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A Word from the President

With Renewed Vigour



Last year, the ICCS celebrated its twentieth anniversary. We really have come a long way! Today, our federation of national and multinational associations of Canadian Studies represents over 7,000 Canadianists who are active in over 30 countries. The Council's activities are supported by its Ottawa-based Secretariat that manages a large number of scholarship and research programs (offered mainly by the Department of Foreign Affairs and International Trade) that are aimed at

facilitating the mobility of students, young graduates, researchers and professors. In 1990, the ICCS launched the *International Journal of Canadian Studies*, a publication that aims to help Canadianists throughout the world publish and disseminate their work, while encouraging them to strengthen their ties to the Canadian academic community in general. Today, this publication is considered an established and prestigious journal.

The ICCS is a vital network that encourages the exchange of information on Canada as well as the development of teaching curricula and research programs on Canada. At the heart of this network are the national and multinational associations for Canadian Studies. The delegates of these organizations, who meet once a year in Canada, not only make up our Board of Directors, but also form the indispensable link between the ICCS and Canadianists from a host of different countries. With this in mind, the Executive Committee of the ICCS completed this year an in-depth review of its communications policy, initiated under my predecessor, Past-President Karen Gould. It introduced measures with a view to forging stronger ties with the associations, serving them better and raising awareness of the programs and services that the ICCS provides. The ICCS is now using new information technologies in a more effective way.

We have implemented three major communications vehicles: 1) an entirely redesigned Web site (www.iccs-ciec.ca), a simple and effective tool that helps us tell people about the services being offered to Canadianists; 2) an electronic newsletter distributed weekly free of charge by e-mail throughout the world to everyone requesting it, and containing a raft of informative items on Canadian Studies (notices of upcoming conferences, publications, scholarships, employment opportunities, new Web sites, etc.) How to receive it? Simple! Just send an e-mail to gleclair@iccs-ciec.ca; 3) the fusion of the old Contact (the printed version sent out to the members of all of our associations) with *The International Canadianist*, a publication distributed on a regular basis to decision makers in Canada in order to promote activities and developments in Canadian Studies.

The latter initiative now permits us to send out, once a year, this special edition of *The International Canadianist* to all of the individuals who formerly received Contact. The main idea behind this decision was to eliminate a publication that had a little too administrative a flavour and replace it with a lively, friendly and attractive newsletter that will highlight some of the accomplishments of the international network, as well as feature a wide variety of information helpful to Canadianists—in a nutshell, a newsletter that reflects the evolution of the ICCS and Canadian Studies around the world.

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We will keep in touch with all members of the network by regular mail, nevertheless, both the Web site and the electronic newsletter discussed above allow those so wishing to stay in close contact with us. Now more than ever, we are equipped to reach out and listen to you, and thus better serve you.

**Serge Jaumain
President of the ICCS**

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Princess Margriet and Canadian Studies in Groningen

The projects that the Canadian Studies Centre in Groningen (The Netherlands) has developed in the fields of education, research and exchange programmes with Canadian universities were the focus of a March 2002 luncheon meeting jointly hosted by His Excellency **Serge April**, Canadian Ambassador to The Netherlands, **Simon Bronsgeest**, Chairman of the Netherlands Canadian Chamber of Commerce, and **Simon Kuipers**, Chancellor, University of Groningen. Her **Royal Highness Princess Margriet** and Mr. **Pieter van Vollenhoven** were special guests at the meeting which brought together 80 representatives from industry.

The Centre, under the directorship of **Jaap Lintvelt**, was founded in 1988. Its objective is the promotion of education and research related to various aspects of Canada.

