

CFA Societies Canada announces new additions to Board of Directors



Caption: Top Row: Frederick Chenel, CFA, Veronica Gamracy, CFA, David Smith, CFA, Mathieu Doucet, CFA, Gordon Fawcett, CFA, Rodney Babineau, CFA. Bottom Row: Joseph Brekelmans, CFA, Michael Burnyeat, CFA, Jessie Bobinski, CFA, Ross Hallett, CFA, Wesley Blight, CFA, Michael Thom, CFA, Robert Luck, CFA, Ronald Schwarz, CFA. Absent: Christian Mattenley, CFA

TORONTO, September 19, 2019 - CFA Societies Canada is thrilled to announce the addition of six new members to its Board of Directors who will support and empower the organization's mission to lead the investment industry in Canada by advocating for the highest professional standards, integrity, and ethics for the ultimate benefit of Canadians.

The CFA Societies Canada Board of Directors is made up of CFA charterholders from the organization's 12 Canadian member societies plus one representative from CFA Institute. These volunteers are led by the Chair, David Smith, CFA (Presidents Council Representative - Canada), and oversee the work of Michael Thom, CFA, Managing Director of CFA Societies Canada, who is responsible for leading staff and teams of volunteers in pursuit of national goals and for providing strategic leadership, representing CFA charterholders in communications with regulators, policy makers, media, and industry groups. This committed team is working hard to support each of our member societies and to bring together their voices in shaping the

investment profession to best serve Canadians through stronger market integrity, strengthened investor protection, and fairer markets.

“We are pleased to welcome our new board members. They join CFA Societies Canada at an exciting time as we continue to drive our mission of upholding the highest ethics and standards in the investment industry,” says Mr. Thom. “We are confident they will bring valuable perspectives as we continue to execute our strategy and enhance value for our member societies and all CFA charterholders. I am looking forward to working together towards building an investment profession that better serves Canadians.”

New additions to 2019-2020 Board of Directors

Ross Hallett, CFA - CFA Society Atlantic Canada
Michael Burnyeat, CFA - CFA Society Calgary
Veronica Gamracy, CFA - CFA Society Saskatchewan
Ronald Schwarz, CFA - CFA Society Toronto
Christian Mattenley, CFA - CFA Society Victoria
Joseph Brekelmans, CFA - CFA Society Winnipeg

These new Board Members will serve a two-year term commencing September 1, 2019 and will join current members:

David Smith, CFA - Chair and Presidents Council Representative
Rodney Babineau, CFA - CFA Society Edmonton
Frederick Chenel, CFA - CFA Montréal
Gordon Fawcett, CFA - CFA Society Okanagan
Wesley Blight, CFA - CFA Society Ottawa
Mathieu Doucet, CFA - CFA Québec
Jessie Bobinski, CFA - CFA Society Vancouver
Robert Luck, CFA - CFA Institute

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