



Research Manitoba Announces Appointment of Interim CEO

Wednesday, August 19, 2020 - Research Manitoba announces today the appointment of Mr. Sean McKay, as Interim Chief Executive Officer.

“Mr. McKay is an experienced professional who brings a broad range of skills acquired through his leadership positions in a variety of industry and research settings and will make an excellent addition to the team,” said Ms. Tracey Maconachie, Research Manitoba Board Chair. “All of us at Research Manitoba look forward to working with Sean as we continue to support the provincial research enterprise.”

“I am looking forward to applying my experience and network connections to support Research Manitoba during this transitional period and especially excited to be involved in the introduction of new programs advancing leading edge research in Manitoba and the implementation of the Research Improvements Through Harmonization In Manitoba (RITHIM) initiative.” Mr. Sean McKay, Interim CEO, Research Manitoba.

The Research Manitoba Board of Directors will commence the process of a formal search for a permanent Chief Executive Officer soon.

Questions regarding this transition can be directed to Chair of the Research Manitoba Board, Tracey Maconachie, and sent to info@researchmb.ca.

Please help us welcome Mr. Sean McKay!

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD

Ms. Tracey Maconachie, Board Chair

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