



## The PGA of Ontario Awards Program Teacher of the Year Award

The Teacher of the Year Award is designed to recognize a PGA of Ontario Professional who is an outstanding teacher of golf among the ranks of the PGA of Ontario membership. This award is based on a professional's overall performance in teaching; unusual, innovative and special teaching programs initiated or implemented; articles published; as well as outstanding golfers the professional has instructed.

### Guidelines:

- Recognized as an outstanding teacher of golf among the ranks of the PGA of Ontario membership.
- Initiation and/or implementation of unusual, innovative and/or special teaching programs.
- Publication of articles, books, magazines, etc.

### Criteria:

#### 1. Criteria to Measure

- a) Nominees must be certified within Golf's National Coach Certification Program Instruction stream (Instructor of Beginner Golfers, Instructor of Intermediate Golfers, Instructor of Advanced Golfers).
- a) Overall performance in teaching at their facility, Zone and National levels.

#### 2. Selection Process

- a) Nomination should be based on a candidate's entire past experience and commitment for continuing one's contributions and assistance.
- b) Achievements during the past five years should be emphasized.
- c) PGA of Ontario Awards Committee will select a recipient based on the criteria.

### 3. Eligible Categories

- a) All Class "A" Members in good standing excluding the following: Life Professional, Retired Professional, previous PGA of Canada Teacher of the Year Award winners, Past Presidents of the PGA of Canada (within the past 5 years), current PGA of Ontario Board of Directors, PGA of Canada National staff and PGA of Ontario staff.

#### Note:

- In order to win a National Award, the individual member must successfully complete a criminal record check with BackCheck. After successfully completing the check, the cost will be reimbursed to the member.
- **Deadline to nominate: September 14, 2019**
- **Deadline to submit completed award package: September 16, 2019**