

One of the greatest values of mentors is the ability to see ahead what others cannot see and to help them navigate a course to their destination.”

— John C. Maxwell

CRHNet is proud to introduce a new category for our Awards Program. It is our mission to bring together the disaster risk management community to increase resiliency through the transfer of knowledge, the building of relationships, and the exchange of best practices. So many contribute to the growth of this industry through the time and knowledge they share others at any level within the profession. We'd like to recognize these efforts through the new Mentorship Matters Award.

Mentorship Matters Award Nomination Form

The Mentorship Matters (MM) Award was established in 2020 to recognize exemplary mentorship and leadership in the field of Disaster and Emergency Management. This award was created to acknowledge individuals who have demonstrated a commitment to supporting the development of emerging professionals through advocacy, collaboration, and the transparent sharing of learning, experiences and ideas

Each year, one recipient will be selected to be recognized for their role as a mentor.

There is no monetary reward associated with this award, and the award is presented to the selected nominee at the CRHNet annual symposium or AGM. However, award recipients will have their contributions recognized and featured in HazNet, CRHNet's signature publication, and on the CRHNet website.

Candidates, candidate initiatives, and/or programs must be nominated by a Canadian for their role as a mentor for emerging professionals in the field of Disaster and Emergency Management. The nomination form must be supported by one letter of reference.

Completed nomination packages (including the nomination form below) are to be submitted by e-mail to the Mentorship Matters Awards Committee in Word or PDF format by the stated deadline. Please ensure the e-mail subject line reads: *Mentorship Matters Award*.

Mentorship Matters Award Nomination Form

This nomination form is one of several components of the nomination package. Please send this completed Nomination Form, along with the following documents to the Canadian DRM Awards Committee at Awards@CRHNet.ca by the posted award **deadline: November 13, 2020**

- A one-page covering letter outlining why the nominee(s), initiative or program is deserving of this award (max. 500 words)
- One letter of support from an individual who can speak to the benefit that they are seeing as a result of the nominee's efforts as a mentor (max. 500 words)
- A brief biography of the nominator (max. 250 words)

Please ensure that all application files are submitted in either .pdf or .doc formats, and that the email subject line reads: Mentorship Matters Volunteer Award.

Date: _____

Individual Nominee:

Title: Dr./ Mr./ Mrs./ Ms.: _____

Last name: _____ First name: _____

E-Mail: _____ Phone: _____

Mailing address: _____ City/Province: _____ Postal Code: _____

Volunteer Group, Initiative or Program Nominee:

Name of nominated Initiative/Program (if applicable): _____

Name of nominated Organization: _____

Name of organization lead (who would receive the award):

Title: Dr./ Mr./ Mrs./ Ms. _____

Last name: _____ First name: _____

Position: _____ E-Mail: _____

Phone: _____

Nominator:

Title: Dr./ Mr./ Mrs./ Ms. _____

Last name: _____ First name: _____

Position: _____

Organization Title: _____

E-Mail: _____

Phone: _____

Nominator's Signature: _____ **Date** _____