



THE BULLETIN BOARD

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We invite you to wrap up the year 2020 with a series of interviews that aim to highlight a trio of accomplished *Leaders* in their respective fields and who also share a common commitment: the promotion of immigration and multiculturalism, including its positive impact on the economic development of our region and in New Brunswick.

We wanted to explore each's less known personal interests and non-work activities. Enjoy!



Sylvie Bergeron

Executive Director of the Campbellton Regional Chamber of Commerce



<http://campbelltonregionalchamber.com/>

Q. Place of birth?

A. I was born at the St-Michel Hospital in Montreal, QC. I grew up in the small village of St-André d'Argenteuil in the Lower Laurentians (QC) until I was 18 years old. Then I moved to Montreal for my studies. After the birth of my son, I returned to the suburbs.

Q. Profession and organization?

A. I am a paralegal by training with over 25 years of experience. I was appointed Executive Director of the Campbellton Regional Chamber of Commerce October 19th of this year.

Q. Your passion?

A. I am a *crafting fanatic*.



See the complete interview :

<https://www.rma-amr.ca>



Carmen Budilean

Rural Settlement Network (RSN)
Provincial Manager
New Brunswick Multicultural Council



<https://nbmc-cmnb.ca/>

Note: The RSN works in partnership with the RMA and the CRNO in the West Restigouche region.

Q. Place of birth?

A. I was born in the city of Brasov in the region of Transylvania, Romania.

To learn more you can go to a YouTube video produced by Rick Steves as part of the *Europe Travel Guide* show:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IBK8wJJQiB4>

Q. Did you choose the Fredericton, NB area or did it choose you?

A. Both.

In 2014, I came to Fredericton to help with a provincial election campaign. I stayed in the city for two months and liked it.

Subsequently in 2015, I accepted the position of Executive Director of the Green Party of NB. Since then, I went on to marry a handsome man from the Fredericton area.

Q. Your passion?

A. History, travelling, philosophy and political science.



Ahhh, China !



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Honorine Ngountchoup

NBCC International Student Reception and Integration Support Officer



<https://ccnb.ca/le-ccnb-nos-campus/campus-de-campbellton.aspx>

Q. Place of birth?

A. Ndoungué, Cameroun

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See:

<https://fr.wikipedia.org/wiki/Ndoungue>

Q. Did you choose the Campbellton, NB area?

A. Yes, for its beauty, its proximity to the river, especially its hills and mountains which send me back to Nkongsamba, the city where I spent my childhood and my teens.

Q. Of our four seasons, which do you prefer?

A. Spring. It offers an exceptional beauty of the landscape and a climate that reminds me of where I come from.

Q. What advice have you appreciated the most life?

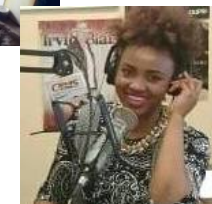
A. Insults are just words. You can give them whatever value you want.

Q. Your passion ?



poetry, doing radio or TV entertainment, cooking and much more.

A. I have many : to paint, to write,



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Did you know?

A Christmas on Télé Chaleur
Last December 20th was the official launch of the "Télé Chaleur" channel - the place to go for the promotion of talent, organizations and businesses throughout *Baie-des-Chaleurs*

link: https://www.facebook.com/events/201391131532638/?acontext=%7B%22ref%22%3A%2252%22%2C%22action_history%22%3A%22%5B%7B%5C%22surface%5C%22%3A%5C%22share_link%5C%22%2C%5C%22mechanism%5C%22%3A%5C%22share_link%5C%22%2C%5C%22extra_data%5C%22%3A%7B%5C%22invite_link_id%5C%22%3A1808624822635146%7D%7D%5D%22%7D

It was the first, now, come and share our culture!



From the AMR team:

We wish you a *Merry Christmas* a very *Happy HEALTHY New Year* in 2021 and may all your dreams be realized!

Come see us in 2021