

## **Executive Summary**

Highlights from the Friday, May 6, 2022 Board of Directors Meeting

Jessica Urzua, Chair Lauren Abela, Vice Chair Ercole Perrone, CEO

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, *Jessica Cordon-Carrera Valle* was elected from amongst her peers as IGNITE's Chairperson.

"I am so grateful that the Board of Directors have put their trust in me to be the Chair. I want to show the students that no matter where you come from, when you work hard, you can achieve all your goals. This coming year I will put my leadership experience and my whole heart into making the college/university experience a memorable one that will last a lifetime."

- Jessica Urzua Cordon-Carrera Valle, incoming Chairperson

• After a competitive process, *Lauren Abela* was elected from amongst her peers as IGNITE's Vice Chairperson.

"I am thrilled for the opportunity to be of service to my fellow board and am more than thankful to my peers for their trust and confidence in me. Together, we will build on the legacy to which our predecessors have worked tirelessly in support of student success."

- Lauren Abela, incoming Vice-Chairperson

• After a competitive process, Fiona Mahadeo was elected from amongst her peers as IGNITE's student representative on Humber College's Board of Governors.

"I look forward to what lies ahead for me while I fulfill the Board of Governors role. It is an honour to be a representative of the student body while being able to share my experiences. Most importantly, being chosen enables me to bring forth my drive and passion towards advocacy to help foster a better future for students."

- Fiona Mahadeo

• After a competitive process, Aksnoor Singh Kamboj was elected from amongst his 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 that students are the foundations of the future and it's so important to make sure they are well represented. I'm honoured to be that voice to advocate students' issues."

- Aksnoor Singh Kamboj