



Date: April 18, 2018

To: Senate

From: Ms. Shelagh Rogers, Chair
Senate Committee on Honorary Degrees and Other Forms of Recognition

Re: **2017/2018 Annual Report**

During the 2017/18 academic year, the Senate Committee on Honorary Degrees and Other Forms of Recognition met on September 27, 2017 and March 23, 2018. The committee considered and approved candidates for honorary degrees. The committee's recommendations were considered and approved by Senate at its November 3, 2017 meeting. Recommendations will also be presented to Senate at its May 4, 2018 meeting.

As in previous years, the committee sent out two requests to the university community for honorary degree nominations. The requests had deadlines in September 2017 and March 2018. The committee encourages members of Senate to suggest worthy nominees for consideration and, in particular, candidates who have a connection to British Columbia and people of minority and diverse backgrounds who might otherwise escape the attention of the committee.

Respectfully submitted,
2017/18 Senate Committee on Honorary Degrees
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