



Call for candidates of the 2019 Women of Distinction Award

Reveal a Woman of Distinction!

Montreal, November 28 2018 –The Women's Y Foundation is pleased to put out a call for candidates for the 2019 Women of Distinction Awards. Now is the time to send in the name of a Woman of Distinction, to publicly acknowledge a woman working in any field whose actions have reshaped her own personal and professional world, as well as ours. Take this opportunity to shine a light on a woman you admire – friend, colleague or other – because of her leadership and her ability to motivate other women and girls.

Since 1994, the Women of Distinction Award of the Women's Y Foundation aims to: acknowledge women's role in social advancement, because they celebrate women who, through their engagement and achievements in their respective fields, are making a long-lasting and positive impact on society. The Foundation uses its added social value to support the YWCA Montreal in its mission to build a better future for women, girls and their families.

For the last 25 years, 295 remarkable women and one (1) man have been honoured by the Women's Y Foundation. In 2019: the spotlight is on inspirational women who empower those around them!

Until Friday January 25, 2019, submit a candidacy in one of the following (7) categories:

Arts, Culture and Design
Research and Innovation
Business and Entrepreneurship
Social and Environmental Engagement

Information and Education
Sport and Health/Wellness
Public Services

To present a candidacy, visit the web site: prixfemmesdemerite.com

For more information about procedures and rules, contact the Foundation:
Tel.: 514 866-9944, Email: fondation@ydesfemmesmtl.org

About the YWCA Montreal and its Foundation:

The Women's Y Foundation was created in 1995 and supports the mission of the YWCA Montreal to build a better future for women, girls and their families. It is an indispensable ally in terms of financial support and outreach to the organization and contributes to making it an essential reference for women and girls to contribute to society to the extent of their abilities.

Since 1875, the YWCA Montreal, through its innovative and tailor-made programs has accompanied thousands of women and girls by focusing its efforts to reduce gender and social inequalities and exclusion as well as all forms of violence against women and girls. Thus, it contributes to building a better future for women and girls in the perspective of an egalitarian society where women and girls have the power and opportunity to realize their full potential.

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