



SELF-ASSESSMENT QUESTIONNAIRE

OPPI has developed this self-assessment questionnaire to help support your interest in serving on OPPI Council for a two-year term. This questionnaire is for your personal use and does not need to be submitted to OPPI at any point during the nominations process.

Becoming an OPPI Council Director provides you with a unique and rewarding opportunity to lend your expertise and experience to advance the regulatory and strategic work of OPPI. This is an esteemed role that requires time, dedication, and a commitment to OPPI's Vision, Mission, Values and Strategic Directions. Read our [INSPIRE: OPPI Strategic Plan 2025](#) to learn more.

Directors come together quarterly for generative conversations and to make important decisions that establish the path forward for the Institute and the planning profession in Ontario. Feed your energy and passion to contribute to that future by joining the OPPI Council.

OPPI strives to be an equitable organization embodying diversity of all kinds within the profession and the communities we serve. Equity, reconciliation, and social justice go right to the heart of what it means to be a planner. The Governance & Nominating Committee works diligently to ensure that the OPPI Council is diverse in every way possible to ensure broad representation for the profession. Disclosing your personal identities is entirely optional. OPPI recognizes that there are real and perceived risks in self-identifying and disclosing this information. These responses are kept confidential and are used solely for the purpose of ensuring a greater representation of lived and professional experiences amongst members of OPPI Council. We strongly encourage applications from members of Indigenous, racialized, marginalized communities and/or other equity-deserving groups.

Self-Assessment Questionnaire	Full Members Fill this column out
I am an OPPI member in good standing	<input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no
I have volunteered in the past and am now ready to dedicate some of my volunteer hours to OPPI.	<input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no
I have the interest, desire, and time to commit to this role and know that, if needed, I would have support.	<input type="checkbox"/> from my employer
I am prepared to reach out to three references to endorse my nomination.	<input type="checkbox"/> three OPPI Full members
I am excited to share my input with Council colleagues and take on additional committee assignment(s) if needed.	<input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no
I have reviewed INSPIRE: OPPI Strategic Plan 2025 and I support OPPI's Vision, Mission, Values, and its future vision.	<input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no

Now that you've completed the self-assessment questionnaire, please select one of the following:

☐ **I am ready to put my name forward for an OPPI Council position.**

I understand that I may be invited to an interview with members of the Governance & Nominating Committee to assess my candidacy. The interview will be based on my application with a focus on my response to a statement of interest question that I will submit as part of my application.

Please email info@ontarioplanners.ca to obtain the application package for your nomination.

NOTE: OPPI will verify your membership status and, upon confirmation that you are an OPPI member in good standing, the application form will be sent to you for completion.

For the 2023-2025 term, the following position on OPPI Council are available:

- 1) Director (4 positions available)
- 2) President- Elect (1 position available)
- 3) Public Interest Representative (1 position available)

All submissions are due no later than Monday, April 3, 2023.

☐ **I am NOT ready to put my name forward for an OPPI Council**

Perhaps there are other OPPI opportunities available that would give me a better window into OPPI and its Council and committee structure. If I could participate in another way for now, it would better prepare me for a role on OPPI Council/ OPPI Appointed External Representative position in the future.

Please email executivedirector@ontarioplanners.ca to learn more about available opportunities.

