# **COMMITMENT PLEDGE**

# WATERLOO | ENGINEERING

As a member of the Faculty of Engineering at the University of Waterloo, I commit to upholding the four principles of community, responsibility, innovation, and excellence.

## **Community:**

I will actively foster a supportive, inclusive, and collaborative environment within my academic, personal, and professional circles.

I will empower and uplift my peers and colleagues, working to create a diverse and equitable community through active listening, respectful learning, and embracing authentic and compassionate relationships.

### **Responsibility:**

I will act with integrity, upholding the ethical standards of honesty, respect, and accountability in all that I do.

I will aspire to make a meaningful and positive impact on society and the land, recognizing that my decisions, actions, and stewardship will impact current and future generations.

#### Innovation:

I will embrace a spirit of curiosity, of lifelong learning and unlearning.

I will aspire to continuously seek out solutions to the challenges facing our world, recognizing, and building on the work of those who have come before me.

I will embrace diverse perspectives and alternative approaches to problem-solving and challenge the status quo.

#### **Excellence:**

I aspire to excellence in all my endeavours and will cultivate a growth mindset.

I aspire to maintain humility, understanding that developing and improving my skills is essential to achieving personal excellence.

I recognize the value of a healthy balance in my personal, academic, and professional life. I will work to maintain this balance and support others to preserve their balance and ask for support when I recognize the need.

With my mark, I commit to upholding these four principles and to being an honourable member of the University of Waterloo Faculty of Engineering community.

My mark

My name