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**From:** Professor Meric Gertler, President

**Date:** Thursday, June 25, 2020

**Re:** Update on Honorary Degree Process - 2021

Normally at this time of year I would be reaching out to you, on behalf of the Committee for Honorary Degrees, to invite nominations for honorary degree recipients for the following calendar year. In light of the fact that the June 2020 in-person Convocation ceremonies were cancelled as a result of the restrictions in place due to COVID-19, we have postponed the recognition of the 2020 honorary degree recipients until June 2021 (provided that we are able to have in-person ceremonies at that time). As such, we will not be seeking nominations for 2021.

If you have any questions, please contact <u>Kristi Gourlay</u>, Secretary, Committee for Honorary Degrees.