

Contest Terms and Conditions

By entering the contest, you confirm that you have read and accepted the contest terms and conditions specified below.

Participants must correctly answer the contest question. The name of the winner will be drawn at random from all of the correct answers e-mailed to the Québec Government Office in Washington (contest.washington@mri.gouv.qc.ca) by 11:59am on Friday November 01, 2013. The Québec Government Office will draw the winner's name as soon as possible after the contest deadline. Please note that answers posted on our [Facebook](#) wall or submitted via our [Twitter](#) account **will not be accepted. Only the winner will be contacted, by e-mail. The winner will have to identify himself or herself in order to obtain his or her prize.**

General Rules

1. The contest prize consists in a pair of tickets to the Evening Lecture hosted by the Smithsonian (S. Dillon Ripley Center 1100 Jefferson Drive, SW/Metro: Smithsonian Station) titled Sur La Route: Jack Kerouac's Francophone Roots. Description: two tickets for November 6, 2013 at 7pm, total worth \$50.00 USD.
2. If the winner fails to meet the contest rules, the Québec Government Office in Washington reserves the right to disqualify him or her.
3. The winner authorizes the Québec Government Office in Washington to disclose his or her name for the purposes of publishing the contest results if required, without receiving any form of remuneration.
4. If the winner refuses to accept his or her prize, Québec Government Office in Washington is released of any liability or obligation toward him or her.
5. The Québec Government Office in Washington reserves the right to change, postpone or cancel the contest, if necessary, and accepts no liability resulting from losses, delays mistaken addresses or any other errors.
6. For their protection, participants are advised not to provide any personal information in their answer to the contest question. The information requested from the winner and the other participants will be used only by the Québec Government Office in Washington and will be destroyed when it is no longer useful. This information may not be used for any other purpose without the consent of the winner or other participant, and in providing said information the participant consents to its use for the specified purpose. Only the first and last names of the winner will be disclosed by means of the Web 2 tools. All disclosures of information shall comply with the [confidentiality policy of the Ministère des Relations internationales \(MRI\)](#).
7. For the purposes of the contest, all decisions of the Québec Government Office in Washington are final and may not be appealed.
8. The contest is null and void in places where it is prohibited by law. The contest is governed by the laws applicable in Québec.
9. Except for the winner, the contest participants will not receive any correspondence or other communication.
10. If a paragraph of these rules is declared or deemed to be illegal, impracticable or null and void by a court, said paragraph shall be considered to be null and void but all of the other, unaffected paragraphs shall be applied within the limits of the applicable laws.
11. The contest prize may not be exchanged or cashed in.
12. The winner will be contacted by e-mail at the end of the contest, Friday November 1, 2013. The tickets will be held at the Will Call the evening of the event.
13. The contest runs from Friday October 25 at 9:00 am to Friday November 01 2013 at 12:00 pm (local time).