

MEDIA ADVISORY

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Vernissage of the exhibition **Audacity and perseverance: the legacy of the Oblates of Mary Immaculate O.M.I.**

OTTAWA, October 29, 2014 –The Écomusée du fier monde and Saint Paul University invite you to discover the history of the Oblates and their vibrant legacy thru the exhibition **Audacity and perseverance: the legacy of the Oblates of Mary Immaculate O.M.I.**

Presented for the first time at the Écomusée du fier monde in Montreal (from October 2013 to March 2014) this exhibit will be on display at Saint Paul University from October 30 to December 16, 2014.

The Missionary Oblates of Mary Immaculate make up one of the most important religious communities in the country. They have contributed to the development of Canadian society in a significant way. Their legacy lives on, even as it transforms and moves into the future. The exhibition focuses on their actions at Îlot Saint-Pierre Apôtre in Montreal and of Saint Paul University in Ottawa. Their legacy lives on, even as it transforms and moves into the future.

What: Vernissage of the exhibition Audacity and perseverance: the legacy of the Oblates of Mary Immaculate O.M.I.

When: Thursday, October 30, 2014, from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m.

Where: In the Atrium – Saint Paul University, 223 Main Street, Ottawa, Ontario

For additional information about this exhibition, please visit our [website](#).

Saint Paul University (1848) is the founding college of the University of Ottawa, with which it has been federated since 1965. Bilingual and on a human scale, it offers programs in social communication and leadership, counselling and psychotherapy, canon law, public ethics and philosophy, conflict studies, human relations and theology.

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