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The EdCan Network Announces its 2019-2020 Board of Directors and Advisory Council

This pan-Canadian network of leaders from the K-12, post-secondary, not-for-profit and corporate sectors share a commitment to supporting the thousands of courageous educators working tirelessly to ensure that all students discover their place, purpose and path.

TORONTO —October 1, 2019 — As the leading independent national voice in Canadian K-12 education, the EdCan Network is pleased to announce that the following leaders were elected to serve on the EdCan Network’s 2019–2020 Board of Directors:

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Denise Andre , Chair Director of Education, Ottawa Catholic District School Board, Ottawa, ON
Yves Saint-Maurice , Vice-Chair Lecturer, Université Laval, Quebec City, QC
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Darren Googoo , Past Chair Director of Education, Membertou First Nation, Membertou, NS
Rob Adley Vice President, Solutions & Technology, Hewlett Packard Enterprise (Canada), Mississauga, ON
Dr. Michele Jacobsen Professor, Learning Sciences, Werklund School of Education, University of Calgary, Calgary, AB
Eric M. Roher Partner, Education, Borden Ladner Gervais LLP (BLG), Toronto, ON
Dean Shareski Community Manager, Discovery Education Canada, Moose Jaw, SK

The EdCan Network Advisory Council provides a forum for expression of countrywide issues and trends in education and advises the Board on the direction and priorities for the Network. Council members provide visibility and act as advocates for the EdCan Network within their respective professional communities. They are drawn from all regions of the country and serve a three-year term, which may be renewable for a second three-year term.

The following individuals will serve on the EdCan Network’s 2019–2020 Advisory Council:



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<p>Rob Adley* Vice President, Solutions & Technology, Hewlett Packard Enterprise (Canada), Mississauga, ON</p>
<p>David Allnutt Consultant, Montreal, QC</p>
<p>Denise Andre*, Chair Director of Education, Ottawa Catholic District School Board, Ottawa, ON</p>
<p>Lyne-Chantal Boudreau Professeure en administration de l'éducation et chercheure, Université de Moncton (campus de Shippagan) Shippigan, NB</p>
<p>Curtis Brown Superintendent, South Slave Divisional Education Council, Fort Smith, NWT</p>
<p>Rob Buttars Director General, New Frontiers School Board, Châteauguay, QC</p>
<p>Dr. Steve Cardwell Associate Vice President — Academic, Kwantlen Polytechnic University, Delta, BC</p>
<p>Janice Ciavaglia Director of Education, Assembly of First Nations, Ottawa, ON</p>
<p>Steven Colpitts Assistant Deputy Ministry (Anglophone, Indigenous and cultural diversity sectors), ministère de l'Éducation et de l'Enseignement supérieur du Québec, Montréal, QC</p>
<p>Eugénie Congi Superintendent of Education, Conseil Des Écoles Catholiques du Centre-Est (CECCE), Ottawa, ON</p>
<p>Amy Coupal Chief Executive Officer, The Ontario Caregiver Organization, Toronto, ON</p>
<p>Sharon Friesen Professor, Werklund School of Education, University of Calgary, Calgary, AB</p>
<p>Shannon Fuller Assistant Deputy Minister, Strategic Policy and Planning Division, Ontario Ministry of Education</p>
<p>Darren Googoo*, Past Chair Director of Education, Membertou First Nation, Membertou, NS</p>
<p>Charlie Guy Chief People Officer, CHRE, Toronto, ON</p>
<p>Claire Guy Executive Director, BC School Superintendents Association, Vancouver, BC</p>
<p>Cassandra Hallett Secretary General, Canadian Teachers' Federation, Ottawa, ON</p>

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<p>Kevin Kaardal Superintendent of Schools/CEO, Central Okanagan Public Schools, Kelowna, BC</p>
<p>Dr. Heather Kanuka Full Professor, Faculty of Education, University of Alberta, Edmonton, AB</p>
<p>Nikhil Kumar Director, Great-West Lifeco, Winnipeg, MB</p>
<p>Normand Lessard Directeur général, Commission scolaire Beauce-Etchemin (CSBE), Saint-Georges, QC</p>
<p>Anne MacPhee*, Treasurer Consultant, Toronto, ON</p>
<p>John McLaughlin Deputy Minister, New Brunswick Department of Education and Early Childhood Development, Fredericton, NB</p>
<p>Christian Michalek Superintendent, Louis Riel School Division, Winnipeg, MB</p>
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<p>Stuart Miller Director of Education, Halton District School Board, Burlington, ON</p>
<p>Cathy Montreuil Deputy Minister, Nova Scotia Department of Education and Early Childhood Development, Halifax, NS</p>
<p>Valérie Morand Executive Director, Fédération Nationale des Conseils Scolaires Francophones (FNCSF), Ottawa, ON</p>
<p>Arlene Morell Vice President, Canadian Home and School Federation, Strathroy, ON</p>
<p>Nicole Morgan Deputy Minister, Yukon Department of Education, Whitehorse, YK</p>
<p>Darrin G. Pike Administrative Officer, Programs and Services, Newfoundland and Labrador Teachers' Association, St. John's, NL</p>
<p>Nancy Pynch-Worthylake Executive Director, Canadian School Boards Association, Wolfville, NS</p>
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For more information about these Advisory Council Members, please visit: www.edcan.ca/council

About the EdCan Network

The EdCan Network has over 125 years of experience as the leading independent national voice in Canadian K-12 education. We support over 75,000 courageous educators working tirelessly to ensure that *all* students discover their place, purpose and path. <http://www.edcan.ca>

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