

Canada Europe eInclusion Symposium
Focus: eAccessibility for Blind and Deaf Communities

Preliminary Program – March 15, 2007

- 8h00** **Welcome**
- *Pierre Dumouchel, Scientific Vice-President CRIM and Professor ÉTS*
- 8h10** **Keynote Speakers**

- *Carole Willans-Théberge, President, CHHA*
- *Richard McNicoll, Expert-Consultant, RQST Conseil-expert*
- *Anne Jarry, CEO, CNIB*
- *European Association (TBD)*
- 9h00** **Who Does What in Canada**

- *François Lanctôt, President, Silex Créations inc.*
- *Morris Krymalowski, Lead Advisor, Industry Canada*
- 9h15** **Research Presentations**
- 9h45** **Health Break**
- 10h00** **Research Presentations (cont'd)**
- 12h00** **Networking Lunch**
- 13h30** **CRTC & European organization (TBD)**
Canadian & European regulation in broadcasting and telecommunications
- 14h00** **Research Presentations (cont'd)**
- 15h30** **Health Break**
- 15h45** **Technology Application Demonstrations**
- *Canadian e-Inclusion Research Network*
- *Others (TBC)*
- 17h30** **Q&A's and Concluding Remarks**
- 18h00** **Networking Reception**

**Canada Europe FP7 Info Day
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- 8h45** **Welcome & ICT Canadian National Contact Point Overview**
- *Debbie Kemp, Canadian National Contact Point-IST, CRC*
- 9h00** **ICT NCP Directorate**
- *Thomas Mckinley, ICT Operations Planning and Programming Officer, Information Society & Media (TBC)*
- 9h30** **IST-EC 2 Overview**
- *Mounib Mekhilef, European Coordinator, IST-EC2 Project*
- 9h50** **IDEAL-IST**
- *Concettina Larosa, (TBC)*
- 10h15** **Health Break**
- 10h30** **COST European Program**
- *Afonso Ferreira, Science Officer, COST*
- 11h00** **ERA-CAN**
- *Janet A. Panford, Director, ERA-Can*
- 11h30** **Canadian Funding Organizations**
- *Jean-Pierre Rodrigue, International Relations Analyst, NSERC*
- *Richard O'Shaughnessey, Industrial Technology Advisor, IRAP*
- *Richard Dupont, Europe Coordinator, MDEIE*
- 12h15** **Networking Lunch**
- 13h30** **Possible e-Accessibility Partnering Session (TBC)**