



 dawnCanada.net

 1-866-396-0074

 info@dawnCanada.net

 469, rue Jean Talon Ouest
#215, Montréal, QC H3N 1R4

Are you a change maker?

Are you a woman or gender-diverse individual who is passionate about disability justice and human rights? Do you want to speak truth to power? Then we would love to meet you.

Call for Nominations to DAWN Canada's Board of Directors

DisAbled Women's Network of Canada (DAWN) is a feminist cross-disability human rights organization that works to address systems of oppression.

We are looking to recruit talented women and gender-diverse people who identify as disabled or Deaf to join our Board of Directors. We encourage applications from women and gender-diverse people who are active leaders in their community, who are passionate about social justice, and who understand and advocate for the lived realities of women with disabilities and Deaf women in Canada. We are especially interested in the perspectives of Black, Indigenous and/or 2SLGBTQIAP+ individuals.

Currently, we are looking for board members from British Columbia, Yukon, Northwest Territories, Saskatchewan, Manitoba, Ontario, Prince Edward Island, Nova Scotia and Quebec.

What is the role of board members?

The role of board members is to provide strategic counsel and guidance to the CEO, govern and manage the affairs of the Corporation including financial management of the organization, and support the DAWN team as we work towards our 40th year in service in 2025!

Why does it matter?

According to the latest figures from Statistics Canada, 30 per cent of women across this country live with a disability. Moreover, rates for Black, Indigenous, and 2SLGBTQ+ women, as well as gender-diverse individuals with disabilities, rise even higher—easily reaching 35 per cent — as intersecting forms of oppression and discrimination increase rates of disability.

Read more: <https://www.ipolitics.ca/opinions/too-many-women-still-left-behind-this-international-womens-day>

How to apply to join DAWN Canada's Board of Directors?

If you would like to apply, please send us an email at board@dawnCanada.net by May 19, 2024 with your resume or biography, along with a statement of interest.

DisAbled Women's Network of Canada

Réseau d'action des femmes handicapées