

2024 Director's Award – Nomination Endorsement Form

The Director's Awards recognizes graduating students who have made outstanding contributions to the Rotman Commerce Community. The awards recognize students in five categories: Academic Excellence (no nomination required), Innovation, Leadership, Community and Equity, Diversity & Inclusion.

The **Innovation Award** will recognize students who express creativity through the introduction of new ideas, projects, and practices that better the Rotman Commerce community. The award recipient has integrated the interests of and leveraged the talents of diverse Rotman Commerce communities through innovation.

The **Leadership Award** will recognize students who display leadership through extracurricular activities within Rotman Commerce. The award recipient has engaged in leadership that encouraged and involved diverse individuals and their perspectives in a collaborative process towards a common goal.

The **Community Award** will recognize students who exemplify community spirit in their approach to learning and involvement within Rotman Commerce. The award recipient exemplified the Rotman Commerce values of mutual respect and collaboration, support and inclusion of diversity, professionalism, personal responsibility and integrity, and commitment to excellence in all endeavours.

The **Equity, Diversity & Inclusion Award** will recognize students who have demonstrated dedication in advancing EDI within Rotman Commerce. The award recipient has contributed to increasing access to programming, adopted practices that foster an inclusive campus environment and/or championed policies to make learning more accessible and equitable.

To nominate a student, all nominators are required to complete the following steps:

- 1. Obtain consent from the student who you would like to nominate
- 2. Complete the 2024 Director's Award Nomination Endorsement Form
- 3. Return the form to the nominee.

| Section A – Nominee Information | |
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| First Name: | Preferred Name: |
| Last Name: | Student Number: |
| UTOR Email: | Graduation Date: |
| Section B – Nominator Information | |
| First Name: | Last Name: |
| Email | Contact Number: |
| Role: | |
| Relationship to the Nominee: | |
| Nomination submission for: | |

Section C – Statement of Recommendation - Describe the nominee's notable contributions to the Rotman Commerce community. Please highlight the leadership roles they have held and the significance of the impact they have imparted on the community as it relates to the leadership, community, innovation and/or equity, diversity & inclusion award for which you would like the nominee to be considered. (Character limit: 3,000)

| Section D – Confirmation of Endorsement | |
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| Signature: | Date: |