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Overview of the CANSSI Board of Governors 2024

Preamble

The Board of Governors plays a central role in the grassroots operation of CANSSI within the Canadian and international statistical sciences communities. The Board is the chief administrative entity of CANSSI, overseeing institute policies, reviewing and approving programs, and evaluating and approving Director appointments. The Board works closely with the CANSSI Director and Deputy Director regarding the operation of CANSSI. The Board advises the Director on strategy, opportunities, and future directions. The Board serves as a conduit between CANSSI administration and the statistical communities.

Principal Duties and Responsibilities

- Advise the Director on strategy, opportunities, challenges, and future directions.
- Review and approve CANSSI programs.
- Review and approve CANSSI policies.
- Evaluate and approve nominations to the positions of Director, Deputy Director, and Associate Director.
- Evaluate and approve nominations to the Scientific Advisory Committee.
- Seek nominations for future members of the Board of Governors.
- Evaluate the Director's performance.

Principal Activities

- Review materials provided by the Directors.
- Attend the Fall, Winter and Spring Board meetings.
- Serve on Board committees and/or in officer positions as appointed.
- Communicate with the community and other entities regarding CANSSI operations and mission.
- Gather information on topics/themes/challenges/issues of interest to CANSSI and advise the Board and Directors on the same.