

NOMINATION COMMITTEE REPORT

The Nomination Committee is pleased to present the following individuals who have agreed to run for office on the Board of Directors.





Dr. Marshall Chasin is a distinguished audiologist with a career focused on the prevention of hearing loss among musicians and performing artists. He is the Director of Clinical Research at the Musicians' Clinics of Canada, which he co-founded with Dr. John Chong in the mid-1980s. He also holds academic appointments at the University of Toronto and Western University. Dr. Chasin earned a B.Sc. in pure mathematics and linguistics from the University of Toronto, a M.Sc. in Audiology and Speech Sciences from the University of British Columbia, and a Doctor of Audiology (AuD) from the Arizona School of Health Sciences.

He has authored over 200 articles, eight books, including Music and Hearing Aids (2022), Musicians, and the Prevention of Hearing Loss. He writes the "Back to Basics" column in Hearing Review and the weekly blog Hear the Music on HearingHealthMatters.org.

He served as Editor-in-Chief of the *Canadian Hearing Report* for nearly two decades and now leads *CanadianAudiologist.ca*. He is also the Editor-in-Chief of the upcoming *Handbook of Clinical Audiology* (2027 edition).

Dr. Chasin's contributions have been recognized with multiple awards, including honors from SAC and OSLA, the Queen Elizabeth II Diamond Jubilee Medal, and the Canada 150 Medal. He also developed the *Temporary Hearing Loss Test* app.

A black belt in Karate and Kung Fu, Dr. Chasin claims to be undefeated against five-year-olds—though the seven-year-olds are another story.

Natalie Michael



Natalie Michael is a trusted advisor to CEOs navigating what's next—whether preparing for their own transition, developing key talent, or designing a purposeful next chapter. As Managing Partner of CEO Next Chapter, she combines over 20 years of experience in executive development with a unique focus on succession strategy, peer learning & leadership reinvention. As a former VP, HR and Award-Winning Consultant, Natalie brings strong change leadership skills, as she has consulted and led with entrepreneurial starts up and Fortune 100 companies.

A Master Certified CEO Peer Group Leader with Mackay CEO Forums and Chair of Tiger 21 Vancouver 3, Natalie works closely with business leaders stewarding enterprises ranging from \$10M to \$6B. She holds a Master's in Organizational Leadership, numerous coaching certifications, and has authored two books on CEO development. Natalie also serves on the board of Foundations for Social Change and is excited about the opportunity to serve on the Board of Wavefront Centre for Accessibility.

Her favorite book is Dr Hawkins Map of Consciousness.

Board members continuing their existing terms:

Dr. Dean C. Powers Terms: 2018 – 2020 2020 – 2022 2022 - 2024 2024 - 2026

Kimberly Wood Term: 2020 – 2022 2022 – 2024 2024 - 2026

Rosalyn Hogg Term: 2022 – 2024 2024 - 2026

 $\begin{array}{lll} \text{Gordon S. Pither} & \text{Term:} & 2024-2026 \\ \text{Jason Lau} & \text{Term:} & 2024-2026 \\ \text{Darlene Chic} & \text{Term:} & 2024-2026 \end{array}$

Board members not continuing:

Cynthia Johansen Term: 2022 – 2024 2024 - 2026

Respectfully submitted by Cynthia Johansen, Governance Committee Chair. June 2025