

Dear Deans and ADRs/RLOs (and Assistants) of Social Sciences & Humanities related units:

I am writing on behalf of Dr. Digvir Jayas, Vice-President (Research and International), to provide an update of upcoming local, national and international **Social Sciences and Humanities** related research awards/honours and opportunities. The table below outlines pertinent deadlines up to **October 31, 2019**. Award names are hyperlinked to their respective websites.

Upon review of this list, please recommend names of identified candidates within your units (preferably at least once a month) to Brent Deere, Research Awards Administrator (brent.deere@umanitoba.ca or 204-474-8697), in order to facilitate a timeline (with milestones) for both national and international award nominations over the next 6-12 months from our institution.

A comprehensive listing of Research Awards opportunities is also available on the University of Manitoba's website: <http://umanitoba.ca/research/awards.htm>.

Social Sciences and Humanities Research Awards / Honours – Deadlines up to October 31, 2019

	Name of Award	Deadline	Internal RAA Deadline	Potential Value	Complete list of Past Winners
1)	Vautrin Lud Prize	March 31, 2019*		Honourary	Past Winners
2)	IPAC – Vanier Medal	March 31, 2019		Honourary	Past Winners
3)	Goncourt Prize	March 31, 2019		Honourary	Past Winners

4)	SSHRC Impact Awards	April 1, 2019		\$50,000 to \$100,000 (depending on prize category)	Past Winners
5)	Brandeis University – Gittler Prize	April 1, 2019		\$25,000 USD	Past Winners
6)	World Food Prize	May 1, 2019		\$250,000 USD	Past Winners
7)	Association of Commonwealth Universities (ACU) Titular Fellowships	May 6, 2019*		~\$8,000	Past Winners
8)	Canadian Museum of Nature – Nature Inspiration Awards	May 13, 2019		\$5,000 to be given by the winner to program of choice	Past Winners
9)	Berggruen Philosophy Prize	May 15, 2019		\$1,000,000 USD	Past Winners

10)	<u>Canada Council for the Arts - Killam Prize (Social Sciences, Humanities)</u>	June 15, 2019	Please advise if you are nominating someone	\$100,000	<u>Past Winners</u>
11)	<u>Holberg International Memorial Prize</u>	June 15, 2019		~\$617,000 USD	<u>Past Winners</u>
12)	<u>WXN's Canada's Most Powerful Women: Top 100</u>	June 17, 2019	Please advise by April 12, 2019 if you are nominating someone	Honourary	<u>Past Winners</u>
13)	<u>EdCan Network and Canadian Education Association - The Whitworth Award</u>	June 28, 2019		Honourary	<u>Past Winners</u>
14)	<u>BBVA Foundation Frontiers of Knowledge Awards</u>	June 30, 2019		€400,000, a diploma & commemorative artwork	<u>Past Winners</u>
15)	<u>The Templeton Prize</u>	July 1, 2019*		~\$1,500,000 USD	<u>Past Winners</u>

16)	<u>Science & SciLifeLab Prize for Young Scientists</u>	July 15, 2019		\$30,000 USD grand prize; \$10,000 USD for each category winner	<u>Past Winners</u>
17)	<u>The Royal-Mach-Gaensslen Prize for Mental Health Research</u>	July 15, 2019*		\$100,000	<u>Past Winners</u>
18)	<u>The Federation of Chinese Canadian Professionals (Ontario) – Award of Merit</u>	July 31, 2019*		\$2,500	<u>Past Winners</u>
19)	<u>YMCA-YWCA Women of Distinction Awards</u>	September 1, 2019*		Honourarium	<u>Past Winners</u>
20)	<u>Global Young Academy</u>	September 15, 2019*		Honourary	<u>Past Winners</u>
21)	<u>Wolf Foundation Prize</u>	September 17, 2019*	Please advise by June 1, 2019 if you have a candidate in mind	\$100,000 USD	<u>Past Winners</u>

