



As Executive Director of the Cégep de Chicoutimi and always delighted to get involved in city activities, Ginette Sirois was happy to join the group of ambassadors of Saguenay, 2010 Cultural Capital of Canada.

It should be noted that since its creation over 40 years ago, the Cégep de Chicoutimi has had close ties with culture.

"How many youth have been able to be instructed in literature, theatre or poetry in a classroom at our cégep? How many artists have taken their first steps on stage, how many youth have exhibited their first works at the Cégep de Chicoutimi?"

Within this institution, the presence of recognized organizations such as the *Théâtre du Saguenay*, the *École de musique et solfège de Chicoutimi* and the *Académie de ballet du Saguenay* all reinforce the attachment between culture and the staff and students at the Cégep de Chicoutimi.

A privileged partner in the cultural sector, the Cégep de Chicoutimi intends to continue contributing for a long time to the development of cultural life in Saguenay, and to make this next year a great success.

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