



2026 Great Lakes

# Damage Prevention Conference & Expo

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## Barnaby Pung

Director of Marketing & Communications, Merit Network

### Scraping, Barking, and Marking



Tues. 2/3



1:00 p.m.



Banquet Rooms 5 & 6

Dr. Barnaby Pung is the Director of Marketing and Communications at Merit Network, where he also oversees Merit's apprenticeship and workforce development programs. His background includes providing strategic planning and consulting services to electrical utilities, municipalities, and college training programs, with a focus on safety, reliability, and operational excellence. He has developed a number of training and certificate programs including Continuous Improvement, Construction Management/Last Planner, Lean Processes, and Decision Coaching. Barnaby's combined experience in higher education leadership and working in the field in facilities, project management, and wastewater treatment informs his approach to training, skills development, and deployment.