Nomination Form

STEP 1: NOMINATING PARTNER INFORMATION

**Nominating Partner Information**

**NAME OF ORGANIZATION\***

**ORGANIZATION ADDRESS**

**CIVIC NUMBER\* STREET\***

**SUITE CITY\***

**PROVINCE\* POSTAL CODE\***

**Nominating Partner Contact Person Information**  
**SALUTATION\* GIVEN NAME\* LAST NAME\***

**TITLE/POSITION**

**LANGUAGE OF CORRESPONDENCE\***  English  French

**PHONE NUMBER\* *(PRIMARY)* PHONE NUMBER *(ALTERNATE)***

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**EMAIL ADDRESS\***

**PLEASE PROVIDE YOUR ORGANIZATION’S SOCIAL HANDLES**

**LINKEDIN TWITTER FACEBOOK**

**INSTAGRAM OTHER**

**ADD ANOTHER CONTACT PERSON**

**SALUTATION GIVEN NAME LAST NAME**

**PHONE NUMBER EMAIL ADDRESS**

**ADD ANOTHER CONTACT PERSON**

**SALUTATION GIVEN NAME LAST NAME**

**PHONE NUMBER EMAIL ADDRESS**

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STEP 2: THE INNOVATION

The GGIA is in recognition of a specific innovation, rather than a lifetime achievement award. Please provide a name for this innovation, which will be used in official communications should the nomination be successful. (Examples from past winners are “SmartlCE” “Image guided neurosurgery” “Collaborative research with Indigenous peoples” “BlueDot: Global early warning system for infectious diseases” “Magnet Forensics” “Next-generation medical robotics”).   
*Maximum 75 characters, including spaces.*

**INNOVATION NAME\***

**INNOVATOR TYPE\***  **INDIVIDUAL**  **TEAM**  **ORGANIZATION**

*In addition to the lead, up to three team members may be included in the nomination.*

**IS THE NOMINEE A YOUNG INNOVATOR OF 30 YEARS OF AGE OR YOUNGER?**  Yes  No

**SALUTATION\* GIVEN NAME\* LAST NAME\***

**BIRTH YEAR\***

**NAME OF ORGANIZATION\* JOB POSITION\***

**GENDER**

**CITIZENSHIP\***  Canadian  Permanent Resident*Nominees must be living Canadian citizens or permanent residents. Nominator is responsible for verifying the citizenship of every innovator.*

**LANGUAGE OF CORRESPONDENCE\***  English  French

**PHONE NUMBER\* (*PRIMARY*) PHONE NUMBER (*ALTERNATE*)**

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**EMAIL ADDRESS\***

**ADDRESS**

**CIVIC NUMBER\* STREET\***

**SUITE\* CITY\***

**PROVINCE\* POSTAL CODE\***

**AFFILIATED SOCIAL HANDLES OF THE NOMINEE(S) AND THE ORGANIZATION**

**LINKEDIN TWITTER FACEBOOK**

**INSTAGRAM OTHER**

**Biographical Note/Organization Information**

**Please provide a biographical note on the innovator if only one person is associate with this nomination. If this is a team nomination, please provide a note on the organization with which the innovation is associated {for example,   
a company description). Information will be used in official communications should the nomination be successful.***Maximum 1625 characters (approximately 200 words), including spaces.*

**BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE/ORGANIZATION INFORMATION\*  
*(0 to 1625 max characters)***

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**Please describe briefly how you chose this innovation as your nomination. Examples include choosing the winner   
of another awards programs, soliciting suggestions from clients, decision of a board, etc*.*** *Maximum 150 characters, including spaces.*

**DESCRIPTION OF HOW NOMINATION WAS SELECTED\* (*0 OF 150 MAX CHARACTERS*)**

**WEB SITE**

**ADDITIONAL WEB SITES (*SEPARATE MULTIPLE WEBSITES WITH COMMAS*)**

**YOUTUBE/VIMEO URL**

*Note: This can only be done by a GGIA nominating partner within the GGIA online portal*

**UPLOAD SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS**

**CONSENT\***  
 Nominee has reviewed and confirmed the information contained in this nomination.

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STEP 3: CURRENT OR RECENT INNOVATION

**Nomination Summary**

**As per the Call for Nominations, the Governor General’s Innovation Awards will be given to individuals, teams and/or organizations whose innovations are truly exceptional, transformative and positive in their impact on the quality of life in Canada. An expert, merit­review adjudication process will be used to select award winners. Please provide a summary explaining the nature, significance and impact of the nominee’s innovation or innovative activities**. *(Maximum 500 characters including spaces)*

**NOMINATION SUMMARY\* *(0 OF 500 MAX CHARACTERS)***

**Selection Criteria**

In order to fully inform the merit-review adjudication please address the following:

1. **Inspiration**

How does the process leading to this innovation, its implementation and its developer(s) inspire future innovators in Canada? *(Maximum 2000 characters, including spaces)*

**INSPIRATION SUMMARY\***

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1. **Leadership**

How did the innovator(s) demonstrate leadership in their work on this innovation? Discuss evidence of initiative, collaboration, risk-taking and problem-solving in the process of developing and implementing the innovation. *(Maximum 2000 characters, including spaces)*

**LEADERSHIP SUMMARY\***

1. **Impact**

Does the innovation in question have a positive effect in the world? Describe the successful implementation of the innovation in the sector, economy, society or culture, and the role of the nominee(s) in that implementation. (maximum 2000 characters, including spaces).

* **If possible, please quantify the impact.** For example, a nominee(s) may have created a B Corporation to market the innovation and realize social benefits at the same time, with sales of this amount and this number of persons assisted
* **If the innovation is not commercialized, or if impact is not easily quantifiable**, please use qualitative data and/or storytelling to demonstrate the transformative impact.

**IMPACT SUMMARY\***

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**TELL US ABOUT OTHER AWARDS THE NOMINEE HAS RECEIVED FOR THIS INNOVATION**

**TELL US ABOUT ANY PATENTS THE NOMINEE HAS RELATED TO THIS INNOVATION**

**HAVE YOU SUBMITTED THIS NOMINEE FOR THE GGIAS IN THE PAST?  IF SO, IN WHAT YEAR?**

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**Sector /Discipline**

**UNDER WHICH BROAD AREA DOES THIS INNOVATION FALL?\***

*(Please select one primary field)*

Agriculture and Food

Arts and Culture

Business

Education

Engineering

Entertainment

Environment and Cleantech

Finance

Natural Resources

Public Sector

Science

Social Science

Social Enterprise

Sports

Technology

Transportation

Other

**IS A SECONDARY AREA APPLICABLE?***(Please select all that apply, if applicable)*

Agriculture and Food

Arts and Culture

Business

Education

Engineering

Entertainment

Environment and Cleantech

Finance

Natural Resources

Public Sector

Science

Social Science

Social Enterprise

Sports

Technology

Transportation

Other