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We need to rethink how we're developing leaders for these ever-changing times and a lot of it isn't about what we've done in the past which is why we've moved away from the classroom. We are now putting much more emphasis on experiential learning. This involves initiatives such as taking those being trained in leadership out into organisations dealing with very difficult real world problems.

— Brian Glaser, Director, Google

EXPERIENTIAL, CROSS-SECTOR LEARNING

Growing capable, ethical leaders is one of the most important and complicated responsibilities countries have. Being on the vanguard of leadership development, ELD Canada recognizes that leadership does not come just from a textbook but rather from experiences that create dialogue and build the emotional and intellectual capacity of participants. The experiential leadership program followed today was first launched in 1956 by The Duke of Edinburgh, in a conference held in the UK. This unique format has been honed into a successful six day program by ELD Canada.

Based on topical themes centered around Sustainable Global Leadership, ELD Canada's program involves 2 days of facilitated classroom modules, in conjunction with a partner academic institution such as McGill University, Acadia University and the University of the West Indies, and 3 days of experiential dialogue visits which present real challenges and strategies with multi-sectoral leaders. On the final day the participants present their experiences and learnings to a panel of eminent leaders.

BUILDING LEADERSHIP CAPACITY

ELD Canada is unique for offering cross-sector, global leadership programs where emerging leaders gain experience and understanding of the processes under which multiple global sectors operate. Leadership competencies developed through the dialogue programs include:

- **cultural intelligence**
- **complex problem solving**
- **ethical decision making**
- **collaborative negotiation**
- **inclusion and diversity**
- **promotion of innovation**
- **conflict management and resolution**

OUR GLOBAL REACH

The true impact of ELD Canada programs extends well beyond the number of individuals in each cohort. The competencies each emerging leader acquires extend to the day-to-day interactions with colleagues in their respective organizations and out to the multiple stakeholders their organization serves and becomes deeply embedded in their critical thinking which they carry with them as they advance in their careers.

As ELD Canada alumni, participants become part of a vast global peer network across the Commonwealth and remain active as speakers, mentors and patrons to ELD Canada programs. Our alumni proactively connect with emerging leaders and harness their growing capacity through value added initiatives. We utilize social media platforms to offer modernized channels of Alumni connectivity and peer engagement, which then feeds directly into our programming.



ELD Canada has given me a wider view of the global political economy and how we all fit into it. As a professional Accountant and a Trade Unionist I was able to see how financial analysis and workers' rights could be blended to shape my approach to dealing with national and regional issues and has placed me on a path to interact with leaders of governments in many countries and with international development partners. I am now the President of the Jamaica Civil Service Association, the largest public sector union in Jamaica; a Vice President of the National Trade Union Center, The Jamaica Confederation of Trade Unions; and sit on several boards inside and outside of the public sector.

— O'Neil W. Grant, CCELD 2011,
President, Jamaica Civil Service Association







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THE PRESIDENT'S COUNCIL

ELD Canada is self-funded through the generosity of like-minded individuals and corporations who share the vision for building globally connected leaders and make a charitable donation towards membership in our President's Council. Members meet annually at the President's Council Forum in London, England, followed by a gala recognition event with HRH The Princess Royal, Princess Anne at venues such as Buckingham Palace and St. James's Palace.

The Forum discussions focus on cutting-edge global issues and influence future ELD Canada programs. Attendees hear from world-class leaders about the unique challenges they face within their own sectors, and the innovations they are utilizing to create strategies for sustainable global success.

ELD Canada is an effective and growing organization dedicated to elevating the capacity of leaders, across the Commonwealth, to create positive outcomes for their organizations, communities and countries.

WE INVITE YOU to join our ELD Canada President's Council as a demonstration of your commitment to growing global leaders of the future. You understand that personal relationships are the basis of any successful initiative, private or public. And you understand that accountable and trust-worthy leaders are required to face the challenges associated with a globally connected marketplace. Your membership will be a contribution towards building leaders who can meet these challenges.



