



Henry Bernick Medal Award Nomination

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The Henry Bernick Medal commemorates the qualities of its namesake, Henry Bernick. Henry was a strong and principled man, a mentor and teacher, businessman and philanthropist. He was a friend and supporter of Georgian College and his donation allowed for the creation of the Henry Bernick Entrepreneurship Centre. It is the intention of the Awards Committee to present up to three medals per year to deserving recipients across three distinct categories: Student Entrepreneur, Community Entrepreneur and Entrepreneurs' Champion. Awards will only be presented in each category if there is a worthy nominee in the opinion of the committee.

Nomination information

The completed nomination form must be submitted to hbec@georgiancollege.ca under the Subject: "Medal Nomination" no later than May 31, 2016 to be considered by the Awards Committee. The form can be found on the website at GeorgianCollege.ca/HBEC

Third party letters of support for the nomination may also be submitted along with this completed nomination form. Letters of support are greatly encouraged and are at the discretion of the nominator. The letters of support should explain why the nominee merits the award and specifically relate the nominee's background to the award criteria. Please also submit any letters of support in Word format to the email address listed above.

Receipt of each nomination will be confirmed by e-mail. Please follow up with Chantalle.Freeborough@georgiancollege.ca if you do not receive a confirmation.

Award categories

Student Entrepreneurial Award

To be awarded to a student who has been enrolled in a program at Georgian College during 2015/16. This student entrepreneur will have exhibited exceptional achievements in an entrepreneurial initiative that has realized or shows potential for success in a commercial, social, educational, cultural or environmental venture.

Community Entrepreneurial Award

To be awarded to an entrepreneur(s) at the helm of a small business of less than 25 employees who has benefited from the services provided by the Henry Bernick Entrepreneurship Centre. The entrepreneur will have shown their resilience and fortitude in overcoming obstacles and difficulties to ensure a secure and growing success.

Entrepreneurs' Champion Award

To be awarded to a person or organization who works to help entrepreneurs be successful. Through fostering, nurturing and encouraging entrepreneurs, they will be distinguished by their insight, reach and success stories, but most importantly, by the example they set through their own actions and the unwavering support they offer.