CIRM in the Basque Country

Last December, CIRM's team travelled to the Basque Country to participate in a series of workshops and conferences on big data, as well as meet municipal representatives and local stakeholders of the social innovation field. This trip, which was part of the Memorandum of Understanding recently concluded between CIRM, Agirre Lehendakaria Center and Etxepare Basque Institute, has laid the foundations for international collaboration on the Observatory of Montreal's Narratives, which is of great interest to the municipal administration of San Sebastián.

Visit from the Brussels Studies Institute
From May 27th to 31st, CIRM will have the pleasure to welcome Prof. Joost Vaesen (Vrije Universiteit Brussel and Director of the Brussel Studies Institute) and Prof. Serge Jaumain (Free University of Brussels and member of the BSI). This trip will be an opportunity for collaboration between CIRM and BSI, and will make it possible to compare the operation modes of the two centres. For the occasion, various workshops and a study day will be organized at the Centre. If you want to meet our guests as part of these activities, or have a private meeting with them, don't hesitate to communicate with us!

Our team is growing

CIRM is pleased to announce that three research assistants have recently joined the team. Karolyne Arseneault (Project Manager - Urban Living Challenge and Lunchtime seminars), Véronique Leblanc (Events and Public Relations Assistant) and Félycia Thibaudeau (Editorial Assistant) will be taking an active part in the development of the Centre's activities!

EVENTS

Forum of Culture Montréal

Questions surrounding living together and the valorization of the French language will be at the heart of the three half-study days organized by Culture Montréal as part of the Forum de réflexion sur le rôle de la métropole dans l'avenir du français, taking place on February 7th and 8th at Phi Centre. As a member of the steering committee of Culture Montréal, Pascal Brissette (Director of CIRM) will contribute to the synthesis at the end of the Forum.

Montreal as seen by...

The series of lunchtime conferences organized at CIRM by McGill's Quebec Studies Students Association continues throughout the semester! Local stakeholders are invited to come and share their vision of the metropolis from the perspective of their own personal and professional experiences. Upcoming conferences:

- January 29 (11:30 AM-1 PM): Mickaël Theimer
Commemorating the Congress of Black Writers

As part of Black History Month, CIRM and the McGill Institute for the Study of Canada invite you to join us for cocktails and a roundtable commemorating the Congress of Black Writers on February 6th, from 6 PM to 9 PM, at the Faculty Club of McGill University (3450 McTavish St.).

RSVP: click here.