22)	<u>Sloan Foundation – Fellowships</u>	September 17, 2019*		\$65,000 USD	<u>Past Winners</u>
23)	<u>John Simon Guggenheim Memorial Foundation – Fellowships</u>	September 17, 2019*		Varies	<u>Past Winners</u>
24)	<u>Kyoto Prizes in Arts and Philosophy</u>	September 20, 2019*		~\$450,000 USD and a 20K gold medal	<u>Past Winners</u>
25)	<u>Ramon Margalef Prize in Ecology</u>	September 28, 2019*		€80,000	<u>Past Winners</u>
26)	<u>Troland Research Award</u>	October 1, 2019*		\$75,000 USD	<u>Past Winners</u>
27)	<u>IPAC – Public Sector Leadership Awards</u>	October 4, 2019*		Honourary	<u>Past Winners</u>

28)	Haskins Medal	October 15, 2019*		Honourary	Past Winners
29)	CAD Arctic Inspiration Prize	October 15, 2019*	August 9, 2019	\$1,000,000	Past Winners
30)	CBC Manitoba Future 40	October 25, 2019*		Honourary	Past Winners
31)	John W. Kluge Prize	Ongoing		\$1,000,000 USD	Past Winners
32)	Order of Canada	Ongoing		Honourary	Past Winners

*Please note that some of these award deadlines are based on last year's dates as the agencies have not yet sent out their 2019 call for proposals, and are subject to change.

[1\) Vautrin Lud Prize – March 31, 2019 \(TBD\)](#)

The Vautrin Lud prize is the highest award in the field of geography. The award is modeled on the Nobel Prize, and informally called the “Nobel Prize for Geography”.

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[2\) IPAC – Vanier Medal – March 31, 2019](#)

First presented in 1962, The Institute of Public Administration awards the Vanier Medal as a mark of distinction and exceptional achievement to a person who has shown distinctive leadership in public administration and public service in Canada, or who has made a significant contribution in the field of public administration or public service in Canada.

A five member, independent panel of judges, appointed by the IPAC Board, reviews all nominations and makes the final determination of the medal recipient.

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3) Goncourt Prize – March 31, 2019

The Goncourt Prize is a prize in French literature, given by the Goncourt academy to the author of "the best and most imaginative prose work of the year" annually in November. It is considered the most important literary award in France.

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4) SSHRC Impact Awards – April 1, 2019

SSHRC Impact Awards are designed to build on and sustain Canada's research-based knowledge culture in all research areas of the social sciences and humanities. The awards recognize outstanding researchers and celebrate their research achievements, research training, knowledge mobilization, and outreach activities funded partially or entirely by SSHRC. [Eligible institutions](#) are invited to put forward nominations for the: Gold Medal (\$100,000); Talent Award (\$50,000); Insight Award (\$50,000); Connection Award (\$50,000); and Partnership Award (\$50,000).

SSHRC will only accept **one** nomination per institution (per year) for each of these five awards. Should you have an eligible nominee in mind for a SSHRC Impact Award, please send your candidate's CV along with the indicated award category (Gold Medal, Talent Award, Insight Award, Connection Award, or Partnership Award) for consideration to Brent Deere, Research Awards Administrator (brent.deere@umanitoba.ca).

5) Brandeis University – Joseph B. and Toby Gittler Prize – April 1, 2019

Recipients of the Joseph B. and Toby Gittler Prize will have produced a body of published work that reflects scholarly excellence and a lasting contribution to racial, ethnic and/or religious relations anywhere in the world. The award includes a cash prize of \$25,000 and a medal. The prize and medal are presented at a ceremony that includes a reception and a public lecture by the recipient on the Brandeis University campus in Waltham, Massachusetts.

To be considered for the Joseph B. and Toby Gittler Prize, candidates must be formally nominated. Self-nominations are not accepted.

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6) World Food Prize – May 1, 2019

The World Food Prize is the foremost international award recognizing -- without regard to race, religion, nationality, or political beliefs -- the achievements of individuals who have advanced human development by improving the quality, quantity or availability of food in the world. The Prize recognizes contributions in any field involved in the world food supply -- food and agriculture science and technology, manufacturing, marketing, nutrition, economics, poverty alleviation, political leadership and the social sciences.

