



Lifetime Membership Policy and Nomination Form

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In order to mark significant contributions to the profession of chiropractic and to work related to the aims of the College of Chiropractic Sciences (Canada), the CCS(C) is pleased to offer “Lifetime Membership” to selected Fellows. A maximum of one Lifetime Membership may potentially be awarded annually, and in some years no such appointment may be awarded. Appointments are made solely at the discretion of the Board.

To be eligible to be considered for lifetime membership, a Fellow must be an active member of the CCS(C) for a minimum of 25 years. In addition, lifetime membership shall be awarded based heavily on an appraisal of the nominee’s level of service to the CCS(C) using the criteria outlined below. Twenty-five years service is the minimum gateway for consideration however it is not the only criteria to be made a Lifetime Member.

Fellows are permitted to nominate themselves. Should this be a self-nomination, please attach your Curriculum Vitae (CV) along with this nomination form. If you are nominating a colleague, the Board will contact the nominee directly to inform them that they have been nominated, and to request their CV.

To assist the Board, please provide any information you feel is appropriate to validate the nomination. Once the information regarding the nominee has been reviewed, the Board of Directors will conduct a vote on whether to award a Lifetime Membership.

All nomination forms and correspondence should be directed to the Executive Director of CCS(C) at amacdonald@pathfinder-group.com

NOMINEE: _____

Years in practice: _____

Years of active membership: _____ years (minimum 25 years)

Justification submitted by the nominee: __Yes __No

Submission completed by: _____

Three areas of service to the CCS(C)

The nominee must have an outstanding contribution in at least one of these areas or some contributions in multiple areas, which amounts to outstanding service to the CCS(C) and the chiropractic profession as a whole.

1. Contribution to the chiropractic profession

Involvement in governing bodies

Political involvement

Authority figure in the healthcare community

Administrative positions in institutions/organizations

Medicolegal expertise, consultancy

Awards and recognitions

2. Contribution in chiropractic research and scholarly activities

Publications (research papers, textbook, etc.)

Grantsmanship

Conference involvement (organisation, presentations, etc.)

Research chair program involvement (role _____ & where _____ & when _____)

Teaching (number of years, which institution(s):

3. Contribution to CCS

Service as a Board member (number of years)

Committee involvement (name of committee(s))

Mentoring of students, scientists and residents

Promoter and ambassador of the CCS(C)

Other significant contribution worth mentioning:

Comments in support of the nomination: