

PRINCIPLES OF ENGAGEMENT FOR THE BOARD CHAIR

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ROLE

The principal role of the Board Chair is to provide leadership to the Board of Governors. The Board Chair is accountable to the Board, acts as a direct liaison between the Board and President, and represents the Board internally and externally, including acting as the spokesperson for Board decisions.

DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

In addition to the duties and responsibilities of an individual Governor, the Board Chair is responsible for fulfilling the duties set out in the University of Western Ontario Act, 1982 [as amended in 1988] (the Act), the By-Laws of the Board, and the following:

