



The Honourable Bill Morneau

CANADA'S CANDIDATE FOR SECRETARY-GENERAL OF THE
ORGANISATION FOR ECONOMIC CO-OPERATION AND DEVELOPMENT



Minister Of Finance
(2015 – 2020)

Accomplished Business
Leader

Proven International
Experience

Philanthropist

Governor to the
International Monetary
Fund & World Bank
(2015 – 2020)

Member Of The New
Nafta Negotiating Team

ACADEMIC BACKGROUND

Bachelor of Arts,
Western University

M.Sc.(Econ),
London School of
Economics

Master of Business
Administration, INSEAD

The Honourable Bill Morneau is Canada's candidate for Secretary-General of the Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD). He was minister of finance from 2015 to 2020. He is also an accomplished business leader and philanthropist with proven international experience.

As Canada's Minister of Finance, Mr. Morneau played a key role in shaping progressive, sustainable and gender-responsive economic policies, including Canada's economic response to the COVID-19 pandemic. He was also an active member in all of the major international social-economic forums, including the G7, G20, Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation, International Monetary Fund, World Bank, La Francophonie and the OECD, where he has advocated on issues surrounding climate change and the digital economy among others.

Between 1990 and 2015, Mr. Morneau led the multinational human resources firm Morneau Shepell. Under his leadership, the firm grew to over 4,000 employees, becoming the largest human resources services provider in Canada.

As a philanthropist, Mr. Morneau has worked to support the arts, help at-risk youth and improve access to health care and education around the world. He founded a school for Somali and Sudanese girls in a UN Refugee Agency camp in northern Kenya and served as chair of the C.D. Howe Institute, a leading Canadian economic think tank.

Mr. Morneau speaks English and French, and holds a BA from Western University, M.Sc.(Econ) from LSE and an MBA from INSEAD.

KEY AREAS OF FOCUS

- A global economic recovery that works for everyone
- Building green and resilient economies
- Addressing the challenges of a digitalized world
- Providing proven leadership to achieve better outcomes
- Advancing gender quality

NOTABLE ENGAGEMENTS

- Led Canada's COVID-19 Economic Response Plan
- Speaker, *Shaping Global Growth*, World Economic Forum 2020
- Speaker, *Every Woman, Every Child*, IMF & World Bank meetings, 2019
- President of the G7 Finance Ministers' Meetings, 2018
- Speaker, *Combating Tax Evasion and Avoidance*, G20 Summit, 2018
- Keynote speaker, *Opportunities for Collaboration Across Multilateral Development Banks*, Centre for Strategic and International Studies, 2017