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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Management of ADR Institute of Alberta

Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of ADR Institute of Alberta (the Society), which comprise the statement of financial position as at December 31, 2020, and the statements of revenues and expenditures, changes in net assets and cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Society as at December 31, 2020, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements* section of our report. We are independent of the Society in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in Canada, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with those requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Society's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters relating to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Society or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the Society's financial reporting process.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements. As part of an audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

 Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.

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- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Society's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Society's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Society to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

Edmonton, Alberta May 3, 2021

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ADR INSTITUTE OF ALBERTA Statement of Financial Position

December 31, 2020

		2020		2019
ASSETS				
CURRENT				
Cash (Note 3)	\$	262,819	\$	110,787
Investments (Note 4)	Ψ	104,119	Ψ	102,431
Accounts receivable		5,152		5,528
Interest receivable	•	385		926
Prepaid expenses (Note 5)		7,848		9,062
		380,323		228,734
TANGIBLE CAPITAL ASSETS (Note 6)	<u>:</u>	19,577		23,915
	\$	399,900	\$	252,649
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS CURRENT Accounts payable and accrued liabilities (Note 7) Wages payable Goods and services tax payable Deferred revenue (Note 8) Due to related party	\$	44,732 4,520 4,426 108,920 17,584	\$	20,963 880 1,488 73,274 10,939
LOAN PAYABLE (Note 11)		180,182 40,000		107,544
		220,182		107,544
NET ASSETS				
General fund	_	179,718		145,105
	\$	399,900	\$	252,649

RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS (Note 9)

COMMITMENT (Note 10)

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD

ADR INSTITUTE OF ALBERTA Statement of Revenues and Expenditures Year Ended December 31, 2020

		2020	2019
REVENUES			
Professional development and education (Schedule 1)	\$	276,821	\$ 540,895
Grants and other (Note 11)		135,010	11,142
Member services (Schedule 1) ADR business services (Schedule 1)		113,009	121,821
Investment income		85,599	90,218
WAS THE PROPERTY OF THE PROPER	-	1,519	 2,488
	<u> </u>	611,958	766,564
EXPENSES			
Professional development and education (Schedule 2)		298,876	375,426
General and administrative (Schedule 2)		115,816	144,268
ADR business services (Schedule 2)		84,594	91,626
Member services (Schedule 2)		45,838	63,476
Governance (Schedule 2)		26,861	44,522
Amortization	-	5,360	 5,497
	-	577,345	724,815
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER EXPENSES	\$	34,613	\$ 41,749

ADR INSTITUTE OF ALBERTA Statement of Changes in Net Assets Year Ended December 31, 2020

	2020	2019
NET ASSETS - BEGINNING OF YEAR	\$ 145,105	\$ 103,356
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER EXPENSES	 34,613	41,749
NET ASSETS - END OF YEAR	\$ 179,718	\$ 145,105

