

CALL FOR NOMINATIONS FOR DISTINGUISHED ALUMNUS/ALUMNA AWARD 2026

The Distinguished Alumnus/Alumna Award is an important form of recognition offered by Selkirk College. This award (along with the Honorary Diploma and the Distinguished Educator Award) is granted by the Board of Governors to recognize persons who have distinguished themselves by their significant contributions to the college and/or by professional accomplishments in their field and whose excellence will reflect positively upon the institution.

The Distinguished Alumnus/Alumna Awards are provided to previous students of Selkirk College. Nominees shall not be current members of the College Board, current employees or students of Selkirk College, or individuals with direct political, legal or budgetary authority over the college.

Criteria for the awarding of a Distinguished Alumnus/Alumna Award include:

1. Outstanding achievement in their field of endeavour.
2. Achievements that reflect well on Selkirk College, its mission, vision and values.
3. Outstanding contributions to their community.

Procedures and Timelines:

Any member of the college community may nominate an individual to receive a Distinguished Alumnus/Alumna Award.

The nomination deadline for this year is 4:00 p.m., Thursday, February 12, 2026. Please email this completed nomination form to Catherine Harder at charder@selkirk.ca before the deadline. A selection committee will review the nominations and recommend an award recipient to the Board. The Board will review the Committee's recommendations for approval during the March 24, 2026 Board meeting. There will be a maximum of one Distinguished Alumnus/Alumna Award annually.

Board Award recipients will be invited to receive their award at the May 21, 2026 Convocation Ceremony on the Castlegar Campus. They will be featured in an article shared with the college community.

NOMINEE'S INFORMATION

Name: _____

Email Address: _____

Phone number: _____

Please explain why the nominee is deserving of the award, based on the criteria outlined above.

Please share the nominee’s biographical summary, highlighting their accomplishments.

CO-NOMINATORS INFORMATION (minimum two nominators)

Names: _____

Email Addresses: _____

Date Submitted: _____

Letters of support are welcome but not required.