

**Dr. Mitchell Downey, D.V.M., B.Sc.
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Nominated as ATLANTIC BREEDER DIRECTOR

Dr. Mitchell Downey has a good understanding of how things work at Standardbred Canada as he is a Past Breeder Committee Director and Standardbred Canada Chair. Dr. Downey is currently serving as an Atlantic Provinces Commissioner and Board Member for Horse Racing New Brunswick.

Mitchell Downey is the owner of four broodmares and part owner of others. He successfully stood Blood Money in PEI this past season where he serviced 38 mares (special thanks to Marc and the crew at Big Time Ranch).

Dr. Downey is an avid horse racing and breeding enthusiast and believes SC needs to do a lot more with a lot less. Despite increases and successes in some measures of our industry, we continue to struggle in others. We continue to lose members and struggle with retention. At some point, bold change is required, and I believe that time is fast approaching.