](#), [Instagram](#), [LinkedIn](#), and [Facebook](#).

Now, a few words from John McKenna (Global News), Vice-President of Membership and By-Laws.

John has important information for members.

Lis Travers  
RTDNA Canada, President

Friends, I keep waiting for things to get easier. 2022 was arguably as difficult as ever. We adapted to COVID and then when restrictions were loosened, we adapted again. And we had to adjust again to whatever was the new normal in our newsrooms.

While we report on the rising cost of living, we are also experiencing it. We're very much a part of the communities we cover. All of this affects our mental well being and has contributed to decisions by many to leave this profession.

RTDNA Canada recognizes the daily struggles we all face and is working on ways to reduce the stress by offering journalistic support with online sessions throughout the year, and with our highly regarded, in-person sessions at our annual national conference.

We hope you join us to work together for a better...and easier 2023!

John McKenna  
RTDNA Canada, VP - Membership and Bylaws