



2015 GOVERNING COUNCIL ELECTIONS GRADUATE STUDENT NOMINATION FORM	
Please ensure that this form is completed in full. Failure to do so may invalidate your nomination.	
The nomination form and accompanying documentation must be submitted to the Office of the Governing Council, Simcoe Hall, 27 King's College Circle, Room 106 by Tuesday, January 13, 2015, at 5:00 p.m.	
Section I: Personal Information Please type or print legibly.	
Title: <input type="checkbox"/> Dr. <input type="checkbox"/> Ms <input type="checkbox"/> Mr.	
Surname:	First Name:
Name (as to appear on the ballot):	
Student Number:	
Campus, Faculty/College, and Department:	
Preferred Mailing Address:	
Telephone number:	Mobile telephone number:
Preferred email address:	
I, the undersigned candidate, certify that I am eligible to serve on the Governing Council of the University of Toronto, and I have consented to stand for election to that office. If elected to serve on the Governing Council, I understand that I must resign from the Council if during my term I cease to be a member of the constituency from which I was elected. I approve my 100-word statement that is attached, and I agree to the terms of and to abide by the <i>Election Guidelines 2015</i> .	
Signature:	Date:
The University of Toronto respects your privacy. Personal information that you provide to the University is collected pursuant to section 2(14) of <i>The University of Toronto Act, 1971</i> . This personal information is necessary and is collected for the purpose of administering the Governing Council elections. At all times it will be protected in accordance with the <i>Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act</i> . If you have questions, please refer to http://www.utoronto.ca/privacy or contact the Chief Returning Officer, Office of the Governing Council, at 416-978-8427.	

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Section II: Requirements

Canadian Citizenship

The University of Toronto Act, 1971, requires that members of Governing Council be Canadian citizens. This form must be accompanied by one of the following as documentary evidence of Canadian citizenship: certificate of birth in Canada; certificate of citizenship; certificate of naturalization; Canadian certificate of registration of birth abroad; certificate of retention of Canadian citizenship; valid Canadian passport; a notarized statement to the effect that the nominee is a Canadian citizen. (Note: The Office of the Governing Council will make available such a statement for signature.)

Nominee's Responsibility

It is the Nominee's responsibility to file a bona fide nomination. Errors or irregularities in these papers constitute grounds for rejection of the nomination. Errors or irregularities may be corrected prior to the close of nominations. Please refer to the *Election Guidelines 2015* for additional instructions. The Office of the Governing Council will attempt to notify candidates of the existence of any errors or irregularities during this period, but it is not bound to do so. Candidates are advised to complete and submit their nomination papers early in the nomination period.

Section III: Definitions

The definition of "**Graduate Student**" and "**Student**" below is an extract from the *Election Guidelines 2015*. It is your responsibility to ensure that you are eligible by consulting the *Election Guidelines 2015*, which provides more details for this definition and the eligibility criteria.

"Graduate Student" means a Student registered in the School of Graduate Studies.

"Student" means any person registered at the University for full-time or part-time study in a program that leads to a degree or post-secondary diploma or certificate of the University or in a program designated by the Governing Council as a program of post-secondary study at the University. The Transitional Year Program and the Millie Rotman Shime Academic Bridging Program have been designated by the Governing Council as programs of post-secondary study at the University, and, accordingly, a student in either of these programs is considered a "Student" in these *Guidelines*.

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Section IV: Candidate Statement	
<p>The nominee may submit a typed biographical statement or other comments, up to a limit of 100 words. The candidate's name will not be counted in the 100-word total if placed at the beginning of the statement. Abbreviations and acronyms will be counted as one word. The nominee's URL will not be counted in the 100 word limit and should be placed at the end of the statement. This statement will be published in the campus media and linked to the ballot on the web. If a statement exceeds 100 words in length, only the first 100 words will be printed.</p>	
<p><input type="checkbox"/> I have attached a printed copy of the candidate statement; AND</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> I have sent a copy of the same statement by email to the Chief Returning Officer (governing.council@utoronto.ca).</p>	
Section V: Nominations	
<p>Nominees for Governing Council must ensure that at least five members of their constituency sign the nomination form. Each nominator must include his/her printed full name and student number on the nomination form. Because some signatures may be declared invalid, you are encouraged to have additional nominators sign your form. PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY.</p>	
<p>Graduate Student Constituencies: Please check ONE of the following Graduate Student Constituencies to indicate the constituency in which you are seeking nomination:</p>	
<p><input type="checkbox"/> Constituency I 1 vacancy</p>	<p>All Students registered in Division I (Humanities) and Division II (Social Sciences) of the School of Graduate Studies.</p>
<p><input type="checkbox"/> Constituency II 1 vacancy</p>	<p>All Students registered in Division III (Physical Sciences) and Division IV (Life Sciences) of the School of Graduate Studies.</p>

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The Undersigned hereby nominate _____ as a candidate for election in the Graduate Student Constituency to serve for a one-year term (July 1, 2015 to June 30, 2016) on the Governing Council of the University of Toronto.

PRINTED FULL NAME	STUDENT NUMBER	SIGNATURE
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Thank you for your interest in participating in governance at the University of Toronto.