ROYAL CANADIAN GEOGRAPHICAL SOCIETY

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request the honour of your participation in

LANGUAGES OF THE Land

the Canadian launch of the

2022-2032 | INTERNATIONAL DECADE OF

Indigenous Languages

Hosted by
HER EXCELLENCY THE RIGHT HONOURABLE MARY SIMON
and **CHIEF PERRY BELLEGARDE** on

EARTH DAY

FRIDAY
APRIL 22
2022

10:30 am – 5:30 pm
CANADA'S CENTRE FOR GEOGRAPHY AND EDUCATION
50 Sussex Drive, Ottawa

This eventful day will include cultural sharing and musical performances, engaging luncheon conversations, an inspiring intergenerational circle discussion introduced by Chief Wilton Littlechild, and a closing reception to celebrate the languages that have been shaped by these lands since time immemorial.

Please join us to launch this momentous decade and honour the importance of Indigenous languages in trailblazing a sustainable future for humanity and all other beings that rely on the generosity of Mother Earth for survival and wellbeing.

RSVP to Sandra Smith at smith@rcgs.org by Thursday, April 14th, 2022.

Business casual or traditional dress