

## Media Advisory

Attention: News editors

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**Shawn A-in-chut Atleo** (National Chief of the Assembly of First Nations), **Mary Simon** (President of the Inuit Tapiriit Kanatami), **Clément Chartier**, (President of the Métis National Council), **Betty Ann Lavallée** (National Chief of the Congress of Aboriginal Peoples) and **Jeannette Corbiere Lavell** (President of the Native Women's Association of Canada, participation to-be-confirmed) will be on hand to celebrate the release of the **Canadian Council on Learning** ground-breaking new report that features the first-ever comprehensive look at the state of Aboriginal learning in Canada.

**What:** The Canadian Council on Learning (CCL) will launch **The State of Aboriginal Learning in Canada: A Holistic Approach to Measuring Success** with the participation of national chiefs and presidents from Canada's national aboriginal organizations

**Who:** **Paul Cappon**, President and CEO of CCL  
**Shawn A-in-chut Atleo**, National Chief of the Assembly of First Nations  
**Mary Simon**, President of the Inuit Tapiriit Kanatami  
**Clément Chartier**, President of the Métis National Council  
**Betty Ann Lavallée**, National Chief of the Congress of Aboriginal Peoples  
**Jeannette Corbiere Lavell**, President of the Native Women's Association of Canada (TBC)

**When:** **10 a.m. December 9, 2009**

**Where:** **Fairmont Chateau Laurier**  
**Drawing Room**  
1 Rideau Street  
Ottawa, Ontario K1N 8S7

Media can also participate by teleconference  
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