ADR INSTITUTE OF ALBERTA Statement of Cash Flows Year Ended December 31, 2020

OPERATING ACTIVITIES Excess of revenues over expenses Item not affecting cash: Amortization of tangible capital assets (Note 6) Changes in non-cash working capital: Accounts receivable Interest receivable Prepaid expenses (Note 5) Accounts payable and accrued liabilities (Note 7) Wages payable Goods and services tax payable Deferred revenue (Note 8) Cash flow from operating activities	5,	613 360	\$ 41,749
Excess of revenues over expenses Item not affecting cash: Amortization of tangible capital assets (Note 6) Changes in non-cash working capital: Accounts receivable Interest receivable Prepaid expenses (Note 5) Accounts payable and accrued liabilities (Note 7) Wages payable Goods and services tax payable Deferred revenue (Note 8)	5,		\$ 41 7/0
Amortization of tangible capital assets (Note 6) Changes in non-cash working capital: Accounts receivable Interest receivable Prepaid expenses (Note 5) Accounts payable and accrued liabilities (Note 7) Wages payable Goods and services tax payable Deferred revenue (Note 8)		360	71,173
Changes in non-cash working capital: Accounts receivable Interest receivable Prepaid expenses (Note 5) Accounts payable and accrued liabilities (Note 7) Wages payable Goods and services tax payable Deferred revenue (Note 8)		360	
Accounts receivable Interest receivable Prepaid expenses (Note 5) Accounts payable and accrued liabilities (Note 7) Wages payable Goods and services tax payable Deferred revenue (Note 8)	39,		5,497
Accounts receivable Interest receivable Prepaid expenses (Note 5) Accounts payable and accrued liabilities (Note 7) Wages payable Goods and services tax payable Deferred revenue (Note 8)		973	47,246
Accounts receivable Interest receivable Prepaid expenses (Note 5) Accounts payable and accrued liabilities (Note 7) Wages payable Goods and services tax payable Deferred revenue (Note 8)			
Prepaid expenses (Note 5) Accounts payable and accrued liabilities (Note 7) Wages payable Goods and services tax payable Deferred revenue (Note 8)	(376	11,036
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities (Note 7) Wages payable Goods and services tax payable Deferred revenue (Note 8)		541	52
Wages payable Goods and services tax payable Deferred revenue (Note 8)	1,2	214	(1,822)
Goods and services tax payable Deferred revenue (Note 8)	23,7	768	4,940
Deferred revenue (Note 8)	3,0	640	413
_		938	2,251
Cash flow from operating activities	35,6	646	 (16,634)
Cash flow from operating activities	68,1	123	236
	108,0	096	47,482
INVESTING ACTIVITIES			
Additions to capital assets (Note 6)	(1.0	021)	(8,628)
Net change of investments (Note 4)		688)	(1,722)
Cash flow used by investing activities	(2,7	709)	(10,350)
FINANCING ACTIVITIES			
Advances from (to) related parties	6.6	645	(1,660)
Proceeds from CEBA loan (Note 11)	40,0		(1,000)
Cash flow from (used by) financing activities	46,6	645	(1,660)
INCREASE IN CASH FLOW	152,0	032	35,472
Cash and cash equivalents - beginning of year	110,7		75,315
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CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS - END OF YEAR (Notes 1, 3) \$	ግድጎ ዕ	319	\$ 110,787
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS CONSIST OF: Cash (Notes 1, 3)	262,8		

PURPOSE OF THE SOCIETY

ADR Institute of Alberta (the "Society") is a non-profit organization incorporated under the Societies Act of Alberta on May 14, 2012. The Society is dedicated to the promotion of alternative dispute resolutions and provides leadership in conflict resolution in the areas of Negotiation, Mediation, and Arbitration, and addressing harm through processes like Restorative Justice.

The Society is a tax-exempt organization for income tax purposes and has therefore made no provision for income taxes in these financial statements.

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of presentation

The financial statements were prepared in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations (ASNPO).

Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents consist primarily of bank balances and term deposits with an original maturity date of purchase of three months or less. Because of the short term maturity of these investments, their carrying amount approximates fair value.

Donated services and materials

The operations of the Society depend on both the contribution of time by volunteers and donated materials from various sources. The fair value of donated materials and services cannot be reasonably determined and are therefore not reflected in these financial statements.

Financial instruments policy

Financial instruments are recorded at fair value when acquired or issued. In subsequent periods, financial assets with actively traded markets are reported at fair value, with any unrealized gains and losses reported in income. All other financial instruments are reported at amortized cost, and tested for impairment at each reporting date. Transaction costs on the acquisition, sale, or issue of financial instruments are expensed when incurred.

Measurement uncertainty

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amount of assets and liabilities, disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the period. Such estimates are periodically reviewed and any adjustments necessary are reported in earnings in the period in which they become known. Actual results could differ from these estimates.

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SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Revenue recognition

ADR Institute of Alberta follows the deferral method of accounting for contributions.

Restricted contributions are recognized as revenue in the year in which the related expenses are incurred. Unrestricted contributions are recognized as revenue when received or receivable if the amount to be received can be reasonably estimated and collection is reasonably assured.

Revenue from conferences and projects is recorded in the year in which the conference or project takes place.

Fees and services related to the courses and programs are recognized as revenue when such courses and programs are delivered.

Membership fee revenue is recognized in the period in which it is earned.

