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Chris Clement (MSc CHP MSRP) has a Master of Science degree in Medical Physics, is a Certified Health Physicist, and has more than thirty-five years of experience in radiation protection. Early in his career, he worked in environmental monitoring and remediation, radiological counterterrorism, and as Director of Radiation Protection at the Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission overseeing radiation protection regulation in all sectors across the country. For several years he represented Canada at the IAEA Radiation Safety Standards Committee and the OECD Nuclear Energy Agency's Committee on Radiation Protection and Public Health.



In 2008, he left Canadian public service to join the International Commission on Radiological Protection (ICRP) in the full-time position of Scientific Secretary, later adding Chief Executive Officer to his title. He continues to hold this position.

Since 2012, he has been a member of the International Radiation Protection Association (IRPA) Executive Council, serving as Vice-President of IRPA for 2021-2024, and now as IRPA President since 2024.

He has received the two highest honours of the Canadian Radiation Protection Association (CRPA): the Distinguished Achievement Award in 2011, and the Richard V. Osborne Founders' Award in 2015. In 2019, he received the Ambassador's Award from the Ambassador of Japan to Canada for his work in recovery after the Fukushima Daiichi accident and the promotion of mutual understanding and friendly relations between Japan and Canada. In 2022, he had the honour of being named as a G. William Morgan Lecturer by the US Health Physics Society, and in 2024 was invited to give the Dunster Lecture by the UK Society for Radiological Protection.