Message from your ACHE Regent Spring 2023

Greetings Fellow Canadian Healthcare Leaders,

I trust this message finds you well, as we look forward to the warm weather ahead! Springtime is one of my favourite seasons, as the flowers begin to blossom, the days start getting longer, and we know summer is near.

As Canadians, we are proud that our healthcare system covers all citizens. We are also proud that we live in a country of great diversity of people and culture - where we are known for our multiculturalism. I am a proud Canadian and I have a passion for Diversity, Equity and Inclusion (DEI) in healthcare leadership.

As your Regent, one of my key goals is to collaborate with the ACHE Canada Chapter board, members, and Canadian health system partners to advance ACHE's mission of creating more diverse healthcare leadership. I know that this might sound more like a dream; but "if you want to make your dream come true, the first thing you have to do is wake up..." (J.M. Power). ACHE offers two diversity programs for both mid-career and senior healthcare leaders.

Honoring an ACHE Leader's Legacy

As ACHE President for more than two decades, Thomas C. Dolan PhD, FACHE, FASAE, recognized ACHE's critical role in encouraging a new generation of top-level healthcare leaders to be more reflective of the diversity within healthcare organizations and the patients served. To honor Dolan and continue his work, ACHE created the Thomas C. Dolan Executive Diversity Program and Thomas C. Dolan Career Accelerator Program, both of which are wholly supported by the **Fund for Healthcare Leadership**.

You can learn more about each program by clicking on the link below: https://www.ache.org/about-ache/the-fund/dolan-diversity-programs

Concluding, as a servant leader, I am honoured and humbled to serve you as interim Regent for Canada and look forward to our journey together!

Respectfully yours,



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