IAEM-Canada Members,

Nominations are being accepted from today, Monday, Apr. 1, 2019, through 5:00 pm EDT on Wednesday, Apr. 24, 2019, for the following two (2) IAEM-Canada Board Executive positions: President and Secretary.

Nominations are to include:
- Letter stating candidacy;
- A letter from the candidate’s immediate supervisor supporting the time and travel necessary to satisfactorily fulfil the requirements of the office;
- A brief resume; and
- Meet the requirements in Section 11 of the IAEM-Canada Council Bylaws.

All nominations are to be emailed to Rebecca Wade, Immediate Past President, IAEM-Canada, rebeccalwade74@gmail.com, no later than Wednesday, Apr. 24, 2019, at 5:00 p.m. EDT.

To be elected an officer, a member must meet the following requirements as outlined in the IAEM-Canada Council Bylaws:
- Be a member in good standing;
- Have been an Individual member for a minimum of one year prior to seeking office; and
- Served in the role of committee chair, or been an active committee member for one year.

In order to be placed on the ballot for election to office, the person must meet the qualifications as established in the IAEM-Canada Council Administrative Policies and Procedures.

President: This is a 2-year term commencing June 7, 2019. President shall represent IAEM-Canada in a leadership capacity that best advances the interest of IAEM and its membership. Among the President’s duties are providing support and direction to Standing and Ad Hoc committees; representing IAEM-Canada at various functions and with other organizations; chairing meetings of IAEM-Canada and Board of Directors; authorizing expenditures within budget appropriations approved by the Board of Directors; and performing such other duties as required and provided for in the Administrative Policies and Procedures. The time commitment for this position is approximately 10 hrs/month.

Secretary: This is a 2-year term commencing June 7, 2019. The Secretary shall ensure the maintenance of accurate records of the proceedings of all meetings of the membership, the Board of Directors, the Executive Committee, and perform such other duties as required by the Administrative Policies and Procedures. The time commitment for this position is approximately 10 hrs/month.

Note: Only IAEM-Canada Individual members can run for office and only IAEM Canada Individual, Affiliate and Life time members can vote in this election.

Online voting will open on Wednesday, May 1, 2019 at 9:00 am EDT, and will close on Friday, May 24, 2019, at 5:00 p.m. EDT. Election results will be released at the Annual General Meeting.

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If you have any questions or require more information, please let me know.

Cheers!

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