

# Celebrating Indigenous Excellence in Canada's Forest Sector

Canadian forestry is one of the largest employers of Indigenous peoples and home to over 1,400 Indigenous-owned forestry businesses. Indigenous peoples now directly control 10% of the national wood supply and play a leading role in the sector through joint ventures, contracting, cooperative agreements, and collaborative initiatives across the country.

Forest Products Association of Canada (FPAC), the Canadian Council for Aboriginal Business (CCAB), and the Canadian Council of Forests Ministers (CCFM) are pleased to announce the **2022 Indigenous Business Leadership Award** and the **2022 Skills Awards for Indigenous Youth**.

These programs recognize and celebrate selected Indigenous entrepreneurs and Indigenous youth for their success, skills development and career aspirations in the forest products industry.

Please use our digital application portal to learn more or submit an application.

**Learn More & Apply Today!**

Applications are due by:  
Friday, June 3, 2022 at 11:59 pm EDT.

