Board of Governors’ Award of Distinction – Honorary Diploma

Please complete this form and email it to boardofgovernors@georgiancollege.ca, along with the scanned signature page. The deadline each year is the second Friday in February. Inquiries regarding the awards may be directed to the Office of the Board of Governors at 705.728.1968, ext. 1252.

**Purpose:** To honour external candidates who have made a major contribution to an academic program at Georgian.

The award consists of a framed diploma and a citation, and will be presented at an appropriate convocation or board event. Under exceptional circumstances, the award will be presented posthumously or in absentia. If there are no eligible candidates in a given year, the award will not be granted.

**Eligibility**

Nominees will:

* have demonstrated excellence in their profession/industry
* be highly regarded by their peers/colleagues
* have made a major contribution to an academic program at Georgian through a significant contribution of expertise, influence and personal time

**Submission guidelines:** Please include key information that will enable the Recognition Committee to distinguish your nomination from others. Do not alter this form in any way.

A separate signature page must be signed by three individuals: 1) the nominator; 2) an individual from within and/or outside of the same academic area/department as the nominator; and 3) an individual from another academic area/department. Please scan and attach the completed form, along with this submission.

# Nomination form

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| **Name of the nominee:** |  |
| **Nominator:** |  |
| **Co-nominators (2):** |  |

Please provide a brief description (max. 150 words) of the nominee’s contributions in each of the following areas. If you exceed word count, your nomination may be disqualified. Bullet points are acceptable.

The Recognition Committee will evaluate each section out of 3 – fully met (3), met (2) or somewhat met (1). They will use these scores to help rank submissions in this award category.

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| **Demonstrated excellence in their profession/industry** | /3 |
| **Highly regarded by their peers/colleagues** | /3 |
| **Demonstrated commitment to the values of the college** | /3 |
| **Made a major contribution to an academic program at Georgian through a significant contribution of expertise, influence and personal time** | /3 |
| **TOTAL** | /12 |
| **Additional background information to support the nomination, if relevant** |  |