



InMotion Network - Call for Board of Directors

Do you want to make an impact on the opportunities girls and women have to be involved in physical activity in Alberta? The InMotion Network Nominations Committee is seeking "Expressions of Interest" from individuals who are interested in serving as a volunteer Director of the InMotion Network.

If you are interested in volunteering your time and want to be involved in the InMotion Network, continue to read more about the network and our board positions.

Vision

Girls and Women engage and lead at all levels of sport and physical activity

Mission

In Motion Network inspires and enables Alberta women and girls of all ages and abilities to engage in sport and physical activity

Current Initiatives

The InMotion Network continues to work with a variety of program providers in Alberta to support programs and initiatives through applications through our contribution programs:

- [Girls in Motion](#) - These Community-based "girl friendly" programs offer regular opportunities to learn new skills while having fun. Often offered over multiple weeks, Girls in Motion strives to address the needs of inactive girls and girls who are unable to access activity programs due to limitations of income, location, culture, family, perceived ability, etc.
- [Women in Motion](#) - High-quality recreational, sport and physical activity programs specifically for women aged 18+ in Alberta. Women in Motion programs are community run and organized and are tailored to the needs of individual communities. Women in Motion strives to address the needs of inactive women and those women who are unable to access activity programs due to limitations of income, location, culture, family, perceived ability, etc.
- [Go Girl](#) - A one day active workshop for pre-teen and teenage girls. The goal of this event is to encourage and support teenage girls in choosing an active, healthy lifestyle. This is a one day experience in which teenage girls are invited to see-and-try a variety of physical activities and sports and access resources on how to continue participating in these activities in the future.
- [Take the Lead](#) - Support for Albertan girls and women to become experienced leaders in the sport and recreation field through education, training, and experiences that enhance their abilities to coach, officiate or lead in sport or physical activity.

Future Goals and Focus Areas

- Increase women in sport leadership at local, provincial and national levels
- Expand and enhance our membership program
- Explore how we use explicit gender inclusive language
- Establish an evaluation plan to monitor the impact of our programs and advocacy efforts
- Increase communication capacity to support partnership development and advocacy
- Work to develop partnerships and opportunities with other sport development programs and organizations in Alberta.

Director Responsibilities:

As a Director of the InMotion Network, your role is to serve the interests of women's sport, leadership, active recreation and active living communities in Alberta.



Directors, individually and collectively as the Board of Directors are ultimately responsible for the operation and affairs of the InMotion Network (IMN) to required to participate in the deliberation and decisions in governance matters.

It is desired that the Board of Directors represents a broad spectrum of interests and Stakeholders and that they will be elected based on their participation and involvement in sport, leadership, active recreation and active living in Alberta, and most importantly their support of the mandate of the InMotion Network. Given this, those seeking to be Directors of the InMotion Network should have relevant leadership within one of the sport, active recreation and/or active living sectors. They should be individuals who are committed to attending all or most of the Board's meetings and actively participate, and to be willing to represent the InMotion Network on ad hoc and standing committees whether they are internal or external in nature.

Director Requirements:

- Must have, or be willing to purchase, an InMotion Network Individual Membership
- Normally reside in Alberta
- Have a significant interest in the development of women's sport, leadership, active recreation or active living in Alberta.

Ideal candidate(s) will:

- Be an individual who demonstrates leadership in their community and maintains a positive public profile, while supporting and advocating the mission, values and objectives of the IMN.
- Be a person available to the IMN for: consultation, assistance, attendance at pre-established events, other roles as mutually agreed upon.
- Advance the goals and sphere of influence of the IMN, represent and serve the membership in all its activities to advance sport, active recreation and active living in Alberta.
- Demonstrate a commitment to equity, diversity, and inclusion in their daily life.

Term of Office:

Up to 4 Directors are being elected who, as per the Bylaws, shall hold office for a 2 year term.

As a board, we are committed to forming an equitable, diverse, and inclusive InMotion Network. As such, we encourage First Nations, Métis, and Inuit persons; members of visible minority groups; persons with disabilities; persons of any sexual orientation or gender identity and expression; and all those who may further contribute to the diversification of ideas to apply.

Individuals interested in putting their name forward as a candidate are requested to email a covering letter identifying their motivation to serve as a Director of the InMotion Network and what they wish to leave as a legacy of your service, along with a resume to: chair@inmotionnetwork.org

Requests for additional information and inquiries should be directed to the Executive Director, Lindsay Wright, at 780-644-5613 or emailed to: info@inmotionnetwork.org

While we appreciate all expressions of interest, only those candidates selected for an interview will be contacted.