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PRESS RELEASE

2021 IPAC Edmonton Award Nominees

Each year, IPAC Edmonton offers awards open to public servants across Alberta. The IPAC Edmonton Awards aim to celebrate public servants and public service through meaningful awards that highlight achievement and contribution from public servants at various stages of their careers.

IPAC Edmonton congratulates those nominated for 2021 IPAC Awards.

Award for Administrative Professional Excellence Nominees

- Donna Kormos, Canada Revenue Agency (Award Recipient)
- Abra Palmer, Government of Alberta, Education (Nominee)
- Darcy Bedyk, Government of Alberta, Community and Social Services (Nominee)
- Jerrika Viney-Stecyk, Government of Alberta, Justice and Solicitor General (Nominee)
- Lindsey Schellenberg, Government of Alberta, Justice and Solicitor General (Nominee)
- Sandra Denholm, Government of Alberta, Justice and Solicitor General (Nominee)
- Terrilyn Lefebvre, City of Edmonton (Nominee)

New Public Servant Award for Emerging Excellence Nominees

- Jason R. Wang, Government of Alberta, Environment and Parks (Award Recipient)

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Award for Innovative Management Nominees

- Government of Alberta, Labour and Immigration COVID Question Machine Team (Award Recipient)
 - Team members: Mark Rice (team lead), Deborah Goodwin, Grace Bowditch, Diane Radnoff, Sunny Gurbani, Catherine Ritchie, Kelly Mullane, Pearl Siganporia, Bina Patel, Thomas Kamm, Aziz Ahmad, Alex Greenshields, Fazal Hussein, Matthew Rogerson, Ann Laing, Xiangning Fan
- Canada Revenue Agency Public Service Body Audit Team, Canada Revenue Agency (Nominee)
 - Team members: Bill Poon (Team Leader), Shyehana Goonewardena, Anne Guseva, Rebekka Horne, Faye Huang, Moneek Nagra, Patrizia Moniz, Taranpreet Saini, Erin Sheard, Rachael Simpson and Richard Tar

New Public Servant Award for Excellence Nominees

- Anne Winkler, Government of Alberta, Justice and Solicitor General (Award Recipient)

Award for Operations Excellence Nominees

- Don Wehlage, Government of Alberta, Environment and Parks (Award Recipient)
- Cynthia Pillay, Government of Alberta, Advanced Education (Nominee)
- Lindsay McLaren, Government of Alberta, Environment and Parks (Nominee)

Award for Policy Excellence Nominees

- Carol Forster, Western Economic Diversification Canada (Award Recipient)
- Gisela Kwok, Government of Alberta, Community and Social Services (Nominee)
- Joanna Rowan, Government of Alberta, Children's Services (Nominee)
- Yogi Subramonian, City of Edmonton (Nominee)

Award for Public Sector Analysis and Research Nominees

- Post-Secondary Education Demand Model team, Government of Alberta, Advanced Education (Award Recipient)
 - Team members: Breanna Fisher (team lead), Dino Roppo, Rob Acker, Krishna Modupalli, Stephanie Chen, Susana Giron, Steve Alas