



Date: April 20, 2022
To: Senate
From: Senate Committee on Honorary Degrees and Other Forms of Recognition
Re: **2021/2022 Annual Report**

During the 2021/22 academic year, the Senate Committee on Honorary Degrees and Other Forms of Recognition met on March 29, 2022, to consider candidates for honorary degrees. As the committee did not meet in the fall, there were no recommendations made to Senate at its November meeting. Any committee recommendations from the March meeting will be presented to Senate on May 6, 2022.

Due to the pandemic and the number of recipients awaiting a celebration at a convocation ceremony, the committee sent limited solicitations for degree nominations. Due to the pandemic, there are a number of recipients still awaiting a celebration at an in-person convocation ceremony. A ceremony to honour these graduates, and a number of honorary degree recipients, will be held this June.

The committee encourages Senate members to suggest worthy nominees for consideration and, in particular, candidates who have a connection to British Columbia, people of minority groups, and those with diverse backgrounds who might otherwise escape the committee's attention.

Respectfully submitted,

2021/2022 Senate Committee on Honorary Degrees and Other Forms of Recognition

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