

Director-at-Large - Karen Thompson



Karen Thompson is a director and portfolio manager at Odlum Brown Limited, a full-service investment firm headquartered in Vancouver, where she leads a team dedicated to providing financial guidance and portfolio management to an established clientele.

Karen has been involved in the financial industry for over 30 years and is a graduate of the University of Toronto. She is a Fellow of the Canadian Securities Institute (FCSI) and holds the Family Enterprise Advisors (FEA) designation and Certified Professional Consultant on Aging (CPCA).

During the past decade, Karen has been actively involved in community sports and served as Director and Chair of the Vancouver Youth Soccer Association and on the BC Soccer Women in Soccer Committee and BC Soccer Diversity Working Group Committee.

Karen is also a strong supporter of several charities and guided the creation of a giving group which supported fundraising efforts of the Community First Foundation – Backpack Buddies Program. She has also been recognized for her community building efforts at Vancouver’s Crofton House School.

Karen is the Chair of the Board’s Governance Committee, is a member of the Board’s Finance Committee, and sat on the *Breakfast to Remember Vancouver* Organizing Committee between 2018 – 2020.