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VOICES OF TRANSFORMATION: GOLDCORP

LUIS CANEPARI,
VP Information Technology
Goldcorp Inc.:

"Technology is here to stay. Whomever doesn't want to accept technology is going to be taken out of the industry.

In mining we're in a commodities business, so it's very hard to differentiate your product. Reinventing ourselves and making our operations more efficient has to be our number one priority.

Digital transformation is changing the way we do our business. Our plan is to partner with companies like Accenture and take that information and that intellectual property and use it to our advancement and to make our operations more efficient.

In Goldcorp, our biggest priority is safety. Making Goldcorp safe enough for our families, safe enough for my son or my daughter, and I have a seven year-old and an eight year-old. I will not rest until every job at Goldcorp is safe enough for one of them to work or operate a machinery or to work in any environment at the company."

GOLDCORP MINER:

"Being a miner today means being connected, and to be connected is to be safe. These tools make our jobs safer, so we can give our families peace of mind."

LUIS CANEPARI,
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"I believe that through technology we can make a big influence in our safety metrics.

You can do collision monitoring, you can do tele-remote operations digging dirt a couple kilometers underground from a safe location.

The connected mine concept is a very well established concept in the industry: connect all the devices in the company and trying to do better data analytics.

I want to be able to, for example, claim to be the first mining company to have all their infrastructure, all their servers, all their systems running out of a cloud and we are working really hard to make them the mine of the future.

We have a new generation coming in, full of millennials, and it's been an interesting example for us on how to integrate our old culture with our new culture, try to bring them together through the use of technology. I believe technology has a big influence on that, on our diversity levels.

We have to reinvent ourselves to be a team that transforms and embraces technology, and is a pioneer in innovation."

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