



**IPAC Manitoba Region
2009/2010 Annual Reports**

Vice-Chairperson Report

In 2009/2010 the Manitoba IPAC Vice Chairperson focused activities in two areas:

1. Supporting the Chair of the Manitoba Region;
2. Planning the bi-annual Manitoba IPAC event.

Designed to explore the diverse challenges faced by our province, IPAC Manitoba organizes a varied and topical series of events throughout the year including breakfast or lunch sessions with featured speakers; and recognition programs including the Lieutenant Governor's Medal for Excellence in Public Administration and Awards for Academic Excellence.

This coming year's Manitoba IPAC one day event will focus on emerging trends facing the public service, and the challenges and opportunities these changes presents.

Trends that are significantly affecting government: demographic change and labour market shifts and technological change.

Discussion on ways to address the issues above include: new methods of public consultation such as Web 2.0 and new information management systems in government.

Respectfully submitted by:
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