

Tim Brown Award (individual)

This award is presented to a person of First Nation status and non-status, Métis or Inuit background for outstanding contributions to advancing the voice of Indigenous people in OPSEU and the labour movement.

Rainford Jackson Education and Development Fund Award

This fund is awarded to support organizations or projects that aim to reduce racism and improve the condition of minority groups in our society through education and organization.

Nomination process

1. The award recipients will be decided by the Executive Board.
2. Nominations must be received in the **Corporate Secretary's Office** no later than **March 7, 2018**.
3. Nominations may be made by any local member, Executive Board member, and staff member, as well as the Provincial Human Rights Committee, the Provincial Women's Committee, the Provincial Young Workers Committee, the Provincial Francophone Committee, the Indigenous Circle, the Rainbow Alliance arc-en-ciel, the Disability Rights Caucus, and the Workers of Colour Caucus.
4. Nominations must include a brief statement indicating the nature of the significant contribution for which the award is deserved.
5. No Executive Board Member whose local is under consideration, or who has nominated a candidate, or who him or herself has been nominated, may vote on the award.

Please download the attached form and open it in Acrobat. It is fillable. Return it to the Corporate Secretary by fax at 416-443-0017, or email it to nklass@opseu.org **no later than March 7, 2018**, copying your Executive Board Member.

In solidarity,



Warren (Smokey) Thomas
President