

WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE A CANADIAN MIDWIFERY LEADER?

ARE YOU LOOKING TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN THE MIDWIFERY PROFESSION?

CALL FOR NOMINATIONS FOR CAM EXECUTIVE POSITIONS: VICE PRESIDENT

The Canadian Association of Midwives welcomes your nominations (and/or YOUR candidature) for the executive position of **Vice President** to be appointed by the CAM board during our upcoming annual board meetings October 14 to 16, 2020 via Zoom and term to begin following the CAM AGM November 4th, 2020.

Please find enclosed a description of the roles, responsibilities, and terms of office as well as the appropriate nomination forms.

WHAT THIS OPPORTUNITY MEANS....

CAM is a rapidly growing organization with an increasing profile as the national voice for Canadian midwives. Being on the CAM Executive means having a very significant role in leading and advocating for the midwifery profession. You (or the person you nominate) will be directly involved in the discussions, decisions and policies that shape the current and future directions of midwifery across the country.

Working with CAM in an executive role offers a tremendous opportunity to represent your profession at the national and international level - to promote the principles and interests of midwifery, weigh in on the major issues of maternity and newborn care, and influence governments, other health professions and the public. Strong, inspiring CAM leadership is a key part of the growth and development of midwifery in Canada.

If you are interested in a CAM Executive position and feel that you have the skills and abilities for this vital role - or if you know someone else who does - please give it your consideration.

It's exciting, dynamic and extremely worthwhile work to be a member of the CAM Executive. We welcome your nominations!

**Canadian Association of Midwives
CALL FOR NOMINATIONS FOR VICE PRESIDENT**

Position Title: Vice President

Term: November 2020 to November 2022

The Vice President is a member of the Executive and Board of Directors of the Canadian Association of Midwives. The Vice President works closely with the CAM President and the CAM Executive. The Vice President's term is two years.

Role and Responsibilities:

- Actively participate in meetings of the Board and of the Executive committee;
- Participate in establishing overall long and short term goals, objectives and priorities for CAM in meeting the needs of the membership.
- Assist the President in overseeing projects, committee activities and managing correspondence, media requests and other CAM business;
- Fulfill President position in the absence of the President at Board or Executive meetings;
- Contribute to working groups and projects as needed.

The volunteer time commitment expected of the Vice President includes attendance at regular Board video conference meetings (every 6 weeks), regular Executive meetings (every 6 weeks), CAM Annual General Meetings and Board Intensive meetings. Expenses incurred in performing CAM duties are covered by CAM.

The successful candidate for the Vice President position must be a member of CAM. The candidate must have excellent organizational and communication skills, and a strong commitment to the purposes of CAM as the national organization representing the profession of midwifery.

Nominations must be emailed by October 12th, 2020

For additional information or questions with respect to this position,
contact the CAM office at 514-807-3668

Contact Information:

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NOMINATION FORM - BOARD VICE PRESIDENT
Term: November 2020 to November 2022

I, _____, nominate _____ for the position of Board Treasurer with the Canadian Association of Midwives for the term of November 2020 to November 2022.

Signature of Nominator Date

Signature of Nominee Date

Nominator Contact Information:

Nominator Address:	
Nominator E-mail:	
Nominator Phone:	

Nominee Contact Information:

Nominee Address:	
Nominee E-mail:	
Nominee Phone:	

In accepting this nomination, the nominee acknowledges the duties and terms of the position and, if appointed, commits to performing them to the best of their ability.

Note: Provincial/territorial associations to which CAM Executive members belong are not responsible for any expenses incurred through their executive duties with CAM. Participation on the CAM Executive is funded by the Canadian Association of Midwives.

Please include with this nomination form a brief biography describing the nominee’s experience, skills and philosophy, along with a letter outlining their interest in the position and how they envision contributing to CAM and the development of midwifery in Canada.

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