25 Years of Canadian Studies at DFAIT

A conference marking a quarter century of the Canadian Studies Program at the Department of Foreign Affairs and International Trade (DFAIT) was held at the Lester B. Pearson Building in Ottawa, October 15-16, 2001. Organized by **Jean Labrie** of the International Academic Relations Division, the conference brought together some forty Canadianists who reflected on Canadian Studies, past and future. The Hon. **John Manley** greeted those assembled through a video message. Deputy-Minister **Gaëtan Lavertu**'s opening remarks were followed by a speech from His Excellency **John Ralston Saul**. **Michael Brock**, Director General of International Cultural Relations Bureau at DFAIT welcomed participants and attendants.



Michael Brock, Director General,
International Cultural
Relations Bureau

The Academic Relations Division used the occasion to recognize some of the pioneers in the field of Canadian Studies abroad: **Jean-Michel Lacroix**, **Luca Codignola**, **Cornelius Remie**, **Rainer-Olaf Schultze**, **Ged Martin**, **Richard Beach**, **Daniel Ben-Natan** and **Brian Long**. As well, in recognition and support of the new generation, the Academic Relations Division awarded special 25th Anniversary bursaries to eighteen graduate students from around the world.

New Canadian Studies Centre in Budapest

The Canadian Studies Centre at Eötvös Loránd University was inaugurated February 18, 2002 in conjunction with a two-day international conference "Continentalism and Nationhood" attended by Canadianists from Germany, Austria, Poland and Hungary. The opening ceremony was

jointly chaired by **Yvon Turcotte**, Chargé d'Affaires of the Canadian Embassy in Budapest, **Péter Medgyes**, Director of the School for English and American Studies, and **Anna Jakobfi**, Program Director, whose involvement with Canadian Studies at Eötvös Loránd University spans twenty-two years. One session highlighted the work of Hungarian doctoral students including **Krisztina Kádár** who spoke on the French imperial viewpoint of New France and **András Toth** who discussed Canadian computer assisted literary creation on the Internet.

A Canadian Hero in Cuba

The Cátedra Honorífica de Estudios Canadienses General William A.C. Ryan of the University of Matanzas held February 24-March 1, 2002 the "II National Seminar on Canadian Studies in Cuba in Memory of Pierre Elliott Trudeau." The theme of this year's seminar which was attended by over sixty people was "Canadian Multiculturalism: Politics, Social Practice and International Perspectives." Keynote speaker, Professor **Walter J. Temelini** (University of Windsor), was acclaimed Honorary Member of a new Chair for Multicultural Studies which will encompass several departments within the Faculty of Social Science. The William A.C. Ryan Honorary Centre of Canadian Studies was established at the University of Matanzas in 1996. The Centre is named after General William A.C. Ryan, a Canadian citizen who joined the ranks of Cuba's Liberation Army, fought and died for liberty during the Cuban War of Independence (1868-1878). W.A.C. Ryan is now the topic of an ambitious biographical research project by academics at the University of Matanzas, in conjunction with a Canadian team led by Dr. **Keith Ellis** of York University. Working with filmmakers **Harry Tanner** and **Peter Bowl**, the teams plan to write a trilingual biographical book, produce an historical film, and raise a monument to honour General Ryan's memory in the City of Havana.

38th Canadian Studies Centre Opens in China

A new Canadian Studies Centre was opened September 26, 2001 at Chongqing University (CQU) by Ambassador **Joseph Caron**, who jointly officiated with CQU's President **Wu Zhongfu**, and other members of CQU's administration. The new Centre's mandate will focus on research in comparative studies in key social and economic fields—in particular China's implementation of its Western Development Strategy and the development of Western Canada; information technology and the Science and Technology connection; environmental protection; protection of ethnic groups in Western China and of Canada's First Nations. In addition to Chongqing University, three other Chinese universities have recently established Canadian Studies Centres: Tsinghua University (Beijing), East China Politics and Law Institute (Shanghai) and Liaoning Normal University (Dalian). There are now 38 centres and 380 members in the Association for Canadian Studies in China.



