

## Board Member Candidates 2021-2024

### 3-year terms

#### Keshia Caplette



Keshia Caplette is a versatile and innovative Métis interior designer with an inclination for healthcare design. With over a decade of experience in the architectural, interior design, and construction industries, she has had the opportunity to be involved with many projects throughout various sectors. After undergoing brain surgery in January of 2020 to remove a tumor, Keshia's desire to strengthen the experience of our medical facilities has only expanded. By rethinking and (re)creating the spaces we surround ourselves with, Keshia believes we can transform our day to day and bring a little bit of light to the world in which we all live.

Keshia has been a part of the IDC Board of Directors for a few years and currently holds the Vice President role. Serving on IDC's board has been an opportunity to grow, both as a designer and an individual. Keshia brings a strong voice for members across the country based on the network she has helped to grow through the PROpel program and her involvement with board activities.

#### Jennifer Wiwchar-Fast



Jennifer is a professional interior designer with 20 years of experience in residential, corporate, healthcare, hospitality and institutional design. Immediately after graduating she began to volunteer with her provincial association, PIDIM, which in turn resulted in holding various positions on the board, including president. She thrives on continual learning opportunities and collaboration with fellow co-workers, industry colleagues and the various individuals who comprise the project team. She is always advocating on behalf of the profession, including educating the public on the multi-faceted role and knowledge that a professional/registered interior designer facilitates within a project.

In addition to design education and credentials she has obtained her Project Management Professional (PMP) certification and is also actively volunteering as the sole Canadian representative with the CIDQ P/X exam committee. Over the past three years she has served on the IDC board which has been an invigorating experience, learning our national and international relationships and mandates. As a member of the IDC board, she has been privileged to meet, network and advocate with and on behalf of members across Canada.

#### Sean Crawford



Sean grew up in a family of contractors and builders. He started his professional career on jobsites and then as a drafter, and estimator. After the family business was bought out, while he was working for a developer in Japan, Sean returned to school to pursue a degree in Interior Design. Sean was always drawn to planning and design and was fortunate enough to see a few of his designs executed while working in Japan. Although he looked at architecture, Sean ultimately decided the level of detail and the interaction of interior spaces, that interior design focused on, would be a better fit. He has worked in a range of firms from two-person interior design firms to larger architecture and interior design firms with over 300 people/employees. Currently he is a partner at a

national architecture and interior design practice and leads the interior design team. He is an ardent sports fan (kids, dance, hockey, baseball, skiing, golf) and has spent countless hours over the last 15 years in and on studios, rinks, diamonds, hills and courses...and he loves it.