

## OPC Announces New Executive Director October 27, 2022

Following an extensive search, the Ontario Principals' Council (OPC) is pleased to announce that Dr. Nadine Trépanier-Bisson will be our new Executive Director as of December 6th, 2022, replacing Allyson Otten.

Nadine is currently the OPC's Director of Professional Learning and of International School Leadership (ISL). She has been an educator for over 20 years in different capacities, including five years as a principal and two years as a system principal. Nadine previously served as the Executive Director of l'Association des directions et directions adjointes des écoles franco-ontariennes (ADFO) for eight years, developing relationships with many partner education organizations in Canada and internationally, and participating in the design, development and implementation of many professional learning opportunities in English and French.

Committed to evidence-based strategies for learning, leadership and conflict management, Nadine values collaboration and relationships. She continues to focus her efforts on building capacity within the OPC and among school leaders to create anti-colonial and anti-oppressive environments.

In 2022, Nadine completed her Doctorate of Education (EdD) in the area of International Education.

We also want to take this opportunity to thank Allyson Otten for her time working for and with the OPC. Allyson has been with our organization since its inception in 1998, serving as Legal Counsel, General Counsel, Associate Executive Director and, for the past five years, as Executive Director. We wish Allyson a well-deserved retirement as she plans her next chapter.

Patsy Agard President, OPC