



**CLASSROOM CONNECTIONS**

# **Tom d'Aquino Tribute Dinner**

**January 31, 2006, Royal York Toronto, Ontario**  
5:15 – 9:15 p.m.

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## **Classroom Connections honours Tom d'Aquino**

On January 31, 2006 at the Fairmont Royal York in Toronto, **Classroom Connections** is proud to be honouring **Mr. Tom d'Aquino**, President and CEO of the Canadian Council of Chief Executives.

Co-Chaired by Dominic d'Alessandro, President and CEO of Manulife Financial, and Carol Stephenson, Dean of Richard Ivey School of Business, University of Western Ontario, the dinner will be one of the highlights of the Canadian corporate year, bringing together leaders in Canadian business and education to support Classroom Connections, a national non-profit organization that creates and distributes teaching resources to embrace citizenship in all of its dimensions.

Classroom Connections is especially proud to be the first national organization to honour Tom d'Aquino for his many years of leadership and dedication to Canada and Canadian public policy. We are a wealthier and more civil and aware society thanks to Tom's efforts as both a public servant and voice of Canada's largest corporations in his tireless role as CEO of the Canadian Council of Chief Executives.

The evening will also serve to generate funds to launch the **Classroom Connection Exchange (CCX) Project**, to create a Canada-wide network for sharing innovations and best practices in teaching and curriculum development amongst front-line educators and administrators. Every Canadian and every Canadian business, will have a vested interest in the CCX program's success.

We hope you will give serious consideration to purchasing a table or tickets to what we know will be a memorable event for a worthwhile cause, and encourage your support through the attached form.

Heather MacTaggart  
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