





Living Soils Symposium Sols Vivants Montréal)

October 13-15, 2017
At Concordia University



Brief presentation of the event



Federal Ministry of Food and Agriculture

- Grassroots initiative
- Bilingual event
- Interdisciplinary
- Led by young women
- 35 speakers
- 400 participants
 - Scientists, agronomists, food producers, entrepreneurs, policy makers, general public
 - From across Canada, USA, France, Uruguay, Hong Kong





Outcomes





- Education on how regenerating soil health can mitigate climate change and promote healthy agriculture
- Mobilization of stakeholders from private and public sectors, non-profits, farmers, and general public
- Cross-pollination between participants
- Offsetting of carbon emissions from the event through the installation of an agroforestry system on a farm in Quebec



Launch of Regeneration Canada

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- Non-profit with the mission of "facilitating the implementation of regenerative practices in Canada"
- Through:
 - Education and events
 - Field projects with farmers
 - Building a network





Interest from the media





- CTV News segment: <u>http://montreal.ctvnews.ca/healthy-soil-healthy-planet-1.3632548</u>
- CBC radio interview
- Radio-Canada international interview:

 http://www.rcinet.ca/fr/2017/10/21/attentio
 n-les-solutions-aux-grands-defis-de lhumanite-se-trouvent-sous-vos-pieds/



Photos









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Symposium Sols Vivants Montréal

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