

2019
SARC
Awards

The Inclusive Advantage Award

Do you know an employer who employs people experiencing disability and is a leader in supported employment?

Nominate them for the Inclusive Advantage Award!

Celebrate an employer that recognizes the advantages of hiring employees experiencing disability and has committed to an inclusive workplace.

Fill out this form and send it to
ajanzen@sarc.sk.ca before
12:00pm (noon) on June 5, 2019



2018 Inclusive Advantage Award Recipient
Swift Current Broncos - Swift Current, SK



Are you ready to nominate?

Read the nominations guidelines below and fill out the nomination form on the next page.

Recognize an employer that has utilized supported employment services at your organization! Nominate a workplace that realizes the benefits of hiring people experiencing disability and highlight their commitment to an inclusive workforce.

The Inclusive Advantage Award recipient receives:

- A commemorative SARC Award
 - A video vignette* that highlights the impact the employer has and their commitment to an inclusive workplace – the video will be shown at the SARC Awards Banquet and will be posted on YouTube
 - Two complimentary tickets to the SARC Awards Banquet
- *SARC staff will contact the award recipient's organization within 2-3 weeks after the nomination deadline. SARC staff will travel to the award recipient's community and get footage for the video vignette. Filming takes approximately one half-day and will feature the recipient, the nominator and other applicable individuals who will help share the business's story.

Nominations Guidelines:

- Businesses nominated must receive supported employment services from a SARC Regular or Associate Member.
- Each organization may submit a maximum of 2 nominees per SARC Award category.
- Please use a separate nomination form for each nomination.
- An individual may only be nominated for one of the six SARC Award categories per year.
- To encourage a diverse set of stories across the awards program, if you are nominating someone for The Great Work Award please do not also nominate that person's employer for The Inclusive Advantage Award.
- Please do not nominate someone who has previously received a SARC Award or the former Employer of Excellence Award.
- Please ensure that the employer is willing to be featured in a video.
- Please ensure that a representative of the employer is able to attend the SARC Awards banquet on October 23, 2019.

Nomination deadline at 12:00 pm (noon) June 5, 2019

Nomination Form

Nominations are to be received, not postmarked, by 12:00 p.m. (noon) on June 5, 2019.

Nominee Information:

Nominee name:

Is the individual aware that you are nominating them for this award?

Yes No

Nominator Information:

SARC Member Agency name:

Location:

Executive Director name:

Phone number:

Nominator name:

Daytime contact number:

Email:

Tips for Completing the Nomination Form:

- Consider the main points you would like to highlight and ensure they come through in your writing.
- Read what you've written from the perspective of someone who doesn't know the nominee: does it capture the nominee's story?
- Consider having someone else review the nomination for that second set of eyes - not only for proofreading (spelling & grammar) but also for a different perspective.

See next page to complete nomination:

Describe the employer's involvement with your organization's supported employment services and their commitment to a diversified workplace.

In responding, the selection committee is interested to learn about:

- **The relationship between the nominee and your organization.**
- **The nominee's leadership related to employing people experiencing disability both within the workplace and in the community.**
- **How the nominee has supported employees experiencing disability in the workplace (examples could include training, creative approaches, helping employees connect with the team, etc.).**
- **How the nominee's corporate culture supports employees experiencing disability to be welcomed members of the team in an inclusive workplace.**

Once this form is completed, please send the filled out document to ajanzen@sarc.sk.ca or click [here](#):



Send your Nomination Form(s) by June 5, 2019

at 12:00 pm to:

The SARC Awards Selection Committee

c/o SARC

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