

# Inaugural Awards Gala

May 4th, 2023 | Event Recap



### On behalf of CREW Calgary and the Gala Committee —

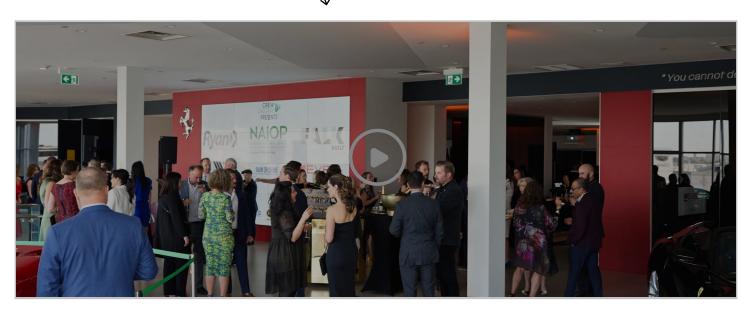
Hosted inside the Ferrari of Alberta Dealership on May 4th, 2023, CREW Calgary's highly anticipated Inaugural Awards Gala was a resounding success, with a sold-out crowd of over 170 attendees. We extend our heartfelt gratitude to all our sponsors for their invaluable support and commitment to the event. With each sponsorship opportunity sold out, their contribution enabled us to deliver an exceptional experience for all attendees and accomplish our goals. The overwhelming response and attendance demonstrated the industry's keen interest and support for the occasion. Throughout the evening, the event featured various engaging activities, including a Silent Auction, a thrilling racing simulator, and drink tickets for attendees. These offerings not only added excitement and entertainment but also served a greater purpose by raising funds for the CREW Foundation. Thank you to all attendees for your generosity and participation.

A notable highlight of the event was the formal awards program in which we received nominations in almost all categories, highlighting the diverse range of talent and achievements within the industry. An additional thank you to the esteemed judging panel comprised of industry experts from KPMG, Neo Financial, and Conoco Phillips. Their presence and contributions added a significant level of credibility and expertise to the proceedings, ensuring a fair and well-informed evaluation process for the various awards or competitions that took place.

Overall, the event provided a platform for industry professionals to network, exchange ideas, and celebrate achievements within the industry. The collective efforts of the attendees, sponsors, and organizers made it an exceptional evening that fostered connections and highlighted CREW Calgary as an impactful organization. Following the gala, a significant number of new members joined the CREW Calgary's organization, reflecting the positive impact and value of the event in attracting new industry professionals.

The success of this event serves as a testament to the strong collaboration and commitment within the industry, with individuals and organizations coming together to make a positive impact. The event not only provided a memorable experience for all in attendance but will undoubtedly serve as a catalyst for future endeavors, inspiring continued progress, and collaboration within the industry.

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### **Congratulations to all Awards Recipients**

#### **C2C PROJECT OF THE YEAR**

Celebrates excellence in executing commercial real estate projects and highlights the importance of collaboration and creativity amongst the local CREW Calgary Network.

#### **BREAKTHROUGH START-UP AWARD**

Recognizes startups that have demonstrated exceptional entrepreneurial efforts and successfully executed outstanding business ideas. This award celebrates the creativity, perseverance, and hard work of startup companies and their founders.

#### **NEXT GEN AWARD**

Celebrates rising leaders in commercial real estate who have demonstrated exceptional potential and promise in their field. By recognizing these rising stars, this award encourages continued excellence and innovation in the industry and inspires others to follow in their footsteps.

#### **INNOVATION AWARD**

Celebrates individuals and teams who have demonstrated exceptional innovation through the entirety of a project.

#### **PROPERTY TAX AWARD**

Recognizes exceptional achievement in property tax management and celebrates a project team that has demonstrated outstanding leadership, problem-solving skills, and a commitment to excellence in property tax management.

#### **COMMERCIAL LEASE DEAL < 25,000 SF**

Recognizes outstanding achievement in the negotiation and execution of a commercial lease agreement under 25,000 square feet.

#### **COMMERCIAL LEASE DEAL > 25,000 SF**

Recognizes outstanding achievement in the negotiation and execution of a commercial lease agreement over 25,000 square feet.

#### TRIBUTE AWARD

Recognizes an individual's outstanding contributions to their industry and community. This esteemed award celebrates excellence and achievement, highlighting an individual who has gone above and beyond in their efforts of supporting professional women and bringing people together.

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### Awards Gala Supports CREW Network Foundation

CREW Network Foundation was established in 1998 as the philanthropic arm of CREW Network. It is the only organization dedicating its resources solely to transforming the commercial real estate industry by advancing women globally. CREW Network Foundation celebrates its 25th anniversary in 2023 with a series of year-long commemorations and a Dream Big giving campaign to support scholarships for the next generation of women leaders in CRE.



#### **THANK YOU**

Thank you to all who donated to the Silent Auction along with those who purchased tickets for the Silent Auction, racing simulator, and drinks. This generosity allowed us to make a significant contribution to the CREW Foundation!

#### **SPECIAL SHOUT OUT**

A well-deserved shout out to Patti Strome – our volunteer who helped with all transactions of the evening!





# **Gala Moments Captured**

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