

2024 APPI Outstanding Contribution to the Profession Awards

Teresa Goldstein RPP



Teresa Goldstein obtained a Master of Urban and Regional Planning degree from Queen's University in 2003. In 2006 Teresa completed the RPP certification process, and during her 18 years as a RPP member of the Institute, she has volunteered with APPI in a variety of capacities – including but not limited to serving a term on Council, working on the APPI Special Municipal Government Act Task Force, hosting APPI webinars, and presenting at a number of conferences. Teresa has also mentored a number of planners, both officially via the RPP certification process and others unofficially. In 2023, Teresa received the APPI Exceptional Mentor Award.

Teresa's nomination for the Outstanding Contribution to the Profession Award was supported by many letters from colleagues showing the depth of Teresa's planning knowledge and experience and the breadth of her impact. She has made contributions to both the private and public sectors, volunteered for numerous community organizations and committees, and inspires the next generation of planners as a university instructor and mentor. Teresa's recent doctoral research and her openness to share it exemplifies all of this.

APPI honours all three individuals as recipients of the 2024 Outstanding Contribution to the Profession Awards!