

## Savings, Updates, and PD&T

This quarter is highlighted by over \$1 million in total savings by ShareIT members, generated through ShareIT master agreements. Over this past quarter, ShareIT hosted 6 unique webinars and professional development opportunities, drawing in 163 participants. Among these an Ethical Hacker Course, courtesy of BCNET, which saved members ~\$6,000.

### Savings for education in Q3 (October 1 - December 31, 2020)

# \$1,012,032

**\$1,741,976**

Procurement Spend

**\$1,010,151**

Procurement Savings

**\$5,998**

Training Spend

**\$1,881**

Training Savings

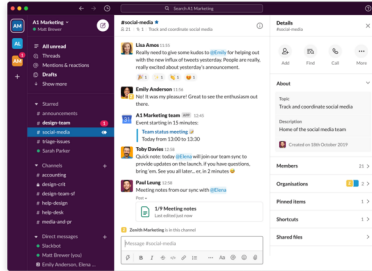
Check out the [ShareIT Catalogue of Offerings!](#)



### Introducing the new Chair of the ShareIT Oversight Committee

**Leona LaChance** - CIO & Associate Vice President, IT Services, Mount Royal University

Drawing on her strong technical background and progressive senior leadership experience, Leona is passionate about continuing to build a strong post secondary sector for Alberta through collaboration with all PSIs, Cybera and ShareIT. Leona is excited to chair the ShareIT Oversight Committee to assist with these goals.

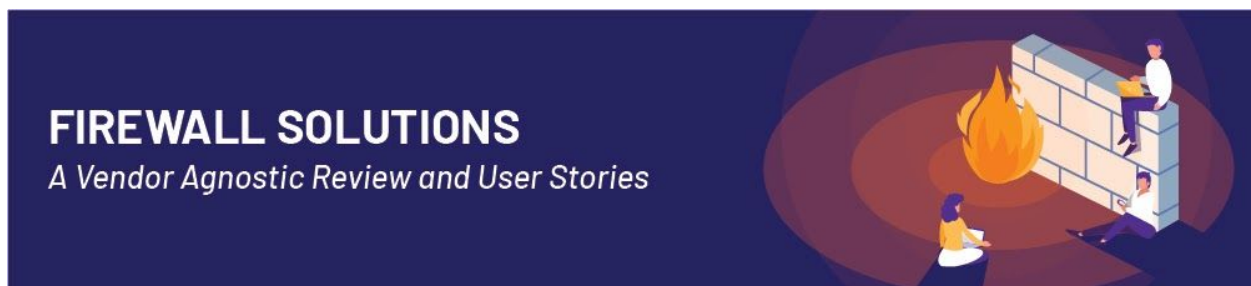


## Join Slack!

ShareIT has launched a member-wide Slack workspace to support communication and collaboration amongst the members. Use this [link](#) to join!

## Upcoming PD&T Opportunities

To request certain PD&T topics, follow [this link](#)!



**Thursday, February 12, 1:00-2:30pm MST**

Join CDW and ShareIT on Thursday, February 11. This is a session focused on sharing experiences and examining real user examples, and success stories from around the PSI sector. Follow this [Zoom link](#) to attend.



**Thursday, February 25, 10:00-11:00am MST**

In this session, Compugen will present an overview of their Accelerate methodology. Compugen Accelerate is an iterative, guided journey map designed to identify your organization's level of cloud maturity, and define technical and cultural adoption plans for the latest Microsoft technologies using funded Microsoft programs to lower your cost of adoption wherever possible. This is a **no cost program** to members. Follow this [MS Teams Meeting link](#) to attend.

## Updates on ShareIT Master Agreements

### Microsoft Azure



Cybera has negotiated a new Campus and School Azure-only Agreement for the ShareIT members to leverage. This agreement is customized for education consumers with a low initial commitment of \$1600 and pay as you go from there. In addition, data egress fees can be waived up to 15%. Cybera will be scheduling a kick-off session near the end of February for this new agreement and sending a communications to all ShareIT members with information on how to leverage this agreement,

### Networking Hardware (HPE Aruba & Juniper)



#### Renewal Notice

As a result of the Oversight Committee vote, both the [HPE Aruba](#) and [Juniper](#) agreements will be renewed for an additional year, to March and April 2022, respectively.

## Shared Procurement Roadmap

ShareIT currently has 3 shared procurement projects in flight:

	<u>Estimated Contracting Date</u>
<b>Chatbots</b>	February/March 2021
<b>Firewalls: Physical, Virtual and Managed Services</b>	April 2021
<b>Phishing and Security Awareness Training</b>	April 2021

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