Ken Heather (Welding) and Ron Stocks (Electrical Installation)

Experts for WorldSkills Team Canada 2014-15

SkillsCanada
Started in 1994, the Skills Canada National Competition (SCNC) remains the only event of its kind in Canada. It is the only national, Olympic-style, multi-trade and technology competition for young students and apprentices in the country.

WorldSkills is an international organization that actively promotes vocational training. The mission of WorldSkills International is to challenge young people, their teachers, trainers and employers to achieve world class standards of competence in commerce, services and industry, and to promote the status of vocational training.

Team Canada 2015
Every two years the WorldSkills International Competition brings together over a 1,000 competitors from across the world to raise the status and standards of vocational skills and training worldwide. The next WorldSkills Competition is in São Paulo, Brazil, August 11-16, 2015.

WorldSkills Experts
Experts prepare the technical program for the Team Canada member, perform periodic evaluations and play an active role in the Competitors training prior to the WorldSkills Competition. Prior to the WorldSkills Competition Experts play a critical role in the development of the competition working with other Experts from other countries.

Ken Heather was named as Team Canada WorldSkills Expert for Welding, and has designed the training protocol and program for this year's competitor in Joilette, QB. Ken sits as a member of the National Technical Committee for Welding and SkillsCanada.

Create projects
Create Judging Criteria
Create Contest Description (Scope) Documents
Determine and source equipment and material needs
Facilitate the competition during event days