The World Food Prize emphasizes the importance of a nutritious and sustainable food supply for all people. By honoring those who have worked successfully toward this goal, The Prize calls attention to what has been done to improve global food security and to what can be accomplished in the future. Since 1986, World Food Prize has honored outstanding individuals from countries around the world, including Bangladesh, Brazil, China, Cuba, Denmark, Ethiopia, India, Mexico, Sierra Leone, Switzerland, the United Kingdom, the United Nations and the United States.

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7) Association of Commonwealth Universities (ACU) Titular Fellowships – May 6, 2019 (TBD)

The ACU Titular Fellowships provide opportunities for nominees of member universities to spend periods of time in other member universities or relevant institutions outside their own country. Preference will be given to workers in the following priority subject areas: agriculture, forestry and food sciences, biotechnology, development strategies, earth and marine sciences, engineering, health and related social sciences, information technology, management for change, professional education and training, social and cultural development and university development and management.

Value:

Up to GBP £5000 and intended to cover:

- international economy return airfare and other travel costs
- medical insurance and visa fees
- board and lodging fees
- research costs

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8) Canadian Museum of Nature – Nature Inspiration Awards – May 13, 2019

The Nature Inspiration Awards recognize individuals and organizations that, through their work or specific projects, encourage Canadians to take an interest in natural history, create links with nature and contribute to its preservation. Categories include:

- Youth
- Adult
- Not-for-Profit Organization (Small and Medium)
- Not-for-Profit Organization (Large)
- Business (Small and Medium)
- Business (Large).

One Grand Prize of \$5000 to be given by the winner to the programme of his or her choice.

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9) Berggruen Philosophy Prize – May 15, 2019

The Berggruen Institute seeks to identify and nurture new ideas that have the potential to shape a better human future. Each year the Berggruen Institute offers the Berggruen Prize, a \$1 million award that recognizes humanistic thinkers whose ideas have helped us find direction, wisdom, and improved self-understanding in a world being rapidly transformed by profound social, technological, political, cultural, and economic change.

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10) Canada Council for the Arts - Killam Prize – June 15, 2019

The Canada Council for the Arts has announced the opening of nominations for the prestigious Killam Prizes. One award is made in each of the following fields:

- **Social sciences**
- **Humanities**
- Natural sciences
- Health sciences
- Engineering

An individual may not put forward his/her own nomination; they must be nominated by an expert in their field. To be nominated for the prizes, candidates must have made a substantial and distinguished contribution, over a significant period, to scholarly research in Canada. Nominees should be close to the top of an outstanding career. Only Canadian citizens are eligible.

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11) Holberg International Memorial Prize – June 15, 2019

The prize, which was established by the Norwegian Parliament in 2003, is awarded annually by the Ludvig Holberg Memorial Fund. The prize for 2012 is NOK 4.5 million (approximately EUR 565,000/USD 765,000*).

The prize is awarded to scholars who have made outstanding contributions to research in the arts and humanities, social science, law or theology, either within these fields or through interdisciplinary work. The prize winner must have had a decisive influence on international research. Scholars holding positions at universities and other research institutions, including academies, are entitled to nominate candidates for the Prize. The letter of nomination should be written in English and state the reasons for the nomination in 2 to 3 pages. The nomination should also include the candidate's CV and suggest referees who know the scholar's work. The function of the nomination is to make the Holberg Prize Academic Committee aware of the candidate's work. Joint nominations do not strengthen a candidacy. Nominations are strictly confidential.

