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### **The Investment Industry Association of Canada (IIAC) Congratulates the 2015 IIAC Investment Industry Hall of Fame Inductees**

*The industry comes together tonight to celebrate the 2015 class of Inductees  
and the IIAC Top Under 40 Award Nominees*

**Toronto, ON, October 29, 2015** – The [IIAC Investment Industry Hall of Fame](#) was established to honour excellence, integrity and leadership in Canada’s investment industry. At a Gala Dinner this evening, the IIAC will enshrine the distinguished 2015 class of Inductees, including:

- Peter M. Brown – Founder and former Chairman & CEO, Canaccord Financial Inc.
- Frederick M. Ketchen – Former Director, Equity Trading, ScotiaMcLeod
- Donald A. Leslie – Former President & CEO, Canadian Investor Protection Fund
- Charles M. Winograd – Former Chairman & CEO, RBC Capital Markets; current Chairman, TMX Group

#### **Posthumous Inductees**

- Jalynn H. Bennett – Former Director, Bank of Canada; former Commissioner, Ontario Securities Commission
- Sir Rodolphe Forget – Former Chairman, Montreal Stock Exchange; former Partner, L. J. Forget et Compagnie
- Jean-Louis Lévesque – Founder, Lévesque, Beaubien Inc.
- Charles Edward (Ted) Medland – Former President & CEO and Chairman, Wood Gundy Ltd.

“These individuals have played a pivotal role in the development and growth of the investment industry and capital markets in Canada,” said Ian Russell, IIAC President and CEO. “They have contributed to capital formation and to the financial security of Canadians.”

“Their induction into the *IIAC Investment Industry Hall of Fame* recognizes their remarkable business success and their outstanding contribution to the investment industry, their communities and to Canada. It is fitting that they take their place among the distinguished Inductees who have set a high standard of excellence, innovation and social responsibility,” Russell added.

This evening’s Gala Dinner will also celebrate the [2015 IIAC Top Under 40 Award Nominees](#). These Nominees represent the talent and diversity in the industry; they are its future and an inspiration for ambitious young men and women looking to pursue a career in the investment industry. The winner of the *IIAC Top Under 40 Award* will be announced at the event.

A ceremonial display honouring the 2015 IIAC Investment Industry Hall of Fame Inductees is located outside the TMX Broadcast Centre at 130 King Street W. in Toronto.

### **About the IIAC**

The Investment Industry Association of Canada (IIAC) is the national association representing the investment industry's position on securities regulation, public policy and industry issues on behalf of our 144 IIROC-regulated investment dealer Member firms in the Canadian securities industry. These dealer firms are the key intermediaries in Canadian capital markets, accounting for the vast majority of financial advisory services, securities trading and underwriting in public and private markets for governments and corporations. The IIAC provides leadership for the Canadian securities industry with a commitment to a vibrant, prosperous investment industry driven by strong and efficient capital markets.

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