

# Board of Directors 2025 Interest Form

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Bradley Andrews

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Position Applying For \*

- Chair
- Director of High Performance
- Member at Large

Please describe your personal interest in this role. \*

My tenure as the vice-chair of the Athletics Nova Scotia board began in the early winter of 2019. Four months later, we were thrown into completely uncharted territory as we navigated Covid-19. Coming out of Covid, I was excited to dive into the role and work with the staff of ANS to grow the organization. It was exciting to partner with staff to engage community partners about possibly constructing a permanent indoor home for ANS. I also worked with the ED to develop a new paid staff position and then worked to select a suitable candidate who has excelled in the role. When I joined the board in 2019 one of my goals was to work with the staff to grow the organization in multiple capacities. As a former athlete and coach, my fondest memories were when I competed and worked with athletes at large competitions. As a board member, my passion is squarely directed towards growing ANS to provide athletes with more elevated competition opportunities through increased membership, higher levels of coaching and officiating, and higher competition frequency.

Please outline briefly your experience in Athletics. \*

My experience in Athletics is broad. I began as an athlete in junior high 20 years ago. I continued to compete until my second year of university. During that time, I had the opportunity to compete at two national championships as well as in numerous university-level competitions. I began coaching in 2012 with a focus primarily on high-performance high school athletes. I served as a head coach, a program director, and a chaperone at a national competition. In an administration capacity, I have served in meet director roles and officiated at multiple levels of competition. In my role on the ANS board, I worked with the TD to facilitate sessions to help grow Athletics in Cape Breton. I also recently served as the chair of the selection committee for the Canada Games team.

Please outline your work experience and skill set and how it would benefit this role. \*

Over the last four years, I have had the privilege of serving as the vice-chair of the board of ANS. In this role, I have also had the opportunity to fill in as acting chair during the busy summer season of 2023. This experience has provided me with the skills necessary to transition seamlessly into the role of chair. The benefit to ANS will be immeasurable as there will be no interruption to the function of the board. I moved to Cape Breton and started a seasonal rental business. The skills required to launch, manage, and grow a business translate well to the role of board chair. Time management, project management, and client relations and conflict resolution are skills that have significant cross-over into the chair role. Additionally, before moving to Cape Breton, I worked in several sales and business development jobs that helped develop skills I can utilize to help continue to grow the organization.

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# Board of Directors 2025 Interest Form

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Ian MacDonald

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Position Applying For \*

- Chair
- Director of High Performance
- Member at Large

Please describe your personal interest in this role. \*

I have personal interest in this role as I have recently been added to the high performance team with ANS, where I coach high performance athletes. I also have had interest in high performance for several years having had teammates be in the program as well as wanting to see that side of ANS grow.

Please outline briefly your experience in Athletics. \*

I have been involved in Athletics for about 15 years having been an athlete in junior and senior high school as well as being a varsity athlete in university competing for Saint Mary's. When I graduated from SMU I started coaching with the team under Kevin Heisler, to which I'm still involved with today. I also started coaching at the club level in 2021 with Chebucto Athletics and now Athletics East, to which I am still involved with today.

Please outline your work experience and skill set and how it would benefit this role. \*

I have been working with the RCMP on in off since 2018 in various roles, including those in criminal intelligence, personnel security, and most recently in the provinces Emergency Management Section where I do operational support and operational readiness. I have also spent time working as a substitute teacher. I think my skill set from these roles would be a benefit the role because I am comfortable presenting in front of groups of people (during board meetings), I am also proficient in coordinating people and schedules, gathering information and relaying to other parties.

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# Board of Directors 2025 Interest Form

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Position Applying For \*

- Chair
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Please describe your personal interest in this role. \*

As the former HP Director, I remain interested in assisting ANS and the athletics community in a manner which suits my other commitments.

Please outline briefly your experience in Athletics. \*

I have been involved in athletics for the past 15 years. I competed collegiately and have stayed involved since.

Please outline your work experience and skill set and how it would benefit this role. \*

I have been a practicing lawyer for the past five years and have served on the ANS board in a different capacity.

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