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12) WXN's Canada's Most Powerful Women: Top 100 – June 17, 2019

Canada's Most Powerful Women: Top 100 Awards celebrates and honours women who are proven achievers in the private, public and not-for-profit sectors. To date, these awards have honoured 1,115 female leaders across Canada. This is a great opportunity for Canadian organizations and individuals to shine a national spotlight on inspiring women who are transforming their workplaces and the communities in which they live. There are 11 categories to choose from, each with its own selection criteria:

- 1) Arts, Sports and Entertainment Award
- 2) Champions Award
- 3) Emerging Leaders Award
- 4) Entrepreneurs Award
- 5) Future Leaders Award
- 6) Professionals Award
- 7) Trailblazers and Trendsetters Award
- 8) Industry Sector and Trades Award
- 9) Science and Technology Award
- 10) Corporate Executives Award
- 11) Public Sector Leaders Award

Please note: The WXN will accept a maximum of **3 nominations (per category)** for employees at one organization (including self-nominations). In order to ensure that no more than 3 nominations are put forward (per category) on behalf of our institution, please notify Brent Deere, Research Awards Administrator (brent.deere@umanitoba.ca), by **Friday, April 12th, 2019**, if you are interested in putting forward a nomination, or if you know of a researcher that is considering putting forward a self-nomination.

13) EdCan Network and Canadian Education Association - The Whitworth Award – June 28, 2019

Since 1967, the Whitworth Award has recognized individuals who have made a sustained and substantial contribution to educational research. It is awarded every three years. The Whitworth Award also provides additional networking opportunities with the Canadian Education Association (CEA)'s national network, and comes with an invitation to submit a feature article about their latest research focus to Education Canada magazine.

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14) BBVA Foundation Frontiers of Knowledge Awards – June 30, 2019

The BBVA Foundation Frontiers of Knowledge and Culture Awards seek to recognize and encourage world-class research and artistic creation, prizing contributions of broad impact for their originality and theoretical significance. The name of the scheme is intended to encapsulate both research work that successfully enlarges the scope of our current knowledge – pushing forward the frontiers of the known world – and the meeting and overlap of different disciplinary areas.

The BBVA Foundation Frontiers of Knowledge and Culture Awards, to be given annually, take in the following prize categories:

- Basic Sciences (Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics)
- Biomedicine
- Ecology and Conservation Biology
- Information and Communication Technologies
- Economics, Finance and Management
- Contemporary Music
- Climate Change
- Development Cooperation

The Awards will consist of €400,000, a diploma and a commemorative artwork in each prize category.

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15) The Templeton Prize – July 1, 2019 (TBD)

The Templeton Prize honors a living person who has made an exceptional contribution to affirming life's spiritual dimension, whether through insight, discovery, or practical works. Established in 1972 by the late Sir John Templeton, the Prize aims, in his words, to identify "entrepreneurs of the spirit"—outstanding individuals who have devoted their talents to expanding our vision of human purpose and ultimate reality. The Prize celebrates no particular faith tradition or notion of God, but rather the quest for progress in humanity's efforts to comprehend the many and diverse manifestations of the Divine.

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16) Science & SciLifeLab Prize for Young Scientists – July 15, 2019

Science/AAAS and SciLifeLab, a coordinated effort of four universities, have joined forces in creating the Science & SciLifeLab Prize for Young Scientists. Both Science/AAAS and SciLifeLab recognize that global economic health is dependent upon a vibrant research community and we need to incent our best and brightest to continue in their chosen fields of research. Considering the difficult economic environment, we feel it is important to provide extra encouragement to young scientists as they begin their scientific careers. Each year, the grand prize winner will receive a prize of US\$30,000; each of the three category winners will receive US\$10,000. The grand prize winning essay will be published in Science and essays from the three category winners will be published online.

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17) The Royal-Mach-Gaensslen Prize for Mental Health Research – July 15, 2019 (TBD)

This annual national Prize provides funding to outstanding early-career researchers (normally should not be older than 45 years of age) who are affiliated with a Canadian academic or clinical research institution in the field of mental health, to encourage them to continue to pursue their research interests. It recognizes those with a demonstrated track record in research with excellence in scientific rigor, innovative thinking, imagination and originality and a clear ability to work in partnership with other disciplines and/or research teams external to the institution with which they are affiliated.

The annual Prize is funded by a generous donation from the Mach-Gaensslen Foundation, building upon the wishes of its founders, Mr. Vaclav Mach and Dr. Hanni Gaensslen, to support mental health research. Each year for ten years, \$100,000 will be available to be awarded to one person or a research team of up to three persons per competition. The Prize is awarded with the expectation that the recipient(s) will continue to demonstrate excellence in their field of work. If no appropriate candidate is found, the Prize will be deferred for one year.

