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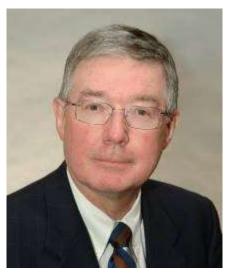
2020 Award Citation

EIC Fellow

John McDougall

Nominated by the Canadian Society of Senior Engineers

John McDougall is not only an innovator: he has spent most of his adult life bringing other innovators together to improve Canada's place in scientific research. From the start of his own company, Dalcor Innoventures, through his tenure as the founding chair of the Ernest and Gertrude Poole chair of Engineering Management at the University of Alberta, leading both the Alberta and National Research Councils to being the Principal of the Canada School of Innovation, John has been helping to bring innovators together to reach critical masses and achieve great results. John is passionate about and has provided important leadership in advancing the science, technology and innovation sectors of Canada's economy.

In addition to his work responsibilities, he has volunteered and served as the President of APEGA, Engineers Canada, and the Edmonton Chamber of Commerce. He has served on many boards including the Alberta Science Foundation and the Alberta Branch of St John's Ambulance.

John is a Fellow of Engineers Canada, the Canadian Academy of Engineering and the Canadian Society of Senior Engineers.

Ladies and gentlemen, and Mr. President, please welcome John McDougall as a Fellow of the Engineering Institute of Canada.