



Perspectives on the Rights of the Child

Screening and Discussion organized by *Montreal Life Stories* and *CITIZENShift*

Montreal, March 11th 2009 – *Montreal Life Stories* would like the pleasure of announcing the **screening and discussion, “Perspectives on the Rights of the Child”**, organized in collaboration with *CITIZENShift* as part of the program of the **Montreal Human Rights Film Festival 2009**. The event will take place at la Chaufferie de l’UQÀM, 175 President-Kennedy Avenue, Wednesday March 18th, from 6:30pm to 8pm.

For this occasion, *Montreal Life Stories* and *CITIZENShift* will screen two projections based on the testimonies of people having survived extreme human rights violations during their youths. These screenings will be followed by a roundtable and discussion regarding the *International Convention on the Rights of the Child* which is celebrating its 20th anniversary this year.

We would like to take the opportunity of this event to emphasize the collaboration between Concordia University’s Centre for Oral History and Digital Storytelling and the National Film Board, and their respective projects, *Montreal Life Stories* and *CITIZENShift*. For several months, excerpts from oral history interviews conducted within the *Montreal Life Stories* project have been accessible to the public through the website of *CITIZENShift*.

For more information, see:

Montreal Life Stories, Centre for Oral History and Digital Storytelling at Concordia University
www.lifestoriesmontreal.ca

CITIZENShift, National Film Board: <http://citizen.nfb.ca/>

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