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After an intense 2-day process, internally called "The Choosing", the Wallace McCain Institute at the University of New Brunswick has named their 6th cohort to join their Entrepreneurial Leaders Program. With 415 nominations this year, the 16 below (in alphabetical order) truly represent the region's highest growth potential entrepreneurs in the greater Atlantic area.

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| 1. Monica Adair      | ACRE Architects Inc., Saint John               |
| 2. Sarah Albert      | PGYIN Holding Inc., Moncton                    |
| 3. Laura Araneda     | Vic Progressive Diamond Drilling Inc., Sussex  |
| 4. Keith Brideau     | Historica Group of Companies, Saint John       |
| 5. Pam Cooley        | CarShare Atlantic Ltd, Halifax                 |
| 6. Mike Cormier      | Crandall Engineering Ltd., Moncton             |
| 7. Michel Gauvin     | Kurius Intelligent Homes & Buildings, Dieppe   |
| 8. Guy Haché         | West End Sports, Beresford                     |
| 9. Brandon Kolybaba  | Sheepdog, Cloud A Halifax                      |
| 10. Levi Lawrence    | Real Food Connections Ltd., Fredericton        |
| 11. Brent MacDonald  | Xiplinx Technologies Ltd., Saint John          |
| 12. Jason MacDonald  | MJL Enterprises Inc., Charlottetown            |
| 13. Andy Osburn      | Equals6.com, Halifax                           |
| 14. Sébastien Pitre  | V. Pitre Fondation, Roberval                   |
| 15. Ryan Roberts     | Managed Markets Rx Solutions, Inc., Saint John |
| 16. Kirsten Simonsen | The Eastern Prosthetic Clinic, Moncton         |