Jean-Michel Lacroix receives, not one, but two prestigious awards

Jean-Michel Lacroix, President of the Association française d'études canadiennes and Rector of the Université Paris III-Sorbonne Nouvelle, has received two prestigious awards. He has been awarded the Prix culturel Samuel de Champlain from the Institut France-Canada. The honour recognizes nationals of both Canada and France who contribute to making the Canadian reality better known within France. The second prize, from the Office of the Governor General in Canada, is the Meritorious Service Decoration—Civilian Division, an important distinction in Canada.

An Interview with ICCS' Executive Director



Eight months have passed since Ms **Catherine Bastedo-Boileau** took the position of Executive Director at the International Council for Canadian Studies. *The International Canadianist* approached her to obtain her views and vision of her role and of the direction of the ICCS.

Catherine Bastedo-Boileau, you have been Executive Director of the ICCS since September 2001, following a long career in the federal Public Service. Why did the position interest you?

My idea of a great job is one that I would choose to do for sheer enjoyment and challenge. As soon as I found out that the ICCS was looking for an executive director, I thought that this would be my ideal position—I would be able to work in a field I love—Canadian Studies—in the type of organization I enjoy, that is a small service oriented group. I would be able to use my educational background in Canadian Studies, management expertise, networks and knowledge of current Canadian issues to promote Canada and Canadian Studies. On top of that, I love to travel and exchange views with new and interesting people.

What has struck you most since you started?

The wonderful and professional staff here in Ottawa, dedicated to the ICCS—over one third have been here for more than 13 years; and the support I have received from the Executive Committee and prominent Canadianists. What continues to impress me is the depth and breadth of the work of Canadianists. They are adding to the understanding we have of Canada, through research and teaching in disciplines ranging from architecture to music and in subjects as varied as First Nation's languages, political satire and petroglyphs.

How would you qualify the ICCS and what do you think are its greatest challenges?

ICCS is an extremely important organization that is growing by leaps and bounds, both in terms of the number of member associations and the Canadianists it serves. It can and does play a crucial role in promoting the study of Canada across the world. One challenge is to reach out to our members in so many locations, and I think we are making good headway. Another is to provide effective services to our current members, at the same time we look for ways to assist the development of Canadian Studies in other areas, where Canadian Studies are starting or where they are non-existent. And of course, in a not-for-profit organization there is always the challenge of finding sufficient resources. I'll be focussing on these things in the year to come.

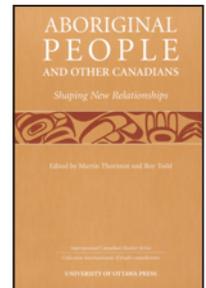
A First Work Experience Thanks to Canadian Studies

Thanks to the ICCS Canadian Studies International Youth Internship Project, eleven interns selected for 2001-2002 are currently working at Canadian Studies centres or departments in Australia, China, England, France, Germany, The Netherlands, Northern Ireland, Scotland and the United States. The 6-month internships abroad are aimed at Canadian graduates under the age of 30 who are unemployed or under-employed.

The object of the project is to provide the interns with valuable work experience at the international level in order to enhance their career prospects upon their return to Canada, while at the same time contributing to the advancement of Canadian Studies abroad. Examples of current projects are the organization of conferences, creation of Canadian Studies journals and the preparation of course material related to Canadian Studies. The Youth Internship Project is funded by the Human Resources Department of Canada and the Department of Foreign Affairs and International Trade of Canada.

International Canadian Studies Series 4th Book Out

Aboriginal People and Other Canadians, edited by **Martin Thornton** (University of Leeds) and **Roy Todd** (University of Leeds) and published by the University of Ottawa Press, is the latest publication in the International Canadian Studies Series, co-produced by the International Council for Canadian Studies and the Institute of Canadian Studies of the University of Ottawa. It discusses a variety of issues in Aboriginal studies including social exclusion, marginalisation and identity; justice, equality and gender; self-help and empowerment in Aboriginal communities and in the cities; and methodological and historiographical representations of social relations.



