



## **SERVICE IN THE CHURCH**

**Please list congregations / parishes you have attended/served and the years you attended/served them:**

Holy Trinity Bukowinian Orthodox Church (OCA)  
Ottawa, ON,  
1995 to 2003

Christ the Saviour Orthodox Church (ACROC – Patriarchate of Constantinople)  
2003 to Present\*

Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Ukrainian Orthodox Church (UOCC)  
Ottawa, ON,  
2003 to Present\*

\*Note that the Bylaws of the UOCC allow membership in two parishes.

**Please indicate the work you have done in the Church including mission/outreach work, special projects, and parish development.**

- Worked on the parish council of Holy Trinity Bukowinian Orthodox Church, including one term as the president.
- Working as Manager/Assistant Manager of local parish cemetery from 2003 to present.
- Represented my parish at UOCC Sobor 2015 and Sobor 2018 (the centennial sobor).
- Working as co-chair of the Heritage Subcommittee of the UOCC Rural Issues Committee from 2012 to present. This includes:
  - preparing reports for the UOCC Consistory Board;
  - doing surveys;
  - preparing and presenting heritage related Power Point presentations to various parishes, or special events;
  - conducting surveys;
  - systematically photographing UOCC churches across the country and building a body of work for the UOCC Archives.
  - preparing photos and a lecture for a special exhibit at the Ukrainian-Canadian Museum located at St. Volodymyr Institute in Toronto;
  - providing guidance to parishes that are closing
  - writing heritage related articles for “Вісник/The Herald” and other periodicals, as well as other various research and writing;
  - co-organizer and chair of a seminar on the problems of rural churches leading to parish closures (attended by representatives of the UOCC, the Ukrainian Catholic Church, universities in Winnipeg, Edmonton, and Saskatoon); and
  - other tasks related to the position.

## **EDUCATION AND TRAINING**

**Please provide a brief summary of your theological and other education and any additional vocational training, including continuing education courses, personal development programs or other:**

- > I have completed high school and have some university training without having achieved a formal degree.
- > I have an accounting certificate from Red River Community College.
- > I have studied at the Metropolitan Andrey Sheptytsky Institute of Eastern Christian Studies (then located at St. Paul University, Ottawa). Pertinent courses included: "General Introduction to the Eastern Churches"; "Introduction to Eastern Christian Theology"; "Theology and Spirituality of Icons"; and "Introduction to Eastern Christian Ethics".

**Please describe any relevant skills, such as language skills, management / administrative skills, accounting, legal or other:**

- > I am competent in the use of many applications such Microsoft Word, Excel, PowerPoint, etc.
- > I have management and administrative experience through my previous employment with the Canada Revenue Agency.
- > I have experience in analysing and (to a lesser extent) drafting legislation. I have considerable experience in research and writing. This includes writing taxation office manuals, reports to parliament and provincial/territorial legislative assemblies, writing ministerial correspondence, memoranda of understanding, etc.
- > I have experience in diplomacy through my work with federal/provincial relations.

**How do you feel this education, training and skills will contribute to your successful contribution as a member of the Consistory Board of the Ukrainian Orthodox Church of Canada?**

The above noted courses will augment my understanding of ecclesiastical issues for which members of the Consistory Board may be confronted. The above noted administrative skills will be invaluable for tasks that may be assigned to me as a board member.



## **LIFE / WORK / COMMUNITY EXPERIENCE**

**Briefly list your vocational / professional work experience and/or any other relevant life experience (e.g. volunteer work, public service, parenting etc.):**

I worked for 35 years at the Canada Revenue Agency in a great variety of capacities. It was during this time that I acquired considerable experience in management, technical skills, and diplomacy.

**How do you feel that your capabilities and work / life experience will benefit the Consistory Board?**

My work on the UOCC Rural Issues Committee and its Heritage Subcommittee have provided considerable experience that will be of assistance on the Consistory Board. Having attended two UOCC sobors has also enriched my life experiences.

**If there is any other information you would like to provide, not already requested above, please list it here (e.g. other board-related work etc.)**

I am a recipient of the Queen Elizabeth Diamond Jubilee medal and the UOCC St. Andrew Centenary Award for my contributions to Ukrainian-Canadian culture and heritage.



## **DECLARATION**

### **NOMINEE:**

I hereby certify that all statements made on this application are true and agree to let my name stand for election for the 2022-2025 Consistory Board term.

FEB. 6, 2022  
Date

[Signature]  
Nominee's Signature

### **WITNESS / NOMINATOR:**

I hereby nominate the individual named above as a candidate for the Consistory Board of the Ukrainian Orthodox Church of Canada. I attest to the nominee's good standing as a member of the Ukrainian Orthodox Church of Canada.

Feb 6, 2022  
Date

[Signature]  
Nominator's Signature

### **BLESSING OF THE EPARCHIAL BISHOP FOR CLERGY CANDIDATES**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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Bishop's signature (or attach confirmation – eg email)

### **BLESSING OF THE PARISH PRIEST FOR LAY CANDIDATES**

Feb. 6, 2022  
Date

Rev. V. Koechnie  
Signature of Parish Priest (or other confirmation)

If you have any questions about this form, please direct them to:

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