

Are you passionate about youth empowerment and developing the leaders of tomorrow?

Apply to become a member of our Board of Directors.

Our volunteer Board of Directors governs the BC & Yukon Division of The Duke of Edinburgh's International Award program in Canada. We are a registered charity guided by the standards of The Award and best practices in non-profit governance. We welcome applications from individuals living in BC & Yukon and from diverse backgrounds, skill sets, and experience.

Community members interested in joining our Board of Directors are asked to submit a CV and Letter of Interest to the organization through our Executive Director Sushil Saini at ssaini@dukeofed.org or mail to: 4086 Shelbourne Street, Victoria BC, V8N 4P6

- Our Nominating and Governance Committee will review applications and follow up with each applicant. The process for recruitment will include in-person interviews with Board Members.
- Successful candidates must meet the minimum requirements set in the Societies Act for service on non-profit society Boards of Directors, as well as fit with the identified priorities areas set by the Board that are listed below.
- Appointments to the Board are normally made at the Annual General Meeting held each spring, although appointments can be made at any time of year if there is space and need on the Board.

Board Membership Priorities

In 2018 the Board of Directors identified the following skills sets and areas of experience as priorities for our Board as a whole (listed alphabetically and not by order of importance.) Please highlight those areas that apply in your Letter of Interest, as well as your personal interests and experience you feel are relevant.

- Communication, Public Relations, Marketing
- Complementary Assets through community contacts in various communities including business, government, etc...
- Executive Leadership
- Finance, Accounting, and/or Auditing
- Fundraising
- Human Resources Management
- Legal or Regulatory
- Not-for-Profit Board & Governance Experience
- Policy Development
- Risk Management
- Strategic & Change Management
- Strategic Planning
- Technological Familiarity (ability to use standard technology platforms for organizations such as Dropbox, Office Suite etc...)
- Youth & Youth Issues Knowledge/Experience