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18) The Federation of Chinese Canadian Professionals (Ontario) – Award of Merit – July 31, 2019 (TBD)

The FCCP Education Foundation Award of Merit was established in 1985. The Award has been given annually to distinguished Chinese Canadians with outstanding professional achievements. Nomination is open to both academic institutions and public. Each nomination must be sponsored by two nominators. It should include a brief resume of the nominee, outlining his or her achievements and/or contribution.

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19) YMCA-YWCA Winnipeg Women of Distinction Awards – September 1, 2019 (TBD)

You may know women who have made a unique and exemplary contribution to the development of others and our community. Nomination for the prestigious Women of Distinction Awards is itself an honour. The YMCA-YWCA encourages you to join them in honouring these women who inspire us by nominating them in one of the following categories:

- Arts, Culture & Heritage
- Business, Professions & Trades
- Community Activism & Social Enterprise
- Education, Training & Mentorship
- Health, Wellness & Fitness
- Public Awareness and Communications
- Science, Technology & Research
- Volunteerism
- Young Women of Distinction
- Eira “Babs” Friesen Lifetime Achievement Award
- The Gerrie Hammond Memorial Award of Promise
- The Prairie Award of Promise

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20) Global Young Academy – September 15, 2019 (TBD)

Applications are sought from young, independent scholars who combine the highest level of research excellence with a demonstrated passion for delivering impact. The call is open to all scholars working in any research-based discipline, including the sciences, medicine, engineering, social sciences, the arts and humanities. Applicants must be able to demonstrate a high level of excellence in their discipline.

The Global Young Academy is committed to a broad range of programs around the world to support young scholars, promote science to a broad audience, engage in policy debate, and foster international and interdisciplinary collaboration. Applicants should provide evidence of interest or experience in one or more of these areas. Applicants should be in the early years of their independent careers. The majority of the GYA's members are aged 30-40 and the typical period from completion of a PhD or similar degree is 3-10 years. Applicants falling significantly outside these ranges may be considered under exceptional circumstances.

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21) Wolf Foundation Prizes – September 17, 2019 (TBD)

Israel's Wolf Prizes are awarded to outstanding scientists and artists--irrespective of nationality, race, color, religion, sex or political views--for achievements in the interest of mankind and friendly relations among people.

Six prizes of \$100,000 are awarded annually in the Sciences, prize fields including: Agriculture, Chemistry, Mathematics, Medicine and Physics. In the Arts, prizes rotate annually amongst Architecture, Music, Painting and Sculpture.

Nominations are only considered if they are brought forward by the director of a research institute, the dean of a faculty, or head of the department in one of the prize fields. Please contact Brent Deere (brent.deere@umanitoba.ca or by phone at 204-474-8697) if you would like assistance with your nomination – our internal deadline for reviewing nomination material is **June 1, 2019**. Should you not require our assistance, for our record keeping purposes, we would appreciate knowing if you or your faculty will be putting a name forward.

22) Sloan Foundation Fellowships – September 17, 2019 (TBD)

The Sloan Research Fellowships seek to stimulate fundamental research by early-career scientists and scholars of outstanding promise. These two-year, \$65,000 fellowships are awarded yearly to 126 researchers in recognition of distinguished performance and a unique potential to make substantial contributions to their field.

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23) John Simon Guggenheim Memorial Foundation – Fellowships – September 17, 2019 (TBD)

Guggenheim Fellowships are intended for individuals who have already demonstrated exceptional capacity for productive scholarship or exceptional creative ability in the arts. Fellowships are awarded through two annual competitions: one open to citizens and permanent residents of the United States and Canada, and the other open to citizens and permanent residents of Latin America and the Caribbean. Candidates must apply to the Guggenheim Foundation in order to be considered in either of these competitions.

The Foundation receives between 3,500 and 4,000 applications each year. Although no one who applies is guaranteed success in the competition, there is no prescreening: all applications are reviewed. Approximately 200 Fellowships are awarded each year.

