

MEMORANDUM

To: The Dalhousie University community

From: Teri Balsler, Interim President

Date: July 22, 2019

Re: Call for Honorary Degree Nominations

The Senate Honorary Degrees Committee (SHDC) invites nominations for honorary degrees to be awarded at Convocation ceremonies in 2021.

Through the awarding of honorary degrees, Dalhousie aims to recognize individuals whose accomplishments and achievements will inspire our graduates while reflecting the character and values of the university. SHDC particularly invites nominations of candidates who exemplify Dal's commitment to diversity, including but not limited to Indigenous peoples (especially Mi'kmaq), members of racialized populations (especially African Nova Scotians), persons with disabilities, women, and persons of minority sexual orientations and/or gender identities (SOGI). [Learn more](#) about who is eligible for an honorary degree.

To make a nomination, please complete the [Honorary Degree Nomination Form](#). Questions may be directed to the University Secretariat at 902-494-3715. Completed nomination forms should be submitted by **Friday, September 6, 2019** to:

Senate Honorary Degrees Committee
c/o Secretary of Senate
University Secretariat, Room 210, Henry Hicks Academic Administration Building
Dalhousie University
6299 South Street, Halifax, NS B3H 4R2

Your time and input are appreciated!

Sincerely,

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