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As Chair of the Procurement Steering Committee (PSC) of the BC Education Marketplace (BCEM), I am pleased to welcome Bruce Tisdale as the first BCEM Executive Director.

Bruce joined the BCEM as of October 1, 2017 and brings more than 40 years of experience to the position. Prior to joining the BCEM, Bruce served as Secretary-Treasurer and in other senior finance positions in several school districts, including Revelstoke, Mission, Bella Coola and Nicola-Similkameen.

Bruce's primary role as Executive Director is liaison to the senior leadership teams in BC public school districts, as well as the Ministry of Education, BCASBO and other organizations in the K-12 sector.

Bruce has been a supporter of the BCEM since the early days of its creation and is excited to have this opportunity to provide leadership to the organization. He looks forward to meeting with districts across the province, discussing their needs and finding ways to increase participation in and collaboration on shared procurement projects.

Maria Melan, who has filled the position of Director for the past two years, will continue in that position to provide leadership for all procurement activities.

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We wish Bruce well in his new position.



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