

# TechNOBEL

November 20, 2009

## Curie, Einstein, <sup>party de</sup> Nobel.

Employees of Technoparc Montréal's St-Laurent Research Campus are invited to dance the night away on December 3rd at the Novotel hotel as of 8 p.m. Formal dress required. Free admission and first drink. Door prizes. Proud sponsors are : Broccolini, Liberty Sites, GE Real Estate, Place Innovation and the Novotel Hotel.

RSVP at [info@technoparc.com](mailto:info@technoparc.com)

### RESULTS OF THE TECHNOPARC MONTRÉAL SURVEY

You spoke loudly – 95% of you say you want a **fitness centre with showers** – and we heard you. Technoparc Montréal will use the construction of its new head office in 2010 as an opportunity to incorporate the infrastructures that were most requested by our residents. In January 2010, a decision will be made regarding this future building. We hope to create a fitness centre with showers, **aerobics and yoga rooms, meeting rooms** equipped for video conferences, a **café-bistro with an outdoor terrace** and a **convenience store**. The sports most in demand included **tennis, yoga and aerobics**. To obtain detailed survey results,

contact [agravier@technoparc.com](mailto:agravier@technoparc.com)



### EINSTEIN, CURIE, YOU.

Everyone sure noticed and appreciated our highway billboard campaign this fall. In fact, we're still getting compliments on it. In terms of pride and prestige, our stock is rising and for good reason. This three-year campaign is sure to significantly increase the visibility of Technoparc companies.

### A WINNER AMONG US

This past October 2, the *Association des professionnels en développement économique du Québec (APDEQ)* bestowed the 2009 "Assiette d'argent" (Silver Plate) upon Lidia Divry, Technoparc Montréal's Vice-President of Business Development.

Bestowed by the APDEQ's Executive Committee, this award is given to members in recognition of their commitment, outstanding service and active involvement with the association. The APDEQ is proud to underscore Ms. Divry's major contribution and is pleased to honour one of its members in this way.



### INFORMATION ON OUR SCHOLARSHIPS

Technoparc Montréal has signed an agreement with the *Fonds québécois de la recherche sur la nature et les technologies (FQRNT)* and the Natural Sciences and Engineering Research Council of Canada (NSERC) to foster research partnerships between Quebec universities and cutting edge resident companies of Technoparc Montréal's St-Laurent Campus.

A part of **BMP Innovation's Industrial Innovation Scholarships Program**, this three-year agreement will provide an inexpensive way for companies to welcome a master's or doctoral research student, who will, in turn, work on one of the company's R&D projects.

Seven excellence scholarships (5 master's and 2 doctoral) worth a total of \$248,000 have been reserved by Technoparc Montréal. For program details and how to apply, contact **Annik Brosseau**, the FQRNT's Innovation Scholarships Program Development Officer, at **418-643-3463**.

An advertisement for Massotherapie M. The ad features a woman with dark hair, eyes closed, receiving a massage. The text reads: "Technoparc Montréal Campus St-Laurent", "Massotherapie M", "Massage au travail / Massage at work", "Vous méritez un massage", "You deserve a massage", "2344 Alfred-Nobel, St-Laurent, QC", "www.MassotherapieM.ca", and "(514) 928-0983". There is a small logo in the top left corner that says "Technoparc Montréal Campus St-Laurent".

### ELECTRONIC DATA DESTRUCTION AND COMPUTER RECYCLING

PC Recycle is a company that destroys data stored on electronic media and that recycles fluorescent tubes for mercury recovery purposes – a first for the City of Saint-Laurent.

For details, contact

Robert Gagné at 514-333-7221.

### SOLUTIONS TO IMPROVE THE BUS SERVICE

Technoparc Montréal is holding meetings in November and December with directors from Bombardier, CGD (*Centre de gestion des déplacements*) and the director of the STM to look into solutions that will improve the current bus service for line 72. One idea involves staggering the work hours of users by 15 minutes to avoid bottlenecks. The Technoparc Transport Committee (one representative from each resident companies) will attend the Dec. 8th meeting where an action plan will be determined. Your opinion matters. Email your comments to : [kmedard@technoparc.com](mailto:kmedard@technoparc.com)

### COME WALK WITH US!

We now have a walking club, and you're all invited to join the group, Monday to Friday at 12:30 p.m., at the corner of Alfred-Nobel Blvd. and Albert-Einstein Street. Dress warmly!



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