High Marks for the IJCS

When the *International Journal of Canadian Studies* received a notice of award for a second three-year grant from the Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada through its Aid to Research and Transfer Journals, Editor-in-Chief **Robert Schwartzwald** was, needless to say, quite pleased. But to his great satisfaction, not only did the *IJCS* receive this recognition, which highlights the solid scholarly work done by the Editorial Board with the support of the ICCS, it obtained this acknowledgment with an overall mark of 88 per cent!

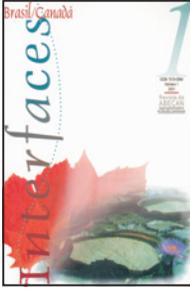
Professor **Robert Schwartzwald**, along with associate editors, **Caroline Andrew**, **Claude Couture** and **Coral Ann Howells**, are busy preparing up-coming volumes, which will deal with Transculturalism; Performing Canada; and Health.

New International Summer Seminar in Canadian Studies

Overwhelming demand has sparked the creation of a second International Summer Seminar in Canadian Studies during the month of August. The Department of Foreign Affairs and International Trade has provided financial support for both the original Summer seminar held in Ottawa, in conjunction with the University of Ottawa (Institute of Canadian Studies) and Carleton University (School of Canadian Studies), and a Western Seminar to be held in Edmonton, in conjunction with the University of Alberta (Centre d'études canadiennes, Faculté Saint-Jean) and the University of Calgary (Canadian Studies Programme). In anticipation that some participants may wish to attend both Ottawa and Western seminars, the dates have been coordinated to make such twinned participation possible.

ABECAN Launches Several Publications

ABECAN's sixth biennial conference, held November 11-14, 2001 in Porto Alegre on "Transculturalismos Brasil-Canadá" and organized by **Zila Bernd**, one of the directors of the ICCS Transculturalism Project, was the occasion to launch several Brazilian books on Canada including *Interfaces Brasil-Canadá: Revista oficial de ABECAN*, edited by **Zila Bernd**; *Imagens do outro: leituras divergentes da alteridade* by **Humberto L. de Oliveira** (NEC-UEFS); *A voz da crítica canadense no feminino* by **Nubia Hanciau**, **Eliane Campello** and **Eloína Prati dos Santos** (NEC-FURG); *Interseções culturais: diálogos com a literatura e a lingüística aplicada no Canadá* by **Sandra Regina G. Almeida** (NEC-UFMG); *Terminologia e ensino de Segunda língua: Canadá e Brasil* by **Marília dos S. Lima** and **Patricia C. Ramos** (NEC-UFRGS).



The CEC-ULB, a Small but Busy Centre

The CEC-ULB (Centre d'études canadiennes de l'Université Libre de Bruxelles) organized, in the past few months, three colloquia on the themes "Immigration Policies in Perspective: Comparing Canada and the European Union"; "Reconfigurations: Canadian Literatures and Post-colonial Identities"; "Fit for Service: The Decline, Professionalization and Emigration of Domestic Workers, Europe/Canada XXth Century." In addition, from November 16, 2001 to June 7, 2002, it is organizing a series of conferences in conjunction with the Centre de Droit Public of the ULB on "The Stakes of Contemporary Federalism: Examining Canadian, Belgian and European Experiences." Speakers include **Keith Banting**, Director, School of Policy Studies, Queen's University, **Benoît Pelletier**, Professor of Law at the University of Ottawa and Member of the National Assembly of Quebec.

20th Anniversary of the Patriation of the Constitution

The Association for Canadian Studies commemorated the 20th anniversary of the patriation of the Canadian Constitution and the birth of the Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms with a conference in Ottawa April 17-20, 2002, entitled "Canadian Rights and Freedoms: Twenty Years Under the Charter." Speakers included The Hon. Justice **Beverley McLachlin**, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Canada; The Hon. Justice **Michel Bastarache**, Supreme Court of Canada; The Hon. Senator **Gérald Beaudoin**; **Morris Rosenberg**, Deputy Minister, Justice Canada; Chief **Dwight Dorey**, Congress of Aboriginal Peoples; and **Dyane Adam**, Commissioner of Official Languages of Canada.

