



**ELECTRICAL
CONTRACTORS
ASSOCIATION OF
ONTARIO**

**2026
DOUGLAS J. B. WRIGHT AWARD
Nomination Form**

Recognizing Major Contributions
to the
Betterment of the Electrical Contracting Industry in Ontario

History of the Award:

The Douglas J. B. Wright Award was created in 1992 by the Electrical Contractors Association of Ontario and the Ontario Electrical Construction Company Limited to pay tribute to individuals who best exemplify the dedication and commitment to the electrical contracting industry as exhibited by Doug Wright through his years of service. The Award Committee consists of three representatives from ECAO, two representatives from Ontario Electrical Construction Company Ltd. and the Executive Director of ECAO as an ex-officio.

Application and Selection Criteria:

1. All named applicants must be or have been employed by a corporation or company that is a member of ECAO.
2. Application and selection will take into consideration the named applicant's involvement in the electrical industry at the provincial, local and national level.
3. Any other notable contributions to the electrical industry and how they are perceived by the members of ECAO as providing leadership within the industry.
4. Length of service to the electrical industry.
5. Any other community involvement for which they are recognized.

Application and Selection Procedure:

1. Annually, members, or area ECAs, will be invited to submit a nomination form 90 days prior to the submittal due date.
2. Only those nominations received by the submittal due date will be considered.
3. The D. J. B. Wright Award Committee will meet to review all nominations and determine a recipient for the award no later than 45 days after the submission due date.
4. All unsuccessful nominators will be notified.

Submittal Due Date:

April 03, 2026

Submit to:

kahluwalia@ecao.org

Nominee's Name: _____

Home Address: _____

Company Name (if applicable): _____

Company Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Name of Nominator: _____

Company: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Signature of Nominator

All nominations must be accompanied by a written description, not to exceed 1,000 words, of the contributions and achievements, which qualify the nominee for the Douglas J. B. Wright Award.

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Due Date and Submit to: April 03, 2026 | kahluwalia@ecao.org

**THE DOUGLAS J. B. WRIGHT
AWARD PAST RECIPIENTS**

2000

Bob Ferguson
Ferguson Electric Limited

2003

Wayne Gatien
PowerTel Utilities Contractors Limited

2005

Peter Bryant
Esten Electric Limited

2007

Glenn Carr
Campbell & Kennedy Electric (Ottawa) Ltd.

2009

Gary Carr
Robertson-Bright Inc.

2013

Garry Fitzpatrick
Fitzpatrick Electrical Contractor Inc.

2016

Ove Bakmand
Net Electric Ltd.

2018

Bill McKee
Carleton Electric Ltd.

2020

Fred Black
Adcoa Holding Inc.

2022

Robert Ritzmann
Alltrade Industrial Contractors Inc.

2024

Allan Kellett
K-Line Maintenance & Construction Ltd.

2001

George McCue
Harlock-Schultz Electric Inc.

2004

Rick Brodhurst
Quantech Electrical Contractors Limited

2006

Dave Mason
D. J. Mason Electric Co. Ltd.

2008

Edward Norman
Martin Electric (1986) Limited

2010

George Docherty
Guild Electric Ltd.

2015

Dan Lancia
Holaco Installations

2017

John Wright
Ontario Electrical Construction Co. Ltd.

2019

No Recipient

2021

Brad Vollmer
Vollmer Inc.

2023

Brad Walker
Laframboise Group Ltd.
(Co-recipients)
Joe Kurpe
JK Enterprises

2025

Larry J. MacDonald
Black & McDonald