

## Call for Nominations: SCC Committees (2024)

*Do you want to take on an active role in a growing national Society?*

The Society of Canadian Colposcopists (SCC) is seeking nominations from members of the Canadian colposcopy community to serve on the **Education or Communications and Advocacy Committees** as a **Committee Member**. SCC strives for committee membership that reflects a diversity of geographical regions, experiences, backgrounds, and perspectives. Trainees, including residents and fellows, are welcomed.

As a committee member in a national organization, you will have opportunities to participate in initiatives that will help make SCC a valuable resource and networking hub for members and healthcare professionals within the broader colposcopy community across the country!

### Eligibility Criteria

In accordance with [SCC's Bylaws](#) and the [Canada Not-for-profit Corporations](#) Act, all candidates must meet the following requirements:

- Hold an active SCC membership for the duration of their term;
- Be individuals over the age of 18 years who have not been declared incapable by a court and who do not have the status of bankrupt; and
- Attend three (3) to four (4) virtual committee meetings per year and special meetings as required.

### To Apply

**To express your interest or nominate a colleague, please complete the online nomination form (<https://forms.office.com/r/9RMYpSKWGi>) by Thursday, February 29, 11:59pm PST.** In this form, you will be asked to provide your biographical information and statement of interest (max. 300 words).

Nominations will be reviewed by the Membership Committee consisting of the President, President-Elect, and Membership Chair. Successful candidates will be recommended to the Board of Directors for approval.

### About SCC and Its Committees

SCC ([www.colposcopycanada.org](http://www.colposcopycanada.org)) is a national organization bringing together healthcare professionals who have displayed a particular interest in, and knowledge of, lower genital tract neoplasia and benign disorders and are willing to assist the Society in attaining its goals and objectives.

- To strive for the provision of the highest quality of care in the detection and treatment of cervical, vaginal, and vulvar cancer precursor lesions and other benign lesions of the lower

genital tract;  
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- To recommend and strengthen the basic standards in the training program in colposcopy and associated treatment modalities;
- To encourage basic, clinical, and epidemiologic research in colposcopy and lower genital tract disease;
- To develop and recommend clinical practice guidelines for colposcopy; and
- To provide an educational forum for interdisciplinary presentation, discussion, and publication of scientific inquiry into colposcopy, pre-invasive cervical disease, and other benign lesions of the lower genital tract.

### Education Committee

Education is currently the most active committee within SCC and input from members will be put into action to create value-added educational initiatives for members and trainees. Specifically, we are looking for members interested in developing their academic education portfolio by contributing to the development of:

- Regular SCC-GOC webinars on relevant topics in HPV-associated disease;
- The SCC Annual General Meeting (AGM);
- A hands-on colposcopy course at annual national meetings; and
- An online accredited Canadian colposcopy course, including hands on clinical mentorship in local colposcopy clinics.

### Communications and Advocacy Committee

Communications and Advocacy is a new committee that proposes to keep providers and the public up to date with the changing landscape of HPV prevention and on current issues and initiatives within the colposcopy network, nationally and internationally. The committee will also work to develop a plan to inform the public about HPV and the transition to HPV-based screening. All initiatives will be supported through the GOC/SCC Communications Coordinator. Specific tasks will include the development of:

- A communications plan to continue to grow membership;
- Content for quarterly SCC newsletters;
- Content for SCC social media accounts, including Facebook, Twitter (X), etc., with target audiences in mind; and
- A communications plan for the public around HPV and primary HPV-based screening.

Any questions about the nomination process can be directed to [enquiry@gyneoncology.ca](mailto:enquiry@gyneoncology.ca).

We look forward to receiving your nomination!

*The Society of Canadian Colposcopists welcomes and encourages applications from people with disabilities. Accommodations are available on request for candidates taking part in all aspects of the nomination process.*



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