



# CANADIAN BASKETBALL HALL OF FAME NOMINATION FORM



**DEADLINE: DECEMBER 31, 2020**

Please indicate category of nomination (please check applicable box):

Athlete     Team     Coach     Official     Builder

**NOMINEE INFORMATION:**

Nominee's Surname		Given Name	
Address			Apt.
City	Province	Postal Code	
Telephone		Email	
Birthplace	Date of Birth (dd/mm/yyyy)	Date of Death (dd/mm/yyyy) <i>(if applicable)</i>	

**IF NOMINEE IS DECEASED, PLEASE SUPPLY THE FOLLOWING:**

Contact's Surname		Given Name	
Address			Apt.
City	Province	Postal Code	
Telephone		Email	

**NOMINATED BY:** Nomination by an **Individual** must be accompanied by the signatures of 10 individuals. Nomination by the **Media** must be accompanied by an endorsement letter on official letterhead. **Both** must have signed approval from a Canada Basketball Class A or B member in good standing.

Nominator's Surname		Given Name	
Title (if applicable)		Association	
Address	Apt.	City	Postal Code
Telephone		Email	
Date	Signature of Nominator		

**FOR OFFICE USE ONLY:**

Date Received	Photographs/Clippings Received
Nomination Endorsed By	Endorsement Date
Notes	

# GENERAL GUIDELINES

## HOW TO ENTER:

- All submitted nominations must be professional in nature and include, at a minimum, the following information in order to be considered for inclusion on the Hall of Fame ballot:
  - 1) Completed Nomination Form (please type or print to ensure legibility).
  - 2) Cover letter (maximum 1 page) – A brief overview of the reason why the nominee should be considered for the Hall of Fame and how this nominee reflects the values of Canada Basketball:
    - i. *Purpose* – We are principled, focused and strategic in pursuing our vision.
    - ii. *Excellence* – We are innovative, performance-driven and results oriented.
    - iii. *Team* – We believe in the power of "team" on the court, in our communities and across the country.
    - iv. *Nation* – We take pride in representing Canada to the world.
  - 3) Biography (maximum 4 pages) – A complete and detailed biography of the nominee's accomplishments.
  - 4) Letters of Support (3-5 letters) – At least three letters (no more than five letters) of support from members in good standing who have direct knowledge of the value and impact of the nominee's achievements and who support the nomination.
  - 5) Additional Material – Statistical information, copies of news clippings, photos, and other supporting documents (if available) during the nominee's era.
- Clear legible copies of all forms of supporting materials should be submitted. These materials become the property of Canada Basketball and will not be returned.
- All nominations must be submitted by the deadline as established by Canada Basketball to be eligible for induction in that calendar year. All applications will receive written acknowledgment of receipt.
- Send nominations (*electronically preferred*) by December 31, 2020 to:

**Hall of Fame Selection Committee**  
**c/o Julie Arone**  
**Canada Basketball**  
**1 Westside Drive, Suite 11**  
**Toronto, Ontario M9C 1B2**  
[jarone@basketball.ca](mailto:jarone@basketball.ca)

## ELIGIBILITY:

Subject to the nomination criteria, any person is eligible for election as an Honoured Member of the Canadian Basketball Hall of Fame who has achieved an outstanding record of excellence. The five categories of membership in the Canadian Basketball Hall of Fame are defined as follows:

**ATHLETES** Athletes are individuals who, while Canadian citizens, have participated as a player at an elite level and have achieved outstanding and extraordinary success as a player in the sport of basketball at the amateur and/or professional level.

**TEAMS** Teams are made up of athletes who represent Canada, a province, a municipality or a Canadian organization or corporation that have accomplished outstanding or extraordinary results nationally and/or internationally that has brought prominence to the sport of basketball in Canada.

**COACHES** Coaches are individuals whose tireless efforts and expertise in the development and training of basketball athletes has made an outstanding and extraordinary contribution to the sport of basketball in Canada and/or internationally.

**OFFICIALS** Officials are individuals who have exhibited outstanding and extraordinary skill and expertise as referees, as evidenced by their participation at an elite level of competition, nationally and internationally. Such individuals must also have contributed significantly to the training and development of basketball officials in Canada.

**BUILDERS** Builders are individuals who have made outstanding and extraordinary contributions towards the promotion, development and advancement of basketball in Canada, and without restricting the generality of the foregoing may include administrators, officials, trainers, managers, coaches, and doctors. Such contribution should be national in scope.

### **CRITERIA FOR NOMINATION:**

Nominees must be:

- 1) A Canadian Citizen, or
- 2) A resident of Canada for a minimum of 3 years, or
- 3) Born in Canada, or
- 4) Made their distinguished contribution to the game of basketball in Canada.

Category-Specific Criteria:

**ATHLETES** Players must be retired from playing status at their highest level of competition (i.e., USports, National Team, etc.) for 5 years before they are eligible for nomination.

Voting for players must be based on the player's record, playing ability, integrity, sportsmanship, character, and contribution to the teams on which the player participated. The player's overall contribution to the game of basketball in general must also be considered.

**TEAMS** For teams to be eligible for nomination, 5 years must have elapsed from the date of the significant milestone which forms the basis for the nomination.

**COACHES** For coaches to be eligible for nomination, they must be retired from professional coaching activity for 2 years, or 1 year if 65 or older, or have been an active coach for at least 25 years.

**OFFICIALS** Officials must be retired from actively officiating for 2 years, or 1 year if 65 or older, in order to be eligible for nomination.

**BUILDERS** Builders are exempt from specific timelines with respect to nomination.