

## Press Release

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### **Saint Paul University is proud to present the Conference on Durand's Theory of the Imaginary** *(conference in French only)*

OTTAWA, May 29, 2012 – On June 6 and 7, Saint Paul University will host the 2012 International Conference on Durand's Theory of the Imaginary.

The Conference will welcome researchers and professors from across North America who share an interest in the work, thought and discussion around the work of Gilbert Durand, founder of the theory on anthropological structures of the imaginary. A wide range of discussion topics and themes will be explored: education, psychology, anthropology, history, ethics, spirituality, leisure, leadership management, and social communications, to name just a few.

This large gathering will bring together several major figures who are working in areas linked to the Durandian imaginary. They include Dr. Chaoying Durand-Sun, doctorate graduate from Geneva University and wife of Gilbert Durand; Jean-Jacques Wunenburger, Durandian philosopher on the imaginary; Yves Durand, creator of the Archetype Nine Elements Test (AT.9); and Gérard Bouchard, a historian and sociologist whose research focuses on collective imaginaries.

The Conference will take place on June 6 and 7, 2012, at Saint Paul University. The complete conference program and the registration form are available on the University website: [www.ustpaul.ca](http://www.ustpaul.ca)

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