

# CANADIAN HISPANIC CONGRESS

#### **MONTHLY NEWSLETTER**



## BRIEF HISTORY OF THE CHC

Better known as CHC, the Canadian Hispanic Congress was incorporated at the federal level on August 15, 1983 as a non-profit corporation. Did you know that there were many names considered for the official launch of the CHC? Hispanic Congress was chosen because of the language that unites more than 20 countries regardless of our specific customs and cultures.

## **OUR VISION**

In 2021, the CHC has started with a new directive whose focus is the #1milliontogether campaign. We are more than a million Hispanics in Canada but that number has no significance if we are not united. Together we can achieve a lot! We invite you to become members of the CHC and work with us on all the projects planned for 2021. Interested parties, contact membership services.

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To subscribe to our newsletter or to become a volunteer / member, please email our Communications Director at: membership@canadianhispaniccongress.

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CHC BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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# MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

"First of all I would like to thank the board and acknowledge their excellent work during the last two months preparing our projects to support the community. Our mission is to empower the community through unification. To achieve that there are several conversations that need to be had as Hispanics in general and specifically Hispanics in Canada. The first issue is racism, which we feel from outside but more importantly what exists among ourselves. During the month of February I invite you to be part of this conversation. It will not be easy, but nothing worthwhile is."

Michelle Riutort

# CALENDAR OF EVENTS

We have worked hard in the last few months to create an events calendar designed to highlight the causes that we believe are important to the community.

The month of February is dedicated to celebrating our Afro-Hispanic community its art, culture and historical contribution with very special guests at unique events.

Please follow us to receive all updates and resources, our website, Facebook, Linkedin, Instagram, Twitter. We are looking for people and organizations to highlight during these events, if you are interested or want to name someone please send an email to our secretary.



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