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Algonquin College Convocation

Ottawa, ON, June 4, 2003 - Algonquin College will graduate close to 5,000 students this spring. Over 2,000 students will be on hand to receive their diplomas and certificates at Algonquin's convocation ceremonies at the National Arts Centre on **Sunday, June 8, 2003, and Monday, June 9, 2003**. Algonquin College President Robert Gillett will preside over the presentation of diplomas and certificates.

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Sunday, June 8

1:00 p.m. Graduates of the School of Academic Advancement and Languages and the School of Advanced Technology.

Speaker: Jeffrey Dale, President and CEO, Ottawa Centre for Research and Innovation (OCRI).

5:00 p.m. Graduates of the School of Business and the School of Hospitality and Tourism.

Speaker: David Wallace, Regional Vice President and Managing Director, Eastern and Northern Ontario for BMO Harris Private Banking.

Monday, June 9

10:00 a.m. Graduates of the School of Health and Community Studies and the School of Transportation and Building Trades.

Speaker: Shirley Westeinde, Chair, Westeinde Group of Companies.

2:00 p.m. Graduates of the School of Media and Design and the Police and Public Safety Institute.

Speaker: Abla Sherif, Dean of the School of Media and Design, Algonquin College.

The ceremonies are being held at the National Arts Centre, 53 Elgin Street, Ottawa, Ontario.

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