



A Night to Celebrate Canada’s Business Leaders



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The 2025 Class of Companions were inducted into the Canadian Business Hall of Fame on May 22, 2025

Photo (L to R): Companions Pierre Lassonde, Jacynthe Côté, followed by Jim Leech (Chancellor, CBHF), Heather Hiscox (Senior Host, CBC News Network), and Companions Larry Tanenbaum and Ryan Beedie.

Over 700 business leaders, supporters and young entrepreneurs gathered to honour the 46th Class of Companions at the 2025 Canadian Business Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony. It was a powerful evening of tributes, connection and Canadian pride.

As the signature fundraising event for JA Canada, this celebration helps fuel hands-on, immersive learning experiences for youth across the country. These programs build the skills and confidence young people need to succeed in business and in life. This special evening honoured outstanding business leaders and inspired the next generation of future leaders who are made for Canada.



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and Cindy Beedie



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Keira Spitzer,
JA Student Speaker



Jacynthe Côté, C.B.H.F.,
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Pierre Lassonde, C.B.H.F.,
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