

Notice of Volunteer Position

OPSEU/SEFPO College Support Staff Full-Time Retiree Representative

OPSEU/SEFPO CAAT Retiree Group Insurance Advisory Committee

Term of Office: May 5, 2025 - close of following Final Demand Set Meeting (TBD)

Duties and Responsibilities

The OPSEU/SEFPO CAAT Retiree Group Insurance Advisory Committee consists of one representative, each, of Support Staff, Faculty and Management Retirees, and the Colleges, with support from OPSEU/SEFPO and the College Employer Council, and meets in Toronto at least once per year, and communicates via email and teleconferencing to:

- Monitor the financial experience of the Retiree benefits plans for College employees;
- Ensure that retiree benefits remain an affordable option for college retirees;
- Respond to retirees' inquiries and communicate with retirees around plan changes and issues;
- Advocate for retirees with contentious claims;
- Participate in reviewing and making recommendations around the annual renewal of plan insurance contracts;
- Discuss and make recommendations on issues effecting retiree benefits

Remuneration

This is strictly a volunteer position, with no compensation. Expenses for necessary travel, accommodation and meals will be reimbursed as per OPSEU/SEFPO policy.

Qualifications

To be eligible for nomination, a candidate must be:

- A retired, former member of a College Support Staff Full-Time Bargaining Unit and Local represented by OPSEU/SEFPO
- In receipt of a CAAT Pension, and currently opting to receive CAAT Retiree Benefits
- Nominated by a College Full-Time Support Staff retiree, who is also in receipt of a CAAT Pension and currently opting to receive CAAT Retiree Benefits
- A member in good standing of OPSEU/SEFPO Retiree Member Division (or willing to join).

Knowledge of the terms and conditions of the CAATS Retiree benefits plans, public speaking skills, and experience advocating on behalf of others, including seniors and/or persons with disabilities, is strongly recommended.

Nomination Process

Nominations will be received by Giulia Volpe, gvolpe@opseu.org, until 5 pm, on **Friday, January 31, 2025**. Please complete the attached nomination form. Eligible nominees will be interviewed, and a successful candidate selected, by a committee including at least one (1) member of College Support Staff Full-Time Divisional Executive and one (1) member of the College Support Staff Joint Insurance Committee.

NOMINATION FORM
OPSEU/SEFPO College Support Staff Full-Time Retiree Representative

Nominator's Statement

I, _____, certify that I am a College Support Staff Full-Time retiree, formerly a member in good standing of OPSEU/SEFPO Local _____, employed by _____ College, from (years): _____ to _____. I am currently in receipt of a CAAT Pension, and CAAT Retiree Benefits.

I wish to nominate _____, for the position of Retiree Representative on the OPSEU/SEFPO CAAT Retiree Group Insurance Advisory Committee, 2025 - TBD.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Nominee's Statement

I, _____, certify that I am a College Support Staff Full-Time retiree, formerly a member in good standing of OPSEU/SEFPO Local _____, employed by _____ College, from (years): _____ to _____. I am currently in receipt of a CAAT Pension, and CAAT Retiree Benefits.

I accept this nomination for the position of Retiree Representative on the OPSEU/SEFPO CAAT Retiree Group Insurance Advisory Committee, 2025 - TBD.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Email: gvolpe@opseu.org

Deadline for Nominations: January 31, 2025, 5 pm