ACQS Produces Video

The American Council for Québec Studies has produced in conjunction with Production Le confière tête inc., a video featuring five Quebec writers: Louky Bersianik, Nicole Brossard, Louise Cotnoir, Louise Dupré, and France Théoret, important Québécois feminists of the 1980s. The video, *La théorie un dimanche: sweet suite*, filmed and edited by **Jean-Pierre Masse**, records a mini-plenary session held during the October 2000 ACQS conference in Montréal, which brought together these writers for an inspired reflection on contemporary feminism. The video is available for rental from the Canadian Film Distribution Centre at SUNY Plattsburgh. For more information, visit <http://canada-acsus.plattsburgh.edu/video.htm>.

Canada's Increasing Presence in Korea

Young-Suk (Simon) Moon, Professor of Canadian Studies at the Institute of Canadian Studies, Kangnam University, has started Korea's first degree-granting program in Canadian Studies. A graduate of the University of Toronto, Professor Moon has created 32 courses for a four year program which began in March 2001. The program is part of the division of International Studies which provides three possible areas of specialization: American, Canadian or Chinese Studies. In addition to introducing Canada through his teaching, Professor Moon has appeared twice on national television in one-hour programs about Canada and has published a number of popular articles on Canada in leading magazines and newspapers in Korea. Further fuelling interest in Canada is his translation, with **Eugene Lee**, of **Desmond Morton's A Short History of Canada**.

ACSANZ Nortel Networks' Canadian Studies Addresses

The Centre for Canadian Studies at University of Wollongong, under the directorship of **Gerry Turcotte**, recently launched the first in the Nortel Networks' Canadian Studies Addresses. No. 1 of the series is *Citizenship and Immigration: The Chinese-Canadian Experience*, by Senator **Vivienne Poy**. (University of Wollongong Press and Centre for Canadian-Australian Studies, 2002). Director of the Series: **Gerry Turcotte**.



Transculturalism Research Project Web Sites

The ICCS Transculturalism Project, which was established in May 2000, brings together approximately 50 Canadian Studies scholars from a variety of countries in a project spanning three years and culminating in an international conference in May 2003. The five proposed areas of comparative study include the mechanisms of cultural transfer; intermingling of cultures and its impact on national identity; effectiveness or ineffectiveness of cultural protectionist policies; the influence of Canadian culture on world cultural markets in the 20th and 21st centuries; and the impact of transculturalisms on so-called "national" cultures. Two of the team leaders, **Sneja Gunew** (English and Women's Studies, University of British Columbia) and **Zila Bernd** (French and Francophone Studies, Universidade Federal do Rio Grande do Sul, Porto Alegre, Brazil) have established web sites at <http://transculturalisms.arts.ubc.ca> and at <http://www.conex.com/br/user/zilab>, respectively.

Young Russian Canadianists

The Russian Association for Canadian Studies (RACS) held its second Conference of Young Canadianists in Moscow. Undergraduate and post-graduate students, as well as junior researchers from Moscow, St. Petersburg and Kazan, presented a dozen papers on various topics within Canadian Studies.



IsACS Inaugurates Scholarship Program

The Israel Association for Canadian Studies (IsACS) inaugurated a graduate student scholarship program in Canadian Studies to allow MA and Ph.D. students writing their theses or dissertations to collect data, meet with experts in their field and take courses in Canada. The funding is made possible by the Department of Foreign Affairs and International Trade, the Israel Association for Canadian Studies, and the private sector.

