

# NEWS RELEASE

## The House Administration recognized as one of Canada's Top 100 **Employers for 2019**

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The Honourable Geoff Regan, Speaker of the House of Commons, is pleased to announce that the House of Commons Administration has been selected as one of Canada's Top 100 Employers for 2019. This is the first year that the Administration receives this honour, which demonstrates the quality of its workplace programs and its ability to adapt to the ever-evolving Canadian labour market. The full list of recipients, including a summary of the reasons for their selection, was released today in a special feature published by The Globe and Mail.

Awarded by the editors of the Canada's Top 100 Employers project, this designation recognizes Canadian employers that lead their industries in offering exceptional workplaces for their employees. Organizations from similar fields are compared and evaluated to select the 100 employers with the most progressive and forward-thinking programs.

#### Quotes

"Being recognized as one of Canada's Top 100 Employers for 2019 is an honour. The House of Commons Administration is proud to be a workplace that preserves the traditions and collective memory of our institution while evolving to keep pace with the needs of the Members it serves within the broader society. We are fortunate to work with such dedicated employees and we strive to make their experience at the House as professionally fulfilling as possible."

- Hon. Geoff Regan, Speaker of the House of Commons

"The House Administration is a stimulating environment that offers numerous career advancement possibilities in every field of work. Our focus is to enable all employees to achieve their full potential by ensuring that many interesting learning opportunities are available. We are proud to have been recognized as one of the country's top employers. This is a recognition we will work hard to keep."

- Charles Robert, Clerk of the House of Commons

#### **Quick Facts**

- Entering its 20th year, the Canada's Top 100 Employers project is a national competition to select employers who lead their industries in offering exceptional workplaces for their employees.
- Employers are compared to other organizations in their field to determine which organizations offer the most progressive and forward-thinking programs in their industries.
- Employers are evaluated according to eight criteria: physical workplace; work atmosphere and social; health, financial and family benefits; vacation and time off; employee communications; performance management; training and skills development; and community involvement.
- The House of Commons was also recognized in 2017 and 2018 when it was named one of the National Capital Region's Top Employers and one of Canada's Top Employers for Young People.

#### **Related Links**

House of Commons Administration Career Portal http://jobs-emplois-hoc.parl.gc.ca/en/Pages/Opportunities.aspx

Canada's Top 100 Employers for 2019 (available in English only) <a href="https://www.canadastop100.com/national/">https://www.canadastop100.com/national/</a>

Globe and Mail feature on the House of Commons <a href="http://e.issuu.com/embed.html#14200235/65334100">http://e.issuu.com/embed.html#14200235/65334100</a> (available in English only) <a href="link">link</a> (translated article in French)

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