



Choral Canada | Canada Choral

Call for Expression of Interest for the Choral Canada Nominations Committee positions

Choral Canada is the National Arts Service Organization for the choral/group singing arts sector and community in Canada. The organization exists to provide programs and services tailored towards professional development, advocacy, resources, celebrating choral music, and building connections across this vast country. Choral Canada will create a new strategic plan in the summer 2021 and is prioritizing accessibility, diversity, equity, and inclusion.

Choral Canada is seeking two (2) individuals who are members in good standing with Choral Canada to join the Nominations Committee. The Committee is chaired by Past President Kellie Walsh. At this time, the committee is responsible for soliciting nominations for the Choral Canada Board of Directors, the National Choral Awards, and the National Youth Choir of Canada conductor. This may change as Choral Canada considers changes to its structure and operations while creating its new strategic plan. We are seeking two individuals who are passionate and knowledgeable about the art form of group singing/choral music. They are collaborative team players with excellent interpersonal and listening skills.

The time commitment is for one year starting in July 2021.

The working language of the committee is English, but the inclusion of members from the French-speaking community in Canada, in both the committee and the solicited nominations, is prioritized.

Choral Canada is committed to inclusion, diversity, equity, and accessibility in all its work, and to being fair and equitable in practice. We are striving to build diversity and inclusivity into our teams, committees, programs, and services, thereby fostering an organizational environment in which all people wishing to participate may flourish.

The Chair of the Nominations Committee will select the two members of the committee. Selection will be based upon the candidate's expression of interest and the qualifications outlined above. All individuals who express interest in the positions will be

contacted directly regarding the outcome of the process.

The membership of the Nominations Committee will be comprised of individuals who represent differences in human qualities and characteristics. We value new perspectives and original ideas. We strongly encourage members from the Indigenous, Black, racialized, LGBTQ2S+, persons with disability, refugee and newcomer communities to apply for the positions.

If you are interested in the Nomination Committee positions, please apply by sending an “Expression of Interest” email to info@choralcanada.org by **Monday, July 19 2021**. Please provide a short paragraph describing why you would like to be on the Nominations Committee.

If you require support applying online because you are a person with a disability, please contact us at 647-606-2467 or info@choralcanada.org.

If you have any questions about the positions, please contact Choral Canada at info@choralcanada.org or 647-606-2467.

Choral Canada acknowledges that our office is located on the traditional territory of many nations including the Mississaugas of the Credit, the Anishnabeg, the Chippewa, the Haudenosaunee and the Wendat peoples and is now home to many diverse First Nations, Inuit and Métis peoples. We also acknowledge that Toronto is covered by Treaty 13 with the Mississaugas of the Credit.