

CELINA CAESAR-CHAVANNES

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Celina Caesar-Chavannes is a business consultant, coach and international speaker. She currently serves as the Sr. Advisor, EDI Initiatives and Adjunct Lecturer at Queen's University and her memoir, "Can you hear me now?" was published by Penguin Random House Canada on February 02, 2021. She was the former Member of Parliament for Whitby, Parliamentary Secretary to Prime Minister Justin Trudeau and Parliamentary Secretary for International Development.

During her term as a Member of Parliament, Celina was awarded:

- Champion of Mental Health Parliamentarian Award by the Canadian Alliance on Mental Illness and Mental Health
- Ontario Black History Society, Daniel G. Hill Award for Community Services (2017)
- Black Parliamentarian of the Year
- Featured in the April 2018 edition of O (Oprah Winfrey) Magazine entitled, "What would you stand up for?"
- Named Chatelaine Magazine's Woman of the Year (2019)

Before entering politics, Mrs. Caesar-Chavannes was a successful entrepreneur and recipient of both the:

- Toronto Board of Trade's Business Entrepreneur of the Year
- Black Business and Professional Association's Harry Jerome Young Entrepreneur Award.

She has:

- a Bachelor of Science from the University of Toronto,
- an MBA in Healthcare Management
- an Executive MBA from the Rotman School of Management

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