

Writers Guild of Canada congratulates newly elected federal government

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Toronto, ON | April 29, 2025 — The Writers Guild of Canada (WGC) congratulates Mark Carney’s newly elected Liberal government and all Members of Parliament following the 2025 federal election.

WGC President Bruce Smith issued the following statement:

“On behalf of the Writers Guild of Canada and our 2,500 professional screenwriter members, I extend our congratulations to the incoming federal government, and to all those who stood for public office.

“We look forward to working constructively with the new federal government to build a film and television industry that is not dependent on U.S. production to survive. Canadian sovereignty requires Canadian identity.”

The WGC is committed to advancing the rights of professional screenwriters, and advocating for policies and programs that support opportunities for Canadian creators.

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ABOUT THE WGC

The Writers Guild of Canada (WGC) represents more than 2,500 professional English-language screenwriters across Canada. Our members create stories that entertain and inspire audiences on every screen.