Dear Medical Students,

It is my pleasure to announce that nominations are now open for the position of President-Elect of the Canadian Federation of Medical Students (CFMS).

**Nominations Process:**

Interested individuals must forward their name and contact information by email to Dr. Anthea Lafreniere, Past-President, at pastpresident@cfms.org by **5:00 pm CDT on Friday April 28th, 2017**. Nominations will close strictly at this time. Any student member at any school may run. While previous experience with the workings of the CFMS is strongly encouraged, it is not required.

**Election Process:**

The election will take place at the CFMS Spring General Meeting (SGM) which will be held April 28-29, 2017, in Winnipeg MB. Votes will be cast by medical student society representatives and members of the Federation's executive, as detailed in the organization's bylaws. Candidates will be expected to deliver a short speech of no more than 5 minutes to the voters, either in person or by proxy. A 10-minute question period will follow. Designated time constraints must be respected. You must notify pastpresident@cfms.org one week prior to the meeting if you wish to deliver a speech by proxy.

Please contact Dr. Anthea Lafreniere, Past-President, for further information at pastpresident@cfms.org and see www.cfms.org for position description.

Sincerely,

Anthea Lafreniere, MD, BMSc
Past-President, Canadian Federation of Medical Students