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The Chemical Institute of Canada (CIC) slate of Directors and Officers for 2020-2021

Prepared by: CIC Nominations Committee, chaired by Neil Burford, Past-Chair, CIC.

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The CIC Nominations Committee has proposed the following slate of candidates for election as Directors of the CIC for 2020-2021.

As a result of the “Call for Nominations” conducted prior to the AGM, there will be an election conducted during the CIC AGM for Director and the office of Treasurer, so not included below

Paul Smith, MCIC, Xerox Research Centre of Canada

Has agreed to stand as a director for a term of two (2) years if elected, and has agreed to hold the following offices during that term:

Chair 2020–2021

Past Chair 2021–2022

Paul Smith is Vice President of Xerox Corporation, the Centre director of Xerox Research Centre of Canada, and an officer of Xerox Canada NSULC. He leads the company’s Global Materials Research Centre, which is responsible for advanced materials research and development.

In partnership with the National Research Council of Canada, Smith spearheaded the creation of the Canadian Campus for Advanced Materials and Manufacturing – an exciting partnership between government and industry for leading-edge, world-class research and development in the commercialization of Advanced Materials in the field of devices for the Internet of Everything, printed electronics, additive manufacturing, automotive, aerospace and other critical sectors; pioneering an exciting field in the most exciting of times.

Smith received his PhD in the field of chemistry from the University of Bath, England in 1991 and in 2001 received an MBA from the Rotman School of Management, at the University of Toronto. He is the first chairman of the Canadian Printed Electronics Industry Association, past Chair of the Conference Board of Canada Council for Innovation and Commercialization and served on Canada’s Natural Sciences and Engineering Research Councils’ Committee on Research Partnerships.

Smith is now a named inventor on 78 U.S. patents and has 16 publications.



For Information:

Directors as appointed by the Society's of the CIC:

Deborah Nicoll-Griffith, MCIC, EndoParagon Inc. May 27, 2020 – May 28, 2020
The Canadian Society for Chemistry

Steven Holdcroft, MCIC, Simon Fraser University May 28, 2020 - 2021
The Canadian Society for Chemistry

Charles Jia, MCIC, University of Toronto May 27, 2020 – October 2020 *
The Canadian Society for Chemical Engineering
* to be succeeded by new CSChE President as per CSChE AGM in October 2020

Tony Ciarla, MCIC, Simon Fraser University May 27, 2020 – future date 2020 **
The Canadian Society for Chemical Technology
** to be succeeded by new CSCT President as per CSCT AGM 2020 to be scheduled
