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OneMine.org® welcomes CIM as new partner

Mining database benefits are extended to Canadian society members

The partner societies of OneMine, Inc. and the Canadian Institute of Mining, Metallurgy and Petroleum (<u>CIM</u>) are pleased to announce a new alliance as CIM joins the international digital mining library, <u>OneMine.org</u>®. Created in 2008, <u>OneMine.org</u>® is targeted specifically to the needs of professionals in mining and minerals-related fields.

"OneMine welcomes CIM's contribution to this comprehensive collection of mining and minerals-based research," said OneMine Executive Director David L. Kanagy. "CIM members will now have access to, and will be contributing their expertise to, the world-class information contained in OneMine.org. We welcome this great addition to the mining community's body of online technical knowledge."

CIM's participation in OneMine is a direct result of the formation of the Global Mineral Professionals Alliance (GMPA) in 2013. By participating in the GMPA, the four premier international mining societies guaranteed access to education, public information, business networking and technical exchange opportunities for mining and minerals industry professionals worldwide, including member society access to OneMine.

Current organizations participating in the GMPA are the:

- Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy
- Canadian Institute of Mining, Metallurgy and Petroleum
- Society for Mining, Metallurgy & Exploration Inc.
- Southern African Institute of Mining and Metallurgy

Societies around the globe that contribute documents to OneMine® include:

- AIME The American Institute of Mining, Metallurgical, and Petroleum Engineers
- AusIMM The Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy
- CIM Canadian Institute of Mining, Metallurgy and Petroleum
- DFI Deep Foundations Institute
- IMMS International Marine Minerals Society
- NIOSH National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health
- SAIMM The Southern African Institute of Mining and Metallurgy
- SME The Society for Mining, Metallurgy & Exploration Inc.
- TMS The Minerals, Metals & Materials Society

OneMine.org® has two main objectives; the consolidation of knowledge into a centralized repository and the dissemination of this information to the industry, and the archival and storage of older materials that are disintegrating due to age. The database now contains more than 106,000 documents and 1,822,000 pages.

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The goal of OneMine[®] is to collect the most relevant and reliable technical papers associated with mining and minerals and make them available to anyone in the world who has access to the Internet. Members of participating societies can view, download and print documents at no charge. Individual documents are available for purchase by nonmembers on a per document basis, or through an annual subscription. For more information or to begin a document search, please visit www.onemine.org.