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24) Kyoto Prizes in Arts and Philosophy – September 20, 2019 (TBD)

The Kyoto Prize is an international award to honor those who have contributed significantly to the scientific, cultural, and spiritual betterment of mankind. The Prize is presented annually in each of the following three categories: Advanced Technology, Basic Sciences, and Arts and Philosophy.

Laureates shall in principle be individuals (one person per category). However, in special cases a single Prize may be shared among more than one person. Selection is made without regard to nationality, race, gender, age, or religion. Each laureate is presented with a diploma, a 20K gold Kyoto Prize medal, and prize money of 50 million yen per category.

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25) Ramon Margalef Prize in Ecology – September 28, 2019 (TBD)

This international award aims to recognise those individuals, organisations and groups around the world who have exceptionally distinguished themselves in the cultivation of ecological science. The Prize is eighty thousand euros and a unique and symbolic token in memory of Ramon Margalef.

Nominations are made by universities, colleges, research centres, science academies or academies with divisions devoted to scientific research and other similar institutions, and by persons awarded the Prize in previous years and those who have been members of the Prize jury.

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26) Troland Research Award – October 1, 2019 (TBD)

Two Troland Research Awards of \$75,000 are given annually to recognize unusual achievement by young investigators (defined as no older than 40) and to further empirical research within the broad spectrum of experimental psychology. The Troland Research Award was established by a trust created in 1931 by the bequest of Leonard T. Troland.

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27) IPAC – Public Sector Leadership Awards – October 4, 2019 (TBD)

The IPAC/Deloitte Public Sector Leadership Awards program recognizes organizations that have demonstrated outstanding leadership by taking bold steps to improve Canada, through advancements in public policy and management.

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28) Haskins Medal – October 15, 2019

The Haskins Medal is awarded annually by the Medieval Academy of America for a distinguished book in the field of medieval studies. First presented in 1940, the award honors Charles Homer Haskins, the noted medieval historian, who was a founder of the

Medieval Academy and its second President. The award is announced at the annual meeting of the Academy each spring. The medal was designed in 1939 by Graham Carey, and the name of the recipient and the year of the award are engraved on the edge.

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29) CAD Arctic Inspiration Prize – October 15, 2019 (TBD)

The Arctic Inspiration Prize is intended for multidisciplinary teams who have made a substantial, demonstrated and distinguished contribution to the gathering of Arctic knowledge and who have provided a concrete plan and commitment to implement their knowledge into real world application for the benefit of the Canadian Arctic, its Peoples and therefore Canada as a whole.

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30) CBC Manitoba Future 40 – October 25, 2019 (TBD)

Launched in 2015, this contest recognizes Manitoba's top leaders, builders and change-makers who are 40 or under.

Nominees must be 40 years of age or under as of October 2019. Canadian nominees must reside in Manitoba for a minimum of 1 year with proof of official residence in Manitoba. One nominee can be submitted per nominator. Once a nomination is submitted it is publically published on CBC's website along with the nominator's name.

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31) John W. Kluge Prize – Ongoing

The Kluge Prize celebrates the importance of the study of humanity and recognizes individuals whose outstanding scholarship in the humanities and social sciences has shaped both public affairs and civil society. The Prize is ordinarily a \$1 million award.

The Prize rewards sustained achievement in a wide range of disciplines including history, philosophy, politics, anthropology, sociology, religion, criticism in the arts and humanities, and linguistics—disciplines not covered by the Nobel Prizes. The Prize is

awarded on a semi-regular basis, usually every two to three years. In some years the Prize has been shared by two individuals. The Prize is international; the recipient may be of any nationality, and write and work in any language.

Nominations must be made in writing and include a detailed assessment of a nominee's accomplishments. Explanatory documentation is helpful, and is essential for any nomination received without prior solicitation. Self-nominations are not accepted. Nominations must come from individuals worldwide in the fields of politics, academia, the diplomatic corps, public policy, business and the media.

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32) Order of Canada – Ongoing

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Sincerely,

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