Fleming College



Board of Governors | Opportunity

A tremendous opportunity exists for business and community leaders to join Fleming College's Board of Governors and be part of redefining the future of post-secondary education for our local communities, Ontario, Canada and beyond. Fleming works in consultation and partnership with community members, industry, stakeholders and partners, organizations, Trent University, Colleges Ontario, the Ministry of Training Colleges and Universities, the regions that include the City of Kawartha Lakes and the City of Peterborough, Cobourg, Haliburton and beyond.

Located in the heart of Central Ontario, Fleming College has campus locations in Peterborough, Lindsay, Cobourg and Haliburton. Named for famous Canadian inventor and engineer Sir Sandford Fleming, the College features more than 100 full-time programs in Arts and Heritage, Business, Environmental and Natural Resource Sciences, General Arts and Sciences, Health and Wellness, Justice and Community Development, Skilled Trades and Technology, and Continuing Education. Fleming College has more than 6,800 full-time and 10,000 part-time students, and 74,000 alumni.

Fleming College is launching a bold five-year strategic plan; reinventing our College for our students and our communities, "*Our Fleming. Our Future.*". Fleming will stand out as an exceptional community College, offering ambitious and innovative new programming while focusing on the student experience. The strategy is the culmination of progressive and inclusive consultation with the communities served by Fleming: the students, faculty, staff, leaders, alumni, businesses and industry. Through partnerships and collaboration, Fleming is shaping education that is accessible to everyone and we are poised to make significant progress in the post-secondary education sector.

Our Vision | Creating prosperity and transforming communities through education and innovation.

Our Mission | To empower our students with the innovative education, research and real-world experiences they need to build better lives, better communities and a better world.

Fleming College is inviting applications from outstanding leaders from a variety of backgrounds to join our Board of Governors. Fleming College's Board of Governors provides oversight to the development of strategy, the stewardship of resources, and ensures accountability to the public. Collectively, Governors bring their diverse backgrounds together to consider opportunities and risks from multiple perspectives and professional disciplines, supporting effective decision-making and risk management.

Governors reflect Fleming College's values of being *responsive, innovative, collaborative, inclusive and accountable.* Each Governor works collaboratively as a Board in partnership with the President to advance Fleming's vision and mission from a strategic and governance perspective. The ideal Governor demonstrates a genuine affinity for, and commitment to, transforming post-secondary education within one of the fastest growing populations in Canada. Future Governors will have Board experience from the private, public and / or not-for-profit sectors and bring relevant functional expertise in areas such as legal, accounting, human resources, communications, risk / crisis management, regulatory entities, research, and/or technology / big data / analytics. Governance education and / or credentials such as ICD.D is an asset. A maximum of four Governors are Provincial Order in Council positions. Overall, this is an exciting volunteer opportunity for board, business and community leaders who are passionate about having a positive impact at Fleming College now and for years to come. For more information, please review our Board of Governors position profile available here: https://department.flemingcollege.ca/bog/recruitment/

How to Apply

If you are interested in further exploring this dynamic Fleming College Board of Governors opportunity, please provide:

- ▶ a detailed resume,
- cover letter; and
- completed skills matrix

to the attention of Fleming College's Board of Governors, Governance Committee c/o Sandra Armstrong directly at boardrecruitment@flemingcollege.ca by June 28th at 12:00p.m. Your cover letter should highlight your relevant experience, connecting the dots between your background and the key competencies outlined in this Position Profile and express why serving as a Governor for Fleming College resonates with you.

We look forward to exploring your candidacy and appreciate your interest and consideration to serve Fleming College and its students and communities.