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### **The Investment Industry Association of Canada (IIAC) Announces 2016 IIAC Investment Industry Hall of Fame Inductees**

**Toronto, ON, July 14, 2016** – The [IIAC Investment Industry Hall of Fame](#) honours excellence, integrity and leadership in Canada’s investment industry.

The IIAC is proud to announce the 2016 Inductees into the Hall of Fame:

- **J. Brian Aune** – Former Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Nesbitt Thomson Inc.
- **Jim W. Davidson** – Co-founder and Executive Chairman, FirstEnergy Capital Corp.
- **Doug Steiner** – Chief Executive Officer, Evree Corp.; Former Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, E\*TRADE Canada; Founder, VERSUS Technologies, Perimeter Markets Inc., and E\*TRADE Technologies Inc.
- **Latham C. Burns** – Former President and Chief Executive Officer, Burns Fry Ltd. (posthumous)
- **J. Ross LeMesurier** – Former Vice Chairman and Head of Corporate Finance, Wood Gundy Inc. (posthumous)
- **Austin G.E. Taylor** – Former Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, McLeod, Young, Weir (posthumous)

“This year’s Inductees left an indelible mark on the investment industry and capital markets in Canada,” said Ian Russell, IIAC President and CEO. “They built and led innovative businesses that continue to play a key role in the development and growth of today’s industry.”

“Their induction is a testament to their accomplishments and to their integrity, leadership and contribution to their communities,” Russell added.

The 2016 Inductees will be formally recognized and celebrated at a Gala Dinner on the evening of Thursday, October 27, 2016 at the Delta Toronto hotel.

For more information on the *IIAC Investment Industry Hall of Fame* and its 2016 class of Inductees, click [here](#). For more information on the Gala Dinner and Induction Ceremony, please click [here](#).

**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 [133 IROC-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. For more information, please visit [www.iiac.ca](http://www.iiac.ca).

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**Background****The Process**

The 2016 selection process began in February with a national call for nominations. During the three-month submission period, the names of distinguished industry professionals from across Canada were put forward for consideration. Nominations were vetted by Members of the *IIAC Investment Industry Hall of Fame* Selection Committee—an independent committee—comprised of distinguished Canadians who work, or have worked, in the investment industry, business, politics, the legal profession or academia.

The Members of the *IIAC Investment Industry Hall of Fame* Selection Committee are:

**The Hon. Gary Filmon, P.C., O.C., O.M.**

Independent Chairman of the Board of Directors, Exchange Income Corporation  
Former Premier of the Province of Manitoba  
Winnipeg, Manitoba

**Chris Collingwood**

Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Baine Johnston Corporation  
St. John's, Newfoundland

**Jean Martel, Ad. E.**

Partner, Lavery, de Billy LLP  
Montreal, Quebec

**Dr. J. Colin Dodds**

President Emeritus, Professor of Finance, Saint Mary's University  
Halifax, Nova Scotia

**Sue Lemon, CFA**

Chief Executive Officer, CFA Society Toronto  
Toronto, Ontario

**Criteria for Inductees***Industry Impact*

- The individual demonstrated investment industry leadership skills (e.g. has held executive positions; is recognized as an influencer; and/or has devised innovative solutions in financing and trading).
- The individual made an outstanding contribution to building and shaping Canada's investment industry by:
  - Creating independent franchises to serve the investing public and corporate/ government issuers
  - Participating on investment industry boards and committees
  - Designing and implementing capital markets infrastructure for trading, clearing and settlement
  - Advocating for sound public policy and effective regulation of firms, markets and industry participants
  - Positively impacting Canadian investors
  - Serving as a lifelong supporter of—or ambassador for—the investment industry

*Leadership, Ethics and Social Responsibility*

- The individual positively influenced others by:
  - Holding leadership positions in his/her community
  - Enriching his/her community by volunteering his/her time
- The individual embraced and demonstrated strong values through:
  - A lifetime commitment to integrity, strong ethics and social responsibility