



## **Executive Summary**

### **Highlights from the Wednesday, May 5, 2021 Board of Directors Meeting**

The first meeting of IGNITE's 2021-22 Board of Directors term was Chaired by Ercole Perrone, CEO. In keeping with Article Six (6) of IGNITE's By-Laws, this first meeting focused on establishing which Directors would serve as Officers (Chairperson and Vice-Chairperson). In addition, the Board also selected the Directors that would be the IGNITE representative to two other important stakeholders.

- After a competitive process, Shay Hamilton was elected from amongst her peers as IGNITE's Chairperson.

*"I am exciting to take on the role of Chair and put my leadership experience and passion toward improving the experience all our students deserve. If people believe in themselves, it's incredible what they can accomplish. As Chair, I hope to encourage and motivate my fellow amazing Directors to accomplish great things this year."*

*- Shay Hamilton, incoming Chairperson*

- After a competitive process, Andy Do was elected from amongst his peers as IGNITE's Vice-Chairperson.

*"I want to thank the Board for their confidence in me. I am more than grateful to take the torch handed by our predecessors in respect to building on the legacy of their work in support of student success."*

*- Andy Do, incoming Vice-Chairperson*

- Alex Sein was acclaimed as IGNITE's student representative on Humber College's Board of Governors.

*"I am incredibly humbled to be chosen for the Board of Governors and will bring all of my experience, passion, and accountability to work for the better future of all students."*

*- Alex Sein*

- After a competitive process, Melany Palacios-Naranjo was elected from amongst her peers as IGNITE's representative with the College Student Alliance.

*"It is an absolute privilege to represent IGNITE with the CSA. I intend to ensure students are always prioritized. I believe the students of today are the future of tomorrow and it's so important to make sure they are well represented. I'm honoured to be that voice for them."*

*- Melany Palacios-Naranjo*