



The Centre for European Studies in cooperation with the Institute of European, Russian and Eurasian Studies is pleased to invite you to a talk by

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Canada and the European Union: Prospects for a Free Trade Agreement

Canada and the EU have an economic relationship that began with the 1976 “Framework Agreement for Commercial and Economic Cooperation”. Today the EU is Canada's second largest trading partner, its second most important source of foreign direct investment and the second most important destination for Canadian direct investment abroad. The EU is also Canada's second most important source of new technologies and a key partner in science and technology cooperation. Dr. Guerin, Head of Trade Policy Unit, Centre for European Policy Studies in Brussels, will explore the motivations and prospects for a possible Canada-EU free trade agreement. Selen Guerin has a Ph.D. in Economics from the University of Dublin, Trinity College, Ireland and has recently completed a study on possibilities and issues related to a free trade agreement between the EU and Canada.

**Where: Senate Room, 6th floor, Robertson Hall
Carleton University**

**When: Wednesday, October 8th, 2008
3:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.**

Light refreshments will be provided before the talk

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