

MEDIA ADVISORY

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Algonquin College Celebrates 2009 Media Hall of Fame Inductees

Algonquin College's School of Media and Design will honour industry leaders in media-related fields in the *Media Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony* on Wednesday, March 11. The inductees are leaders in the media industry and have been selected based on individual excellence, innovation, and contributions to their professions and the community.

The 12 inductees include:

- Gordon McMillan, President, McMillan & Associates;
- Harvey Glatt, Founder, CHEZ 106;
- Christina Spencer, Journalist, Sun Media;
- Charlotte Gray, author
- Michael Coates, President, Hill & Knowlton Canada.

Who: Robert Gillett, President, Algonquin College
Russell Mills, Executive Dean, Faculty of Arts, Media and Design

What: Algonquin College's Media Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony

When: **Wednesday, March 11, 2009**
Best Time: 5:15 p.m.

Where: Restaurant International
'H' Building
Algonquin College
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Algonquin College's 2009 Media Hall of Fame Inductees

- **Gordon McMillan**, President and Chief Creative Officer, McMillan & Associates Inc., *Advertising Inductee*; <http://www.thinkmcmillan.com>
- **Harvey Glatt**, Founder, Chez 106, *Radio Broadcasting Inductee*, In 1977, Harvey Glatt made a dramatic contribution to Canadian broadcasting, playing an instrumental role in the creation of CHEZ 106, one of the most innovative radio stations in Canada. After selling CHEZ and other radio stations to Rogers in 1999, Harvey joined the Board of Rogers Media and served until 2004.
- **Alan Lorne White**, Founder, Corvideocom and General Assembly Production Centre, *Television Broadcasting Inductee*, (awarded posthumously)
- **Susan Stranks**, Filmmaker and Television Producer, Hot Flash Productions, *Documentary Production Inductee*; http://www.hotflashproductions.com/About_us.php
- **Fred Sherwin**, Editor and Publisher, Orleans Online, *e-Publishing Inductee*; <http://www.orleansonline.ca/pages/N2009030901.htm>
- **Shawn Pucknell**, Director, FITC, *Interactive Multimedia Inductee*; <http://www.fitc.ca>
- **Christina Spencer**, Journalist, Sun Media, *Journalism Inductee*, Christina Spencer's journalism experience includes stints as an international affairs writer, editorial page commentator and daily newspaper editor.
- **Harry Turner**, Photographic Services Coordinator, National Research Council, *Photography Inductee*; http://www.nrc-cnrc.gc.ca/highlights/2003/0311turner_e.html
- **Marie Eveline**, Executive Director, Canadian Printing Industries Sector Council, *Print Media Inductee*; <http://www.cpisc-csic.ca/eng/about.html>
- **Charlotte Gray**, award-winning author of popular history and political commentator, *Professional Writing Inductee*; <http://www.charlottegray.ca>
- **Michael Coates**, President, Hill & Knowlton Canada, *Public Relations Inductee*; <http://www.hillandknowlton.com/about/team/coates>
- **Tom Shoebridge**, Founder, Summer Institute of Film and Television, *Scriptwriting Inductee*; <http://www.cstc.ca/default.asp>