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**AGENDA OF THE FIRST NATIONS OPEN DOOR EVENT**  
**Musée québécois de culture populaire, Trois-Rivières**  
**June 19, 2009**

**Master of Ceremony: Mr. Christian Rock**

- 8:00 Continental Breakfast
- 9:00 Greetings from Ghislain Picard, Chief of the AFNQL
- 9:10 The Legacy of Quebec Indian Residential Schools (short movie)  
*Mrs. Guylaine Gill, Executive Director, First Nations of Quebec and Labrador Health and Social Services Commission*
- 9:35 Who are the First Nations? Virtual Visit of 4 First Nations Communities  
*Kitcisakik, Wemotaci, Opitciwan & Pikogan*
- 9:45 International Recognition of the Sovereignty of Indigenous Peoples: The United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples  
*Mr. Éric Cardinal, President, Cardinal Communications*
- 10:10 Declaration on a First Nations Sovereignty Affirmation Process: What Does It Mean?  
*Mr. John Martin, Political Advisor, AFNQL*
- 10:30 BREAK
- 10h50 Fight Against Poverty : To Give Ourselves the Means!  
*Mr. Patrice Lacasse, Coordinator, Social Development Office, First Nations of Quebec and Labrador Health and Social Services Commission*
- 11:10 First Nations Sovereignty in Action  
*Mr. François Beaudoin, General Director, Wôlinak Plastics*
- 11 :30 Wapikoni Mobile: Wemotaci Permanent Studio
- 11 :55 Myths and Realities on Aboriginal Peoples (New Edition)  
*Mrs. Diane Archambault, Commission des droits de la personne et de la jeunesse*
- 12:00 Press Conference

**NOTE: Simultaneous translation will be available on-site.**