



**Date:** April 16, 2019

**To:** Senate

**From:** Senate Committee on Honorary Degrees and Other Forms of Recognition

**Re:** **2018/2019 Annual Report**

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During the 2018/19 academic year, the Senate Committee on Honorary Degrees and Other Forms of Recognition met on September 25, 2018 and March 26, 2019. The committee considered and approved candidates for honorary degrees. The committee's recommendations were considered and approved by Senate at its November 2, 2019 meeting. Recommendations will also be presented to Senate at its May 3, 2019 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 2018 and March 2019. 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,

**2018/19 Senate Committee on Honorary Degrees**

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