

## Black Rhodium Award

This award recognizes up to two Black educators who have demonstrated an outstanding commitment to equity in teaching, making a significant impact on students, colleagues, schools, and communities. This award celebrates the educator who has excelled in fostering inclusive learning environments, advocating for anti-racism, and leading initiatives that promote diversity, equity, and inclusion. A teacher may be the recipient of this award once during their career. The recipient(s) of the Black Rhodium Award shall be awarded \$300 and recognized at the Annual Dinner.

### **Criteria:**

The **Black Rhodium Award** may be granted to a current member of ETT who:

- a) is involved in school initiatives
- b) is involved in community initiatives
- c) brings awareness of anti-racism issues
- d) affects lives of students, teachers and community in a positive way
- e) initiates club(s), workshop(s) and/or community involvement with an equity focus
- f) is a leader and positive role model for others
- g) has a positive attitude towards diversity which brings about harmony
- h) works collaboratively and inspires others

### **Submission of Applications**

Applications must be received at [awards@ett.on.ca](mailto:awards@ett.on.ca) no later than Tuesday, May 6, 2025 at 4:00 p.m.

## Black Rhodium Award Nomination Form

Nominee Information			
First Name		Last Name	
Email Address			
Name of School			
School Phone Number			
Other Contact Phone Number			
Does the nominee identify as Black?			

First Nominator's Information			
First Name		Last Name	
Email Address			
Name of School			

Second Nominator's Information			
First Name		Last Name	
Email Address			
Name of School			

## Nominee Criteria Information

1) Equity and Social Justice Initiatives in the School and or Community (chronologically with most recent)		
Year(s)	Brief description of responsibilities/activities	School

2) Union Involvement (local, provincial and or national levels)		
Year(s)	Role	Brief description of responsibilities/activities

3) Community Involvement (local, provincial and or national levels)

Year(s)	Role	Brief description of responsibilities/activities

4) Professional Involvement (eg. curriculum writing teams, workshops etc.)

Year	Brief description of responsibilities

5) Awards (list of awards received related to equity and social justice).

Year	Brief description of responsibilities

6) in 250 words or less, explain why the nominee should be chosen as the recipient of the Black Rhodium Award

(add more pages if needed)