

## Volunteer Canada Board of Directors Application Form

Volunteer Canada is seeking individuals to join its Board of Directors and Committees. This is an exciting opportunity to provide leadership and vision in building volunteerism in Canada.

The Volunteer Canada board aims to represent the diversity of all Canadians. We evaluate all applications based upon a number of criteria: geographic representation, gender, experience, cultural and linguistic diversity and value and passion that can be brought to a national board that promotes voluntary service, inclusion and positive social change.

If you are interested in becoming involved, please complete this Application Form and forward it along with your current resume to Jackie Hunt, Chair of the Nominations Committee at [nomination@volunteer.ca](mailto:nomination@volunteer.ca)

### Candidate:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/Town: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: (Bus) \_\_\_\_\_ (Mobile) \_\_\_\_\_ (Home) \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

### Background information:

1. Are you interested in a Board Position, or a Committee position? (check all that apply)

- Board of Directors     Fundraising Committee     Public Policy Committee  
 Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Committee

2. Why are you interested in serving on the Volunteer Canada Board of Directors?

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3. Please tell us about your experience in governance or working with Boards of Directors.

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4. Please indicate which of the following skill sets you would bring to the Board of Directors. By skill, we mean direct professional experience, or senior volunteer leadership experience.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Volunteer/Citizen Engagement         | <input type="checkbox"/> Corporate Relation       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Government Relations                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Public Policy / Advocacy |
| <input type="checkbox"/> PR / Media Relations/ Communications | <input type="checkbox"/> Information Technology   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Human Resources                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Resource Development     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Research                             | <input type="checkbox"/> Labour Relations         |

5. We are recruiting individuals who have contacts or relationships that could be leveraged to enhance Volunteer Canada's mission and objectives. Please indicate which of the following areas of influence you would bring to the Board.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Resource Development  | <input type="checkbox"/> Municipal Government          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Business and Industry | <input type="checkbox"/> Federal Government            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Provincial Government | <input type="checkbox"/> Non-profit / Voluntary Sector |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Media / Advertising   |  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Labour                |  |

6. Is there anything else you would like to tell us?

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7. Do you belong to or have personal connections or experience working with any of the following communities; First Nations, Black, Youth, LGBTQIA, seniors, new Canadians/refugees, or people with intellectual disabilities.

- No    Yes

**References:** Please provide names and contact information of two individuals who are familiar with your experience.

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: (Bus) \_\_\_\_\_ (Cell) \_\_\_\_\_ (Home) \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: (Bus) \_\_\_\_\_ (Cell) \_\_\_\_\_ (Home) \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please attach a copy of your current resume. (or provide a weblink to a LinkedIn or other professional bio posted online) Thank you for completing this form.** (Ver 10/2021)