

Nominations or Expressions of Interest for the Board of Governors, St. Jerome's University

St. Jerome's University in the University of Waterloo is seeking volunteers to fill vacancies on our Board of Governors commencing September 2025 for a three-year period.

The successful candidates will be part of the Board that governs St. Jerome's University in alignment with our mission and vision.

Our Board benefits from the broad experience of its members and seeks individuals who are familiar with working in diverse and complex environments. Demonstrated experience or expertise in areas such as finance and accounting, law, governance, human resources and labour relations are among the experiences that would contribute to the strength of our Board. Familiarity with catholic values and traditions is expected of all board members.

Board members are committed to serving St. Jerome's University through membership on one of its four (4) standing committees, and by attending Board meetings, briefings, and workshops as necessary. In addition, the Board provides opportunities and encourages its members to assume leadership role(s) within the Board. Additional Information about St. Jerome's University and our Board can be found on our <u>website</u>.

St. Jerome's University and the University of Waterloo reside and operate on the traditional territory of the Attawandaron, Anishinaabeg, and Haudenosaunee peoples. The University is situated on the Haldimand Tract, the land Frederick Haldimand granted to the Haudenosaunee of the Six Nations of the Grand River in 1784 that includes 10 kilometers on both sides of the Grand River and extends from its source to Lake Erie.

St. Jerome's University is a publicly funded Roman Catholic university federated with the University of Waterloo. The University is committed to promoting diversity, advancing equity, and fostering a culture of inclusion and belonging within the University community. Building an inclusive community with a shared purpose is something that St. Jerome's prioritizes. We believe it is important for our Board to reflect on the diversity of our students and community. The University seeks qualified candidates who share our commitment to equity and inclusion, who will contribute to the diversification of ideas and perspectives, and especially welcomes applications from indigenous (First Nations, Métis or Inuit) peoples, members of racialized communities, persons with disabilities, women, and persons who identify as 2SLGBTQIA+. Per the St. Jerome's University Act of Incorporation, this position requires candidates to be a Canadian citizen. Applicants requiring accommodation to participate in the hiring process should contact Grace Nandi at the email listed below to communicate accommodation needs.

How to Apply

Individuals interested in applying should submit an up-to-date résumé, as well as a letter of introduction highlighting their reasons for seeking membership on our Board. Please submit applications by email to Grace Nandi (grace.nandi@uwaterloo.ca), Executive Assistant to the President and the Board of Governors at BOGRecruitment@sju.ca.

Applications will be considered by the Board of Governors' Governance and Nominations Committee until **March 31**, **2025**. Prospective candidates will be invited for an interview in the spring. Please note that only short-listed candidates will be contacted.