

Media Advisory**Date Sent:** November 2, 2007**Date of Event:** November 5, 2007**Algonquin's Heritage Institute Launches eQuality Home Project**

The students and staff in the Algonquin College Heritage Institute's Construction Carpentry-Advanced Housing program will launch the *eQuality Home* project on Monday, November 5. When completed in 2008, it will be a fully accessible home that has minimal impact on the environment and is affordable to build. Algonquin's *eQuality Home* project is unique to Canadian colleges and will provide students the opportunity to explore the relationship between modular construction and affordable, environmentally responsible building practices.

The Construction Carpentry-Advanced Housing program, now in its fourth year, focuses on energy-efficient construction practices, with an emphasis on modern environmentally responsible, healthy housing.

Who: Joan Macartney, Dean, Algonquin College Heritage Institute
Mark Bell, Coordinator, Construction Carpentry-Advanced Housing program, Algonquin College
Staff and Students of the Algonquin College Heritage Institute

What: Official Launch of *eQuality Home* Project

When: Monday, November 5, 2007
10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

Where: Algonquin College Heritage Institute
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