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Quartier des Spectacles to host nearly 100 Nuit Blanche events

Montreal, February 7, 2012 – The 9th edition of the Montréal en Lumière festival's Nuit Blanche is sure to impress: this year, almost 100 events and activities are planned for venues in the Quartier des Spectacles, stretching from the Quartier Latin node to the Place des Arts node.

Quartier des Spectacles invites night owls to an unforgettable evening of culture and fun. All of our partners have organized Nuit Blanche events, offering festivalgoers a chance to discover a variety of multidisciplinary activities. From visual and media arts to improvisation and cinema, Nuit Blanche activities in Quartier des Spectacles reflect the district's creative vitality. What's more, this year's program of indoor activities is complemented with several outdoor events, stretching from one end of the Quartier to the other, most notably a pair of Light Therapy installations: *Forêt Forêt*, outside the Saint-Laurent metro station, and *Éclats de verre*, in Place Émilie-Gamelin. Also, be sure not to miss the Rendez-vous du cinéma québécois film festival's *Rendez-vous d'hiver*, which will transform Place Pasteur, in the Quartier Latin node, into an outdoor movie theatre. Last but not least, Place des Festivals hosts a pair of Montréal en Lumière musical events, with a glittering Bran Van 3000 concert at 8 p.m. and a hot set by DJ mini at 9:15 p.m. For the night's full list of activities and events, visit the Nuit Blanche website at www.montrealenlumiere.com/nuit-blanche-en

About Quartier des Spectacles

Quartier des Spectacles is about much more than festivals. Every month of the year and every hour of the day, Quartier des Spectacles offers an exceptionally diverse range of activities, including film, theatre, dance, art exhibits, art and technology demonstrations, music, opera, comedy, improvisation, design competitions and more. With every step, a new experience awaits. To find your way, simply follow the red dots that appear on the sidewalks after nightfall. More information: www.quartiersdespectacles.com



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