

Edmonton Public Library Board - Appointment Recommendations

Committee	Members	Appointment Term
Edmonton Public Library Board	<u>Appointments (2)</u> James Crossman Sandra Marin	May 1, 2019 to April 30, 2021 May 1, 2019 to April 30, 2021
	<u>Reappointments (4)</u> Kenna Houncaren Aaida Peerani Jill Scheyk Fern Snart	May 1, 2019 to April 30, 2021 May 1, 2019 to April 30, 2021 May 1, 2019 to April 30, 2021 May 1, 2019 to April 30, 2021

Below is a brief public introduction as provided by new Appointees:

James Crossman	Edmonton Public Library Board
<p>James Crossman is a Data Centre Design Engineer with PowerHouse Data Centre Group, an Alberta-based company providing design, procurement, construction, and commissioning services for mission critical facilities. James works with multi-disciplinary teams of executives, engineers, project managers, suppliers, tradespeople, IT managers, and facility operators to deliver projects to a broad range of clients. Prior to this role James spent over ten years as an electrical engineer, shareholder, and director of a medium-sized Edmonton-based engineering firm. He obtained his Bachelor of Science in Engineering degree from the University of Alberta in Edmonton.</p> <p>James excels at bridging communication between technical and business audiences and can effectively distill complex technical concepts. James believes that projects succeed at the intersection of bold leadership, creative vision, and technical excellence.</p> <p>A life-long Edmonton Public Library customer, James has recently discovered the joy of sharing the Library with his two young children. James is a passionate advocate for public libraries and believes they can play a critical role in helping people from all walks of life succeed</p>	
Sandra Marin	Edmonton Public Library Board
<p>Sandra Marin started her own Executive Coaching and Consulting company in 2007. She coaches senior leaders, teams and individuals wanting to increase effectiveness and performance. Sandra is passionate about supporting leaders wanting to create more positive and productive work environments.</p> <p>Prior to 2007, Sandra held a variety of sales leadership positions with Nestle, Levi Strauss and Co., Hudson Bay. She was responsible for multi-million dollar revenue and</p>	

operating budgets, and for developing multi-level sales teams. A career change into Human Resources with a focus on Organization Effectiveness and Development saw Sandra leading HR departments and teams, coaching and supporting leaders across organizations.

Sandra has significant Board experience including Human Resources Institute of Alberta, YMCA Enterprise Centre, Golden Retriever Club of Canada, SkirtsAfire Society. Her formal education includes a Bachelor of Arts from Carleton University in Ottawa, a Certificate in Human Resource Management from the University of Alberta, a Certificate In Organizational Foundations from Queens University. She holds several coaching certifications and is a member of the International Coach Federation.

Sandra's love affair with libraries began when she was a child and continues to this day.