



VICTORIA UNIVERSITY
IN THE UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO

CHANCELLOR NOMINATION FORM

Deadline for the submission of this nomination form and all supporting documentation is **Friday, January 9, 2026**. Please forward to:

Anwar Kazimi, Secretary to the Board
Victoria University
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Toronto, ON M5S 1K7
E-mail: vicu.regents@utoronto.ca

The Advisory Committee will begin meeting to consider candidates for the appointment of next Victoria University Chancellor. We encourage your participation in this important process and urge you to submit nominations for exceptional candidates. Any member of the University community is welcome to submit a nomination.

Criteria for Nominations

The Chancellor is an advocate for the vision of the University, as articulated by its President, and plays an essential role in advancing the University's interests and fostering relationships with stakeholders within the local, provincial, national and international arenas.

The ideal candidate will have an understanding of the University's distinctive mission, ethos and vision, and its commitment to foster diversity and the practices of inclusive excellence; a passion for the Victoria community and for higher education; have an excellent reputation, strong public profile, and record of achievement in their chosen profession; have demonstrated outstanding service to their community; be a skilled and compelling communicator; and have strong relationship-building skills.

Nominee Eligibility

Active faculty or staff members (including those who have retired within the past five years), current students, and members of the governing bodies of both Victoria University and the University of Toronto (including its federated universities and constituent colleges) are generally not eligible for the role. Politicians or individuals currently holding political office and members of the judiciary are typically not considered. Candidates with potential conflicts of interest, such as those with close personal or professional ties to Victoria University, may be excluded to maintain impartiality.

We require a *complete application* from the Lead Nominator including a detailed statement about how this person qualifies for the role of Chancellor. At least ONE additional letter in support of the nomination is required.

Please ensure that this form is completed as fully as possible, and that all relevant supplementary information is attached. The onus is on the lead nominator to provide sufficient information for a decision.

NOMINATION FORM

Candidate

Full Name:		Phone:
Email:		Mobile Phone:
Mailing Address:		
City:	Province:	Postal Code:

Lead Nominator *(not required if the candidate is self-nominating)*

Full Name:		Phone:
Email:		Mobile Phone:
Mailing Address:		
City:	Province:	Postal Code:
SIGNATURE:		Date:

Secondary Nominator *(not required if the candidate is self-nominating)*

Full Name:		Phone:
Email:		Mobile Phone:
Mailing Address:		
City:	Province:	Postal Code:
SIGNATURE:		Date:

Required Supporting Documents:

1. Please attach a letter of nomination for the candidate or letter of interest *(for self-nominating candidate)*, including the following:

- Education *(institutions, degrees, years received)*
- Employment / Professional Activities
- Community Service
- Awards and Honors

Letter of nomination *(from the Lead Nominator)*, letter of support *(from the Secondary Nominator)* and letter of interest *(from Self-Nominating Candidate)* must include a brief description of the most significant aspects of accomplishments of the candidate that can serve as a brief citation if the candidate is selected for the position.

2. Attach a copy of the candidate's curriculum vitae

Or

Attach a statement of the candidate's biographical information

A completed application, a letter of nomination by the lead nominator, *and* a letter of support from a secondary nominator is required to complete the package.

Additional letters of support are welcome and can either be attached or submitted separately. Please provide the names and contact details for any additional nominators:

Additional Nominator 1

Full Name:		Phone:	
Email:		Mobile Phone:	
Mailing Address:			
City:	Province:	Postal Code:	
SIGNATURE:		Date:	

Additional Nominator 2

Full Name:		Phone:	
Email:		Mobile Phone:	
Mailing Address:			
City:	Province:	Postal Code:	
SIGNATURE:		Date:	

CHANCELLOR NOMINATION CHECKLIST

- ☐ Completed Nomination Form
- ☐ Lead Nominator's Letter of Nomination
(not required if the candidate is self-nominating)
- ☐ Secondary Nominator's Letter of Support
(not required if the candidate is self-nominating)
- ☐ Candidate's Letter of Interest
(required if the candidate is self-nominating)
- ☐ Candidate's Curriculum Vitae *or* Statement of Biographical Information
- ☐ Additional Letters of Support (optional)