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Notice to Exceptionally Nominate Tier 1 Canada Research Chair to Complete Maximum 14 Years

To allow a current second term Tier 1 Canada Research Chair (CRC) holder at Queen's University to complete a maximum of 14 years (2 x 7-year terms) as a Tier 1 CRC, Queen's University intends to submit a renewal nomination for this chairholder to complete 14 years. The chairholder, now in their second term, completed just 2.5 years of the first term at another institution, leaving them 4.5 years short of the 14-year maximum at the conclusion of their term. The university has deemed this a rare circumstance; the Chair is the only current second term CRC at Queen's with an incomplete first term. Since the inception of the CRC program almost 20 years ago in 2000, Queen's University has not used the exceptional nomination/renewal mechanisms allowed by TIPS, making this a rare occurrence at Queen's.

The nomination process will be carried out in accordance with the relevant exceptional circumstance Tri-agency Institutional Programs Secretariat (TIPS) provisions, which can be found at: <https://www.chairs-chaire.gc.ca/program-programme/renew-renouvellement-eng.aspx#s13>

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