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## PERMANENT PEOPLES' TRIBUNAL SESSION ON THE CANADIAN MINING INDUSTRY

Hearing on Latin America  
May 29th-June 1st, 2014



### Thursday May 29th, 2014

***Launch of the Tribunal and Opening Conference, Auditorium  
Adams, McGill University, 3450 University St., 18h-20h30***

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Word of welcome and brief presentations on the context of the initiative, expansion of Canadian mining activities and civil society efforts

Presentation of the history of the PPT by the Secretary general of the Permanent Peoples' Tribunal

Presentation of the prosecution and the judges.

### Friday, May 30th, 2014

***Hearing on rights violations and socio-environmental impacts of the  
Canadian mining operations in Latin America, Comité d'éducation aux  
adultes de la Petite-Bourgogne et St-Henri (CEDA), 2515 Delisle St, 9h-17h***

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Cases from Guatemala, Mexico, Chile and Honduras will be addressed through 3 components :

- Right to life and a healthy environment
- Right to self-determination
- Right to a full citizenship

## **Saturday, May 31th, 2014**

### ***Hearing on Canadian policies that contribute to these rights violations and environmental damages, CEDA, 2515 Delisle St, 9h-17h***

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Civil society efforts to address the problem; political support from Canada to the mining industry; embassy practices; official development assistance; access to justice and non-judiciary mechanisms; free trade and peoples' rights.

### ***Cultural evening ! Cabaret du Mile End, 5240 Avenue du Parc, 20h30-23h***

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Concert and cultural evening with Juan Sebastian Larobina, Tomás Jensen, Yves Desrosiers, Darundai and more ! Tickets available with the organizing committee – 10\$.

## **Sunday, June 1st, 2014**

### ***Discussion day and jury's verdict, CEDA, 9h30-17h30***

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**9h30-13h:** Discussion groups and workshops with guests from Latin America:

- Forum-theatre on extractivism
- Discussion groups on several issues: migrations and mining; women's struggles against mining, creative resistance, divestment strategies, international coalitions against mining in Guatemala, indigenous struggles, etc.

**14h-16h:** Assembly on strategies for our movements, how to follow up with the process of networking, mobilization and research, next hearings of the PPT planned for 2014-2016, etc.

**16h30:** Reading of the verdict by the judges

**Judges:** Maude Barlow (Council of Canadians), Viviane Michel (Quebec Native Women-FAQ-QNW), Nicole Kirouac (Comité de vigilance de Malartic), Gérald Larose (Université du Québec à Montréal), Mireille Fanon-Mendès-France (France, Fondation Frantz Fanon), Antoni Pigrau Solé (Spain, Universitat Rovira i Virgili), Javier Mujica Petit (Peru, Centro de Políticas Públicas y Derechos Humanos), Gianni Tognoni (Italia, Permanent Peoples' Tribunal)

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