Canadian Political Science Popular in Spain

In a ceremony held on February 19, 2002 attended by the Canadian Ambassador to Spain, His Excellency **Alain Dudoit** and the Rector of the University of Barcelona (UB), the Spanish Association for Canadian Studies (AEEC) and the Canadian Studies Centre of the UB launched the series "Canadiana Collection" with the publication of *Canadá: Introducción al sistema político y jurídico*, edited by **Esther Mitjans** and **Josep M. Castellà**, and *El Quebec: Un model de dret comparat per a Catalunya*, edited by **Esther Arroyo I Amayuelas**. The AEEC organized a number of seminars and conferences over the past months. Professors **Xavier Arbós** and **Esther Mitjans** organized in Barcelona a seminar on "Federalism: Ideas and Politics," jointly sponsored by the Canadian Studies Centre at the UB and the European Network for Canadian Studies. The 20th Anniversary of the patriation of the Canadian Constitution was also marked March 7, 2002 in a joint colloquium of the AEEC, the Canadian Studies Centre at the UB and the Universidades Complutense y Autónoma de Madrid. "La posició del Quebec a la Federació," moderated by **Xavier Arbós**, featured speakers **Benoît Pelletier** (University of Ottawa and Member of the National Assembly of Quebec), **Daniel Turp** (Université de Montréal) and **José Woehrling** (Université de Montréal).

Reinventing the Canadian West

The annual conference of the Association for Canadian Studies in German-Speaking Countries (GKS) held in Grainau, Germany, February 15-17, 2002, on theme "Reinventing the Canadian West" attracted over 275 participants from the German-Speaking countries, Nordic countries, Central European Network and North America. The conference was opened by Her Excellency **Ingrid Hall**, Ambassador to Austria, and the keynote address was given by writer **Fred Wah** (University of Calgary). The concluding plenary featured a reading by **Rudy Wiebe** from his work *Sweeter Than All the World*.

Meeting of Canadianists from Central Europe

The GKS conference also included a special meeting of Canadianists from Central Europe, chaired by **Don Sparling** of the University of Brno and head of the Central European Canadian Studies Network.



Young Japanese Scholars Join JACS

The Japanese Association for Canadian Studies held September 14-15, 2001, in Nagoya, its 25th annual conference. This gathering was attended by a large number of scholars. Among these were young Japanese Canadianists, some presented papers and/or formed the Young Japanese Researchers of Canadian Studies, an informal group of undergraduate and graduate students interested in Canadian Studies.

Pierre Trudeau Memorial Debate in Delhi

The Centre for Canadian Studies at the University of Delhi instituted an annual Pierre Elliot Trudeau Memorial Debate as part of its 10th anniversary celebrations. The debate is to promote interest among undergraduate students in Delhi on Canadian Studies. Since the majority of undergraduate students study through the medium of Hindi, students are



allowed to speak in English or in Hindi at the debate. The first Pierre Trudeau Memorial Debate took place March 5, 2002 at the South Campus of the University of Delhi. The topic of the debate was "In the Opinion of the House, India has nothing to learn from Canada on Sustainable Development." The 1st prize comprising of a cash award of Rs.1001 was won by **Sreedeeep Bhattacharya** of the Hindu College. The Trudeau Shield for the best team was awarded to Bharti College.

ACSUS Conference

The 16th biennial conference was held November 14-18, 2001 in San Antonio, Texas with a over 100 panels covering the full disciplinary spectrum. Plenary speakers included His Excellency **Michael Kergin**, Canadian Ambassador to the United States, writer **Aritha van Herk**, and the Honorable **André Boisclair**, Quebec Minister of Environment. Special speakers included **Enrique Berruga Filloy**, Mexican Deputy Minister of Foreign Affairs, **Gordon Giffin**, former US Ambassador to Canada, and **George Haynal**, former Assistant Deputy Minister, Americas (Government of Canada), who formed a plenary "NAFTA and North American Borders." Following the events of September 11th, a plenary session dealing with issues of security and the Canada-U.S. border was incorporated into the program.

News Brief

- ★ *The Chair Anne-Hébert was inaugurated November 30, 2001 at the Centre universitaire méditerranéen in Nice. Its objective is to increase knowledge of and familiarity with all aspects of Québec society and culture.*
- ★ *Rachel Killick, Chair of the Modern Languages Faculty at the University of Leeds, has been awarded the first Chair in Quebec Studies in the UK. The French Department at Leeds is the largest in the UK.*

The ICCS keeps detailed and up-to-date information on these and other conferences on its Web site at <http://www.iccs-ciec.ca>.

