

# Community Awards Information & Nomination Form

Presented by the Native Centre

## REV. DR. CHIEF JOHN SNOW SR. AWARD

The Native Centre wishes to acknowledge and honour a faculty member of the University of Calgary who has demonstrated dedication to academic instruction and research, with a professional and personal commitment to and about the Indigenous peoples of Canada.

### CRITERIA – Faculty member who:

1. Has demonstrated competence and knowledge about Indigenous people and culture.
2. Has shared knowledge and experience in order to inform and broaden the awareness and understanding of Indigenous people within the University of Calgary community.
3. Has worked (either through teaching or research) to create awareness and build bridges between Indigenous cultures and non-Indigenous society.
4. Has assisted Indigenous students in achieving academic success at the University of Calgary.

## DR. DOUGLAS CARDINAL AWARD

The Native Centre wishes to recognize and honour the outstanding professional achievements and community contributions of a member of the Indigenous community.

### CRITERIA: Indigenous community member who:

1. Has served as an Indigenous role model and mentor for Indigenous youth.
2. Has demonstrated commitment, dedication, and leadership in their profession.
3. Has contributed to the enhancement of the Indigenous community.

## DR. JOSEPH CROWSHOE AWARD

The Native Centre wishes to recognize and honour contributions made by an individual to the field and practice of Indigenous education in Alberta.

### CRITERIA – Individual or organization who:

1. Has advanced the field of Indigenous education through research, teaching and/or curriculum.
2. Has enhanced Indigenous learning through innovative practice in the field of education.
3. Has enhanced or created opportunities for Indigenous learners in the education system

through program development.

## **DR. RALPH STEINHAUER AWARD**

The Native Centre wishes to acknowledge and honour an individual who has made outstanding contributions to The Native Centre. This award recognizes an individual who has provided support, assisted in and dedicated their time to the activities and services of The Native Centre to ensure continued opportunities and success for Indigenous students.

### **CRITERIA – Individual who:**

1. Has shown dedication to the enhancement and success of The Native Centre.
2. Has dedicated time and/or resources to the activities and services provided by The Native Centre.
3. Has provided support and assistance to Indigenous students at the University of Calgary.

### **SELECTION:**

A selection committee consisting of the Chief and one Vice-Chief of the First Nations Student Association, two (2) members of the Graduation Committee, and two (2) staff of The Native Centre as appointed by the Director. The following criteria will be taken into consideration by the selection committee:

- Suitability of the candidate's application/nomination with the outlined award criteria;
- The overall quality and presentation of the application;
- The candidate's merit.

### **NOMINATION PACKAGE:**

- Identify the award: Dr. Ralph Steinhauer, Dr. Joseph Crowshoe, Dr. Douglas Cardinal, Rev. Dr. Chief John Snow Sr.;
- Short biography of the nominee;
- Description of eligibility/qualifications as outlined in the award criteria;
- Signature of the nominator; and
- Signature of seconder.

*\*please note the different criteria for the awards*

**AWARD NOMINATION FORM – COMMUNITY AWARDS**

**SELECT AWARD:**

- Dr. Douglas Cardinal award
- Dr. Joseph Crowshoe Award
- Rev. Dr. Chief John Snow Sr. Award
- Dr. Ralph Steinhauer Award

Date of Application: \_\_\_\_\_

**CANDIDATE INFORMATION:**

Name of Candidate: \_\_\_\_\_

Profession/Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Faculty/Business/Organization:\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

*(\*Optional)*

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, Province: \_\_\_\_\_ Post Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: Home:\_\_\_\_\_ Work:\_\_\_\_\_ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**NOMINATION INFORMATION:**

Name of Nominator: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Nominator: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Secunder: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Secunder: \_\_\_\_\_

## NOMINATION INFORMATION

1. **BIOGRAPHY: (250 words max)**

Please provide a brief biography on the candidate.

2. **SPECIFIED CRITERIA: (500 words max)**

How does the candidate meet the specified award criteria?

### **SUBMISSION INFORMATION:**

1. A nomination can be submitted by a University of Calgary Indigenous student, staff or faculty member.
2. A nomination form must be completed and submitted, either via hard copy or email, to Keeta Gladue, [kgladue@ucalgary.ca](mailto:kgladue@ucalgary.ca) or The Native Centre office MSC 393C by 4:30 PM on **Wednesday, May 17th, 2019.**
3. Previous Native Centre award recipients, current Native Centre staff and students may not be considered for community-based awards.

***These awards are presented at the Indigenous Graduation Banquet and Pow Wow on June 1, 2019.***