



## *SFU Hummingbird Award*

### **Declaration of Restorative Justice Values and Spirit**

This award recognizes the continuing legacy of the compassionate and courageous spirit of Dr. Elizabeth Elliott, founder of the Centre for Restorative Justice. The award recognizes the tenacious spirit of *hummingbirds* who declare themselves to the values and relationships that build and sustain healthy communities.

**The *hummingbird* award is open to all residents of British Columbia and is presented annually to an individual or group who:**

- 1) Models restorative justice values, principles and practices of restorative justice and community development.
- 2) Strives for the promotion of human dignity and social justice through their work with victims, offenders, colleagues, families and community.
- 3) Demonstrates voluntary commitment to the capacity for individuals to build a healthier, ethical and more democratic society.
- 4) Builds awareness and knowledge about restorative justice through critical engagement.
- 5) Enables capacity building through a courageous and compassionate spirit that builds relationships with others, the natural world, and our self.

**Closing date for submission of nominations: October 13, 2017.**

The recipient will be announced at the Annual Liz Elliott Memorial Lecture. The recipient will be invited to receive the award and deliver a short address to the audience. There is no financial remuneration associated with this award.

Nominations must include the following:

1. Name, affiliation and contact information of nominator.
2. Name, affiliation and contact information of nominee.
3. Short biography of nominee (max 250 words; in a form that could be read aloud)
4. Nomination overview that clearly outlines how the nominee meets the five (5) *hummingbird* criteria specified above (maximum of three (3) pages).
5. Letters of support (minimum of two (2) to a maximum of four (4) letters) that convey the nominee's spirit and commitment to the *hummingbird* criteria. Please note that letters of support from nominee(s) or their family members will not be accepted.

Terms and Conditions:

Completed nominations must be submitted by mail (no electronic applications) to:

Centre for Restorative Justice,  
School of Criminology,  
Simon Fraser University,  
8888 University Drive,  
Burnaby, British Columbia  
Canada V5A 1S6

Format: Plain white paper (8 x 11.5); Times New Roman, Font Size 12; Double Spacing.

Completed nominations will include: biography; nomination overview; letters of support.

All required documentation must be received before the nomination closing date; no later than October 13, 2017.

It is the nominator's responsibility to ensure that the nomination is complete. Only complete nominations will be considered by the Selection Committee.

Only 'REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION' as listed above will be accepted. Additional materials will not be considered by the Selection Committee.

Previously submitted nominations for nominees that did not receive the Award can be re-submitted for consideration. In such cases, it is required that the documentation submitted be updated and re-submitted.

Self-nominations will not be accepted.

Current students, adjunct professors, and committee members of the Centre for Restorative Justice are not eligible for the award.

The successful nominator will be informed of the Selection Committee's decision in October.

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