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Canadian Memorial Chiropractic College Announces the Appointment of Dr. David Starmer as VP, Academic

(October 9, 2026) Toronto, ON – The Canadian Memorial Chiropractic College (CMCC) is pleased to announce the appointment of Dr. David Starmer, DC, MHS, to the position of VP, Academic, effective January 4, 2027.

He succeeds Dr. Dominic Giuliano, who served as Interim VP, Academic during the recruitment process.

Dr. Starmer brings almost two decades of experience at CMCC, spanning teaching, academic administration, research, governance, regulation, and institutional leadership. Throughout his career, he has advanced curriculum renewal, innovative approaches to competency-based education and assessment, accreditation, faculty development, simulation, and educational technology. His excellence in teaching and commitment to students have been recognized through numerous teaching awards, reflecting his dedication to student success.

His governance and regulatory service, including a leadership role with the College of Chiropractors of Ontario and service as Faculty Council Chair, has further strengthened his expertise in policy, procedural fairness, risk management, and evidence-informed decision-making.

“Dr. Starmer is a skilled leader who embodies CMCC’s CARING Values,” says Dr. Christine Bradaric-Baus, President, CMCC. “He has a natural ability to connect with people through his passion for CMCC. This passion, coupled with his extensive institutional knowledge and strong external relationships, positions him well to guide CMCC’s academic portfolio and help shape its next chapter.”

“The future of healthcare will require greater collaboration and innovation. CMCC’s community of learners, educators, clinicians, researchers, staff, alumni, and partners shares a strong commitment to advancing excellence in education, research, and patient care. Together, we are exceptionally well positioned to meet the opportunities ahead, and I am excited about what we will achieve as we continue to build on CMCC’s strengths,” says Starmer.

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Dr. Starmer will assume the role on January 4, 2027, helping to guide CMCC's academic priorities as the institution continues to advance its mission and strategic goals.

About CMCC

The Canadian Memorial Chiropractic College is an academic institution recognized for creating leaders in spinal health. With graduates practicing in 45 countries and faculty who are leaders in their fields, CMCC delivers world-class chiropractic education, research, and patient care. CMCC offers a four-year undergraduate program leading to a Doctor of Chiropractic Degree. This program is offered under the written consent of the Ministry of Colleges, Universities, Research Excellence and Security until May 2030. The institution also offers post graduate studies and a continuing education program.

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