2019 City of London Diversity, Race Relations and Inclusivity Award
– Fact Sheet –

Quick facts:

- Recognizes initiatives which promote public awareness of diversity, race relations, inclusivity and human rights, which help advance London as a welcoming city
- Nominations are received in the following categories:
  - Small business/small labour (49 or fewer employees/members)
  - Corporations/large business/large labour (50 or more employees/members)
  - Social/Community services Not-For-Profits (49 or fewer/members)
  - Social/Community Services Not-for-Profits, (50 or more employees/members)
  - Youth/young adults groups or organizations
- Nominations are reviewed by DIAAC, who provides recommendations of nominees to Council for consideration
- Awards are received from the Mayor on behalf of Municipal Council at the closest possible meeting date to December 10 – International Human Rights Day
- DIAAC hosts a celebratory reception for recipients just prior to the Council presentation

Key dates:

- September 30: Nominations due
- November 5: Community and Protective Services Committee (CPSC) receive DIAAC recommendations of nominees
- November 12: Municipal Council considers the recommendation from CPSC
- December 10: Presentation of Awards and preliminary celebratory reception

You can help:

- Promote and encourage nominations for the Award verbally and through your social media outlets (posts on the City’s Facebook account and tweets from the City’s Twitter account are scheduled)
- Create awareness of the Award in the community and share information on initiatives that are in keeping with the Award purpose

More info:

- For additional detail on the Award, including the eligibility criteria, nomination form and previous recipients, visit the LDRRI Award page on London.ca.
- For questions, contact:
  - DIAAC Committee Secretary: Pat Shack (Pshack@london.ca)
  - DIAAC Chairperson: Rifat Hussain: (rhussain@lccc.org)
  - Awards & Recognition Sub-Committee Chair: Flo Cassar (Florence.Cassar@lhsc.on.ca)

Attachment: 2016 - 2018 DRIA Award Recipients.
Diversity, Race Relations & Inclusivity Award
Past Recipients

2018

**Emancipation Day**
Social/Community Services Not-For Profits (< 49 members):

**M.I. Understanding**
Small Business/Labour (under 49)

**My Sisters Place**
Social/Community Services Not-for-Profits, (50 or more)

**N’Amerind Friendship Centre**
Youth/Young Adult (< 26 years of age) Groups or Organizations

**Police Ethnic and Cultural Exchange (PEACE Team)**
Corporations, Large Business and Labour

2017

**PH Spa and Salon**
Small Business/Labour (under 49)

**LUSO Social Community Services**
Not for Profit (over 50)

**Sanctuary London**
Social Community Services Not for Profit (under 49)

**Hoops for Hope**
Youth/Young Adult Groups

2016

**King’s University College**
Youth/Young Adult Groups

**Northeast Community Conversations Group**
Social/Community Services (Small)

**Pride London**
Social/Community Services (Large)