Tangible capital assets

Tangible capital assets are stated at cost or deemed cost less accumulated amortization and are amortized over their estimated useful lives at the following rates and methods:

Computer equipment	30%	declining balance method
Classroom furniture and equipment	20%	declining balance method
Furniture and fixtures	20%	declining balance method

The Society regularly reviews its tangible capital assets to eliminate obsolete items.

Tangible capital assets acquired during the year but not placed into use are not amortized until they are placed into use.

2. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

The Society is exposed to various risks through its financial instruments. The following analysis provides information about the Society's risk exposure and concentration as of December 31, 2020.

Credit risk

Credit risk arises from the potential that a counter party will fail to perform its obligations. The Society is exposed to credit risk from customers. Accounts receivable due from customers of educational programs and ADR business services are not considered to be significant, which minimizes concentration of credit risk.

Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that an entity will encounter difficulty in meeting obligations associated with financial liabilities. The Society is exposed to this risk mainly in respect of its receipt of funds from its customers and other related sources, and accounts payable.



3. CASH
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	-	2020	2019
Cash - operating 50% sublease payments withheld TD savings account (*) Cash held in trust - symposium Cash held in trust - DRN conference	\$	242,037 8,673 6,177 4,908 1,024	\$ 98,083 - 6,160 4,895 1,649
	\$	262,819	\$ 110,787

^(*) TD savings account - held to facilitate two credit cards used for operation purposes.

4. INVESTMENTS

Investments consist of the following:

	_	2020		2019
TD Canada Trust - guaranteed investment certificate (compound interest at 1.20%; matures July 24, 2021)	\$	52.694	\$	51,399
TD Canada Trust - guaranteed investment certificate		,	~	01,000
(simple interest at 0.20%; matures April 2, 2021) TD Canada Trust - guaranteed investment certificate		25,764		25,568
(simple interest at 0.20%; matures April 8, 2021)	y	25,661		25,464
	\$	104,119	\$	102,431

5. PREPAID EXPENSES

	÷	2020	2019
Insurance - commercial, Board of Directors Rent deposit IT services Web conferencing Training - deposit	\$	3,185 2,750 1,638 275	\$ 3,185 2,750 1,657 - 1,470
	\$	7,848	\$ 9,062

6. TANGIBLE CAPITAL ASSETS

G.	Cost	cumulated ortization	Ne	2020 et book value	 2019 let book value
Classroom furniture and equipment Furniture and fixtures Computer equipment	\$ 19,581 13,594 22,390	\$ 9,863 7,572 18,553	\$	9,718 6,022 3,837	\$ 12,147 7,527 4,241
	\$ 55,565	\$ 35,988	\$	19,577	\$ 23,915

7. ACCOUNTS PAYABLE AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES

	 2020	2019
Conflict management coaching payable Accounts payable and accrued liabilities Symposium fund payable DRN conference fund payable	\$ 22,550 16,250 4,908 1,024	\$ 4,100 10,319 4,895 1,649
	\$ 44,732	\$ 20,963

8. DEFERRED REVENUE

	2020		2019	
Certificate programs CAMVAP contract revenue Specialty courses Member services	\$	88,850 11,770 5,250 3,050	\$	58,775 11,621 - 2,878
	\$	108,920	\$	73,274

9. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

During the year, services were rendered by a Board member totalling \$4,550 (2019 - \$5,250), excluding GST. The account affected was *Instruction fees*. The measurement basis used for recognizing these transactions is the cost method.

10. COMMITMENT

Under the terms of a contract entered in 2018 with BNG Specialized Engineering Services Ltd., the Society is committed to monthly payments of \$2,750, plus taxes, for the use of space and access to services from July 1, 2018 to December 30, 2022.



11. CORONAVIRUS ("COVID-19")

In January 2020, the World Health Organization declared the outbreak of a strain of the novel coronavirus ("COVID-19") to be a public health emergency of international concern and, subsequently, a global pandemic was declared in March, 2020. A series of public health and emergency measures have been put in place by the Canadian federal government, followed by the provincial and territorial governments, to combat the spread of the virus.

