**Seeking candidates for Algonquin College Board of Governors**

Algonquin College of Applied Arts and Technology is located in the Nation’s Capital and the Ottawa Valley. Algonquin College is one of the largest colleges in Ontario and our vision is to be a global leader in digitally-connected applied education and training. Algonquin College has a diverse population of 20,000 full-time students and more than 36,000 part-time registrations in more than 180 programs. Our mission is to transform hopes and dreams into skills and knowledge, leading to lifelong career success.

The Board of Governors welcomes candidates interested in joining the Board. The Board of Governors is comprised of seventeen individuals: 12 external Governors who reflect and represent the stakeholders of the local community served by the College, four internal Governors representing Students, Faculty, Support Staff and Administrative Staff, and the President of the College. Each board of governor of an Ontario college of applied arts and technology is responsible for the governance of the college. To that end, a governor is accountable to the students, employers, and communities the college serves and for ensuring that it is effectively and appropriately managed to achieve its established mandate and to provide needed programs and services to students and other stakeholders.

**How to apply**

You may indicate your interest in positions on the Board of Governors by completing the attached application form and emailing it, along with a recent résumé to the contact below.

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Alternatively, you may submit an application directly to the Public Appointments Secretariat at:

<http://www.pas.gov.on.ca/scripts/en/Home.asp>. Applications submitted through the Public Appointments Secretariat are forwarded to Algonquin College periodically, and may not fall within the Board’s regular recruitment timeline of January to April.

**Governor Candidate Application Form**

Thank you for your interest in serving as a Governor of Algonquin College. Please review the Board skills matrix attached to consider the characteristics and skillsets required of Governors. Nominations are held in the strictest confidence, and as a result, the Governance & Nominating Committee does not disclose the status of nominations.

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| Name |  |
| Title |  |
| Organization |  |
| Home Address |  |
| Phone numbers |  |
| Email |  |
| Why are you interested in serving on the Board of Governors for Algonquin College? |  |
| Please refer to the skills matrix and highlight how your application meets any of the desired skillset, attributes and experiences we seek at this time. |  |
| Please identify any known connection to Algonquin College (alumni etc.) |  |
| Please identify any personal organizational relationship(s) that may create a conflict, or appearance of conflict of interest with service on the Algonquin College Board of Governors. |  |

Please attach a current résumé or a brief biographical sketch, as well as completed **Board of Governors Candidate Self-Reflection.**

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Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Please forward the completed Governor Candidate Application Form and Board of Governors Candidate Self-Reflection in confidence to [tiquisv@algonquincollege.com](mailto:tiquisv@algonquincollege.com) or by mail:

Algonquin College Board of Governors

Governance & Nominating Committee

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*Accessible versions of these materials are available upon request.*

**Board of Governors Candidate Self-Reflection**

The Algonquin College Board of Governorsaims to have a composition of members with diverse skills, experiences, and perspectives that reflect our strategic priorities, our community, and our values.

***Please complete this form electronically. The “Comments” section is on page 2.***

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| **Please identify the skills and industry experiences you would bring to the Board, if selected.** | | | |
| **Skills** | | **Industries** | |
| Governance  Organizational leadership (small/medium enterprise)  Organizational leadership (large organization)  Entrepreneurship  Government relations  Community relations  Quality Assurance  Information management/technology services  Business transformation  Financial management and investments  Fundraising  International Business  Legal/risk management  Human resources and organizational development  Marketing and Public Relations  Project management  Environmental sustainability  Social sustainability  Other *(please describe in Comments section)* | | Information and Communication Technology  Telecommunications  Mechanical / Mechatronics / Manufacturing / Robotics  Arts and Design  Business, Administration, Management, Marketing  Human Resources  Finance / Accounting  Community and Social Services  Construction and Skilled Trades  Forestry  Culinary, Hospitality and Tourism  Outdoor Programming, Sports & Recreation  Education (adult/post-secondary)  Education (elementary or secondary)  Environmental and Applied Sciences  Biotech / Life Sciences  Clean Tech  Government/Non-profit  Health Care / Health Sciences / Veterinary  Media and Communications  Public Safety, Justice and Legal Studies  Transportation (Automotive, Aviation)  Other *(please describe in Comments section)* | |
| **Please identify the perspectives you would bring to the Board, if selected. *(Optional)*** | | | |
| Indigenous Peoples  Equity-deserving group (women/non-binary, identify as Racialized, Black, and/or People of colour) | 2SLGBTQ+  Neurodiversity  People with disabilities  Regional/rural communities | | International/global  Alumnus  Other |
| **Member Comments *(Optional)***  Please provide any additional comments related to your skills, experience, and perspectives that you think would help the selection committee assess your qualifications as a prospective Board Member and suitability for an interview. You can also simply refer to specific sections of your resume to provide additional information. | | | |