

## **The Honourable Eugene F. Whelan Green Hat Award**

### **Terms of Reference**

In 2000, the Atlantic Veterinary College established the Honourable Eugene Whelan Green Hat Award to recognize individuals who have played a significant role in the Atlantic Veterinary College in Prince Edward Island. This award represents the greatest honour AVC bestows on individuals.

The Honourable Eugene Whelan played a central role in the development of the Atlantic Veterinary College and, as a result, our contributions to eastern Canada and beyond in the areas of education, animal and human health research, food safety and quality, and through our comprehensive services.

Recipients of the Green Hat Award are selected by the Dean of the Atlantic Veterinary College as well as the Atlantic Veterinary College's Dean's Council. This award primarily acknowledges external stakeholders; however, retired faculty and staff members may be eligible for this award. Active faculty and staff members are not considered eligible.

The award serves to publicly recognize the significant contributions of those who have played a direct role in:

- the growth of AVC and creating a new era of educational, research, and/or service excellence
- supporting the vision, reputation, and continued success of the AVC.