Promoting collaboration within the history education community



Check out THEN/HiER's interactive website at **www.thenhier.ca**. Museum projects recognized by the CMA Awards for Outstanding Achievement can be viewed in the "Best practices in history education and assessment" section of the site.

The History Education Network/Histoire et Éducation en Réseau (THEN/HiER) has recently launched an interactive website to encourage collaboration among academics and professionals engaged in history education. Museum professionals can now log in to familiarise themselves with a range of research material in history education and to participate in discussions on various topics related to history teaching and learning both in and outside the classroom. In addition, in the "Best Practices in History Education" section, users can learn more about some museum projects that were recognized by the CMA Awards for Outstanding Achievements. Interested in sharing your most recent history-based school programs or exhibitions with academic historians, teachers and education scholars? Simply upload a video, an exhibition storyline or a program outline. This could be the beginning of a conversation or an eventual partnership. THEN/HiER was created with the aim of working toward the betterment of history education practices in various settings. Its developers realized from the outset that this goal could not be achieved without the participation of the many history education constituencies. Museums have a key role to play in the development of this network due to their commitment to life-long learning and educational programming. For more information, contact THEN/HiER network manager, Anne-Marie Goodfellow at

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