

**CALL FOR NOMINATIONS  
FOR  
HONORARY DOCTOR OF DIVINITY DEGREE**

**For 2012**

**Nominations:**

The Honorary Degree Committee *hereby invites nominations* from the members of the ***AST Senate, the Board of Governors, students in course and graduates***. The Honorary Degree Committee will receive nominations until the closing date, and will review all nominations and present a maximum of 3 names to Senate at their meeting in March 2011.

***All nominations must be kept in strict confidence. No approach is to be made to a prospective candidate until Senate has agreed upon a recommended recipient. The President of AST will then make the necessary contact, and only after confirmation of acceptance will the name be made public.***

**Criteria:**

Atlantic School of Theology will, through its Doctor of Divinity honoris causa, give recognition to persons who have distinguished themselves in service to the Church and to their community and beyond their denomination and community.

The Atlantic School of Theology doctorate should, therefore, be awarded only to those persons whom one could perceive as bridge-builders between their denomination and the ecumenical sphere. This award should be seen and made to be of importance to the region this School serves, and the initial honorary graduates should clearly exemplify what the venture of Atlantic School of Theology is, and what the School wishes to honor in this fashion.

**Submission:**

All nominations are to be made in writing, and are to state clearly the reasons why the person has been nominated and how the criteria of selection are met by him/her, to:

The Chair of the AST Honorary Degrees Committee  
c/o The President's Office  
Atlantic School of Theology  
660 Francklyn Street  
Halifax, Nova Scotia B3H 3B5

**Closing date for Nominations extended to February 15, 2011**