Association for Canadian Studies in The Netherlands

First Nations in North America: Politics and Representation.
May 29-31, 2002. Roosevelt Study Center, Middelburg, The Netherlands.

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21st Annual General Meeting. June 4-10, 2002. Ottawa Canada.

Association for Canadian Studies

Broadcasting the Nation: Communication and the Making of Canada.
June 10-12, 2002. Ottawa, Canada.

Israel Association for Canadian Studies

9th Biennial Jerusalem Conference. June 30-July 4, 2002. Jerusalem, Israel.

Association for Canadian Studies in China

10th Biennial Conference. July 16-18, 2002. Lanzhou University, Lanzhou, China.

Nordic Association for Canadian Studies

Old Environments – New Environments, VII Triennial Nordic Conference.
August 8-11, 2002. Stockholm, Sweden.

Association for Canadian Studies in Australia and New Zealand

Converging Futures? Canada and Australia in a New Millennium.
September 12-14, 2002. National Convention Centre, Canberra, Australia.

Association for Canadian Studies

September 11th, 2001: The Impact and Aftermath for Canada and Canadians. September 13-15, 2002. Ottawa, Canada.

Japanese Association for Canadian Studies

Annual Conference. September 14-15, 2002. Campus Plaza Kyoto, Ritsumeikan University, Kyoto, Japan.

French Association for Canadian Studies

Canada: Otherwise, Annual Conference. September 19-21, 2002. Université Marc Bloch, Centre Interdisciplinaire de Recherches et d'Études Canadiennes, Strasbourg, France.

Association for Canadian Studies in the United States

Integration and Fragmentation in Canada and the United States, 4th ACSUS-in-Canada Colloquium, in partnership with the Institute of Canadian Studies, University of Ottawa. September 20-21, 2002. Ottawa, Canada.

Spanish Association for Canadian Studies

The Impact of the Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms (1982-2002). European Perspectives. November 28-30, 2002. Universidad de Salamanca, Salamanca, Spain.

American Council for Québec Studies

The Francophone Presence in North America. October 24-27, 2002. Mobile, Alabama.

British Association for Canadian Studies

Montreal-Glasgow Conference. 1-2 March 2003. University of Glasgow, Glasgow, Scotland.

British Association for Canadian Studies

Centres and Peripheries, 28th Annual Conference. April 7-10, 2003. University of Leeds, Leeds, United Kingdom.

Centre d'études canadiennes, Université Libre de Bruxelles

Vivre en ville. Bruxelles-Montréal (XIXe-XXe siècle). May 8-9, 2003. Université Libre de Bruxelles, Belgium.

Association for Canadian Studies in the United States

Biennial Conference. November 19-23, 2003. Portland, Oregon.

Did You Know...

- ✳ that the ICCS is a registered not-for-profit organisation and can issue receipts for your donations?
- ✳ that there is a simple way to keep up to date with Canadian Studies events (conferences, publications, resources, Web sites, employment opportunities, etc.)? **Contact ICCS-CIEC is a weekly, electronic newsletter sent free of charge to anyone who sends an e-mail requesting it to gleclair@iccs-ciec.ca.**
- ✳ that the ICCS offers every year ten research grants to graduate students who are writing a M.A. or Ph.D. thesis on the subject of Canada?
- ✳ that PIRL (Program for International Research Linkages) gives the opportunity to research teams from outside Canada to link up with a Canadian research team in view of developing research networks on Canada (or comparative research with another country), by providing up to \$8,000 to the development of such projects?
- ✳ that the ICCS lists on its Web site **all** grants in Canadian Studies that it makes available through its administration? A visit to the ICCS Web site will give you the details, www.iccs-ciec.ca.



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