

Bill Baker

Vice-President, Information Technology



Bill Baker was appointed Vice-President, Information Technology for the Alberta Electric System Operator (AESO) in June 2011. Mr. Baker has previously served as a Senior Director responsible for overall IT Operations, and has held a variety of Information Technology leadership positions with the AESO and the former Transmission Administrator over the past 10 years.

Mr. Baker has 20 years experience in the Information Technology field. Prior to joining the AESO, he worked at Canadian Pacific Railway, the Department of National Defense, Net Income Stabilization Account and We Care Health Services. Mr. Baker has developed and taught Information Technology courses for the Southern Alberta Institute of Technology, Web Age Solutions, the University of Manitoba and Brandon University.

Mr. Baker holds a Bachelor of Science in Computer Science from Brandon University and a Masters of Science from the University of Manitoba.

As an independent system operator, the AESO leads the safe, reliable and economic planning and operation of Alberta's interconnected power system. The AESO also facilitates Alberta's fair, efficient and openly competitive wholesale electricity market, which in 2010 had about 175 participants and approximately \$5 billion in annual energy transactions.

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