During this difficult time, the Government of Canada offers financial assistance for organizations facing hardship. For the fiscal year then ended December 31, 2020, the Society utilized the following financial assistance programs:

Canada Emergency Business Account (CEBA)

Applying for a CEBA loan of \$40,000, the Society entered into an agreement with Toronto-Dominion Bank. Under the terms and conditions, the loan bears 0% interest during the initial term (April 27, 2020 to December 31, 2022). During the extended term (January 1, 2023 to December 31, 2025), the loan bears interest at 5% per annum, repayable monthly. Repaying the balance of the loan (at least 75 percent or \$30,000) on or before December 31, 2022 will result in loan forgiveness of 25 percent (up to \$10,000).

Canada Emergency Wage Subsidy (CEWS)

During the fiscal year then ended, the Society, which qualified as an eligible employer through the CEWS program during the qualifying periods, received a wage subsidy in the total amount of \$106,372 for remuneration paid to eligible employees.

Canada Emergency Rent Subsidy (CERS)

During the fiscal year then ended, the Society, which qualified as an eligible renter through the CERS program during the qualifying periods, received a rent subsidy in the total amount of \$2,446 for rent paid to the lessor.

10% Temporary Wage Subsidy (TWS)

During the qualifying period of March 18 to June 19, 2020, the Society as an eligible employer used the 10% TWS assistance program that was made available. Payroll deductions remitted to the Canada Revenue Agency during this same period were reduced by a total amount of \$5,283.

Small and Medium Enterprise Relaunch Grant (SMERG)

In addition to federal assistance, and as a qualifying non-profit organization, the Society applied and received \$20,000 in grants from the Government of Alberta through its financial assistance program, SMERG.

12. COMPARATIVE FIGURES

Some of the comparative figures have been reclassified to conform to the current year's presentation.



ADR INSTITUTE OF ALBERTA

Revenues

(Schedule 1)

Year Ended December 31, 2020

		2020		2019
Professional development and education				
Certificate programs	\$	281,265	\$	469,645
Less: ADRIC license	*	(24,619)	•	(26,715)
Designations and accreditation		7,775		6,550
Specialty and professional development		6,400		26,780
Contract training		6,000		59,635
Conference		-		5,000
		276,821		540,895
Member services				
Full member		118,627		126,156
Less: ADRIC dues		(40,773)		(43,209)
Associate member		17,951		21,606
Directory		9,229		9,913
Administration fee		6,050		6,100
Networking		1,220		617
Retired member		705		638
		113,009		121,821
ADR business services				
CAMVAP		77,459		71,869
National rules		4,290		14,539
Organizational member		2,500		2,500
Roster administration		1,350		750
DRN conference				560
	8 	85,599		90,218
	\$	475,429	\$	752,934

ADR INSTITUTE OF ALBERTA

Expenses

(Schedule 2)

Year Ended December 31, 2020

		2020		2019	
Professional development and education		404.040		0.40.00.4	
Certificate programs (Note 9) Specialty and professional development	\$	181,046	\$	246,234	
Private training		35,048		36,553	
Contract training		24,995		-	
Conference		23,685		49,465	
Designations and accreditation		17,278		24,188	
Designations and accreditation	_	16,824		18,986	
	;	298,876		375,426	
General and administrative					
Office administration		42,372		58,043	
Rent		16,500		16,500	
Bank charges, interest and merchant fees		14,194		15,014	
Professional fees		8,000		8,000	
Vacation expense		7,394		3,091	
IT development, maintenance and software		7,235		5,528	
Telephone and internet		5,228		5,440	
Office supplies		4,994		12,507	
Equipment rental leasing		3,870		3,870	
Insurance		3,034		2,980	
Office cleaning		2,110		3,715	
Postage and courier		617		1,023	
Travel and meeting expense		268		3,793	
Conference attendance		-		4,189	
Relocation expense				575	
		115,816		144,268	
ADR business services	8				
CAMVAP		59,124		56,520	
Staff support		25,470		35,106	
		84,594			
Member services		04,534		91,626	
Staff support					
		40,390		46,426	
Marketing and promotional materials Networking		4,454		14,413	
Networking		994		2,637	
	-	45,838		63,476	
Governance					
Staff support		20,443		28,715	
Insurance		2,307		2,277	
Board meeting and travel		1,876		11,276	
Strategic advocacy		1,400		_	
Board committees and projects		629		990	
Annual general meeting		206		1,264	
		26,861		44,522	
	\$	571,985	\$	719,318	