

DIRECTOR GENERAL

Since 1969, Dawson College has offered a transformative, innovative, and unique CEGEP experience in English. It is a first-choice CEGEP with five pre-university and 21 technical programs serving 8,200 day students, a thriving continuing education service of 2,300 students and many opportunities to learn beyond the classroom.

Our heritage campus is located right in the heart of downtown Montreal and spans over 12 acres of greenspace which includes the Peace Garden. The College is a recognized leader in sustainability and has made a formal commitment to be carbon neutral forever. We are currently seeking to fill the position of:

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Reporting to the Board of Governors, the Director General (DG) is responsible for the management of the College and provides the leadership necessary to ensure that Dawson College continues to flourish.

The DG will ensure the delivery of high-quality instruction and services; that students are provided the opportunities to succeed, and employees the resources to deliver superior education. The DG will favour the development of a bold and innovative vision for the College's educational mission and engage the community towards the realization of that vision. Dawson College has a tradition of preparing students with programs and courses that enrich each student's life. The DG represents the College in the community at large and is an active member of the Dawson College Foundation.

The DG will provide visionary leadership in the revision of the College's Strategic Plan and the completion of the quality assurance audit. The DG will also manage the forthcoming increase in student enrolment, while maintaining financial stability and ensuring efficient completion of the new campus construction project.

The candidate should have completed at minimum a Master's Degree in a relevant field of study; be fluently bilingual in both written and spoken English and French; have at least ten years of relevant experience, of which at least five are at a senior management level, have a thorough knowledge of educational systems and issues, both in Quebec and in other jurisdictions, and a proven track record on government and external issues.

Possessing a strong sense of purpose and personal values, profoundly committed to the mission, values and students of Dawson College, the candidate should possess demonstrated analytical, planning and organizational skills, top-level inter-personal and communication skills, including an ease to speak with media. The DG must have demonstrated successful management and leadership skills and be able to interact with all levels of government officials.

This opening represents a unique opportunity for an individual who is ready for the challenge of impacting the lives of all members of the Dawson community and beyond.

Remuneration and working conditions are established in conformity with the *Règlement déterminant certaines conditions de travail des hors-cadre des collèges d'enseignement général et professionnel* (classe 1). The start date is expected to be in January 2021.

Qualified candidates interested in this opportunity are invited to submit a letter of interest with their CV prior to the deadline of October 1st, 2020 to: dgsearch@dawsoncollege.qc.ca.

For more information about Dawson College, please visit our web site: <https://www.dawsoncollege.qc.ca>

Dawson College thanks all candidates for their interest; only those who are retained will be contacted. Dawson College respects the principles of equal access to employment.