AS A PRESIDENT'S COUNCIL MEMBER WE ASK YOU TO:

- Make a personal or corporate membership commitment commensurate with your financial capacity;
- Provide a photo and brief biography to be used in ELD Canada communication materials;
- Keep up-to-date on ELD Canada programs and events through information provided to you via newsletters and the organization's website;
- Support ELD Canada program participant recruitment as appropriate;
- Act in an advisory capacity re: ELD Canada program development as appropriate;
- Be an active ambassador for ELD Canada programs with your personal and professional networks;
- Recruit a minimum of two (2) like-minded individuals/corporations to join you on the President's Council; and
- Attend major ELD Canada functions and events, including the exclusive "members-only" recognition dinner with HRH, Princess Anne.

Supporter	Member	Patron	Benefactor
\$5,000 annually x 2 years	\$10,000 annually x 2 years	\$20,000 annually x 4 years	\$50,000 annually x 5 years

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Charitable Tax receipt (if applicable) and Thank You letter	*	*	*	*
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RECOGNITION

Listing on ELDC website	*	*	*	*
Photo & biography listing on website		*	*	*
Listing in President's Council brochure	*	*	*	*
Photo & biography listing in separate President's Council Members/Patrons brochure		*	*	*
Invitation for member and guest to attend an event recognizing your support, held in London with HRH The Princess Royal, Princess Anne, and other eminent guests	In 2nd year of commitment	In 1st & 2nd year of commitment	In all 4 years of commitment	Lifetime invitation
Invitation for member and guest to attend the President's Council Forum to hear from world renowned experts on current and relevant topics	*	Preferred table seating	Preferred table seating	Preferred table seating
An exclusive pin designed and supplied by G. Collins and Sons. Jeweller to Her Majesty The Queen, presented by HRH, Princess Anne & memento photo		*	Diamond pin*	Diamond pin*
Pre-dinner meeting with HRH, Princess Anne		*	*	*

STEWARDSHIP

Stewardship quarterly e-newsletter	*	*	*	*
Annual Stewardship Letter from current year's participant	*	*	*	*
Annual Stewardship Impact Report		*	*	*
Opportunity to nominate participants for Dialogues & Workshops		*	*	*
Opportunity to participate in ELD programming as speakers and panellists			*	*
Opportunity to participate in ELD programming as an advisor				*

ABOUT ELD CANADA

ELD CANADA'S MISSION:

CONNECT: through Dialogues, workshops, networking, and our on-line leadership community

DEVELOP: ethical, accountable, forward thinking, culturally intelligent, leadership skills

DIALOGUE: between emerging leaders from diverse sectors, age groups, backgrounds, and geographic locations

ENGAGE: peer-to-peer, leader-to-emerging leader, in a global context

INSPIRE: through Alumni leadership in a culturally and economically connected world

OUR VISION

ELD Canada will build on its vision, the strength of its funding model and the success achieved. Our vision includes:

- Annual Emerging Leaders for Sustainable Community Development (ELSCD) and Caribbean - Canada Emerging Leaders' Dialogues (CCELD) programs located in Commonwealth countries
- Annual President's Council Forums and Recognition Dinners with HRH, the Princess Royal, Princess Anne
- Alumni networking opportunities on line and at events which focus on Global leadership challenges
- Partnerships with leading academic institutions and supporting organizations

ELD CANADA TAKES PRIDE IN CELEBRATING THE SUCCESS OF OUR ALUMNI

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We would like to highlight and congratulate the achievements of the following leaders and take pleasure in knowing that our programs have had an impact on their leadership development:



Yolanda K. McClean, CCELD 2011, was recognized in September 2018 as one of Canada's 100 Accomplished Black Women. She is second vice-president on the CUPE Ontario executive board.



Antonette Wemyss-Gorman, CCELD 2015, became the first woman to be promoted to Naval Captain in Jamaica, which is the equivalent to the army rank of colonel. She has served with the JDF for 26 years.



Kevin O'Connor, CCELD 2015, was named Vice President - System Operations Control (SOC) at Air Canada. Kevin has overall responsibility for delivering the most efficient and effective day of flight operating schedule throughout Air Canada's Global network.



Genevieve Huneault, ELSCD 2017, has co-founded Social Root Consulting, a collective that advises on ethical social and environmental development practices and progressive policy implementation and review.

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The President of the Emerging Leaders' Dialogues is HRH The Princess Royal, Princess Anne.



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