

President & Chief Executive Officer (CEO) Rogers Centre Ottawa

Location: *Ottawa, ON*

Located in the vibrant heart of downtown Ottawa and celebrated as Canada's premier meeting place, the **Rogers Centre Ottawa** (formerly the Shaw Centre) is a highly valued agency of the Government of Ontario, and an internationally acclaimed convention centre set alongside the iconic Rideau Canal. With its bold, modern design, sustainable architecture, and naturally lit spaces, the building offers striking panoramic views and an ideal blend of functionality and style.

The Rogers Centre Ottawa was recently honored with the International Association of Conference Centres' prestigious **World's Best Convention Centre** award, proudly placing it amongst a select group of elite venues worldwide.

The Centre is known for meticulous attention to detail, an extensive suite of event resources, and a warm, dedicated customer service team. With an eye always to the future, the Rogers Centre Ottawa is committed to elevating every event, delivering unparalleled events of every scale from conventions and conferences to trade shows and warmly welcoming visitors to our Nation's Capital.

More than an iconic event venue, the Rogers Centre Ottawa is a vital economic and community partner for both the City of Ottawa and the province of Ontario. In 2024, the Centre hosted several notable international conventions, which significantly boosted Ottawa's economy and reinforced the city's reputation as a premier destination for global events.

The Rogers Centre Ottawa is a cornerstone of community engagement and a leader in client service. It continues to foster impactful, community partnerships, with the Ottawa Gatineau Hotel Association, Tourism Industry Association of Canada, the Indigenous Tourism Association of Canada, Ottawa Tourism, and the Ottawa Board of Trade.

This is an exciting time of transition as the Rogers Centre Ottawa launches a new brand and its search for its next President & CEO. Looking to build on the great successes that the Centre has enjoyed over the past decade, the Board of Directors is seeking a seasoned leader who exemplifies the Centre's core values and commitment to success and who will foster a spirit of collaboration, engage meaningfully with the community, and serve as a bridge-builder among diverse stakeholders.

This is a unique opportunity to lead a premier convention centre dedicated to innovation, community engagement, and setting new benchmarks in the events industry. To learn more or to apply for this position, please submit your application and related materials to Michael Naufal and Maja Messam at mmessam@boyden.com and **state the title of the position in the subject line of your e-mail.**

We thank all applicants for their interest, however only those under consideration for the role will be contacted.

The Rogers Centre Ottawa is committed to building diverse, equitable, inclusive, and accessible working environments and welcomes those who would contribute to the further diversification of staff including, but not limited to, women, racialized persons, Indigenous peoples, persons with disabilities, and persons of any sexual orientation or gender identity to apply.