

## Nomination Form

### Belle Mulligan Award for Leadership in Investor Relations

November 3, 2014

The Award for Leadership in Investor Relations is given in honour of the late Belle Mulligan to recognize individuals who have shown singular leadership in one or more aspects of the practice of IR. These could include new or improved applications of technology, progressive approaches to disclosure, outstanding mentorship, or remarkable leadership in many other aspects of IR.

Belle Mulligan (1940-2009) will long be remembered as a leader and standard setter in the IR profession, and a founder of CIRI. Her passion for IR began through her association with NIRI in the early 1970s. When she returned to Canada in 1981, she joined a small cadre of IR leaders here to develop NIRI Canada, now CIRI. She served on both the CIRI and NIRI Boards, and was a frequent speaker at IR events. She was respected for her integrity, which cemented her credibility, and she was cited by one analyst as "adding 10% to the valuation" of the senior gold mining company she represented. Her professionalism won her many admirers, and her engaging personality and generous heart won her a wide circle of friends. She was a mentor to many IROs, urging them to set their sights high within their organizations.

You are invited to participate in the nominating process by completing the form attached. The deadline for nominations is April 24, 2015.

### Award for Leadership Criteria and Selection

1. The nominee is a member of CIRI and an IR practitioner at a publicly traded company.
2. The nominee has demonstrated singular leadership in one or more aspects of the practice of IR.
3. The nominee has demonstrated a high level of integrity.

Recipients are selected by the Award for Leadership Selection Committee, consisting of the CIRI President & CEO, Jane Watson and Len Mulligan.

It may not be appropriate to grant the award every year. The award should be granted only when there is a deserving recipient. If bestowed, the award will be presented at CIRI's Annual Conference.

#### Past Award Recipients:

Alison Thompson (2010)

Denita Stann (2011)

Sonya Mehan (2012)

Richard Downey (2013)

Jennifer McCaughey (2014)

If you have any questions about the nominating process, please contact Jane Maciel at [jmaciel@ciri.org](mailto:jmaciel@ciri.org) or (416) 364-8200 ext. 222.

