



# Working in Support of Equality (Manitoba) Inc.

Annual W.I.S.E. Breakfast

**(STILL) CALLING FOR JUSTICE:**

**Redress and Healing Beyond the National Inquiry**

**7:15-9:00 AM Friday October 18, 2019 RBC Convention Centre Winnipeg**

*For far too long, Indigenous women and girls have been publicly devalued or ignored. People's general perceptions have been shaped by harmful colonial stereotypes. People forget that every Indigenous woman or girl—no matter how she died or what she had been through—had an inherent strength and sacred worth.*

Excerpt from the mandate Nat'l Inquiry into Missing & Murdered Indigenous Women & Girls (MMIWG)

## **Qajaq Robinson**

MMIW Commissioner is a graduate of the



Akitsiraq Law Program – a partnership between the University of Victoria and Nunavut Arctic College. Born in Iqaluit and raised in Igloolik, Commissioner

Robinson is a strong Northern advocate, who is fluent in Inuktitut and English. She articulated at Maliiganik Tukisiiniakvik, clerked with judges of the Nunavut Court of Justice under then-Chief Justice Madame Justice Beverley Browne, and then became a Crown prosecutor who worked the circuit court in Nunavut for four years.

**Dr. Karine Duhamel** is Métis and holds a Bachelor of Arts from Mount Allison University, a Bachelor of Education from Lakehead University and a Master's Degree and Ph.D. from the University of Manitoba.

Dr. Duhamel was Director of Research for the National Inquiry into Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women and Girls working on drafting the framework and the Final Report, as well as directing the Forensic Document Review Project and the Legacy Archive.

She is a speaker for the Treaty Relations Commission of Manitoba Speakers Bureau.



*It must be understood that these recommendations which we frame as 'Calls for Justice' are **legal imperatives** – they are **not optional**. The report calls on all Canadians to be part of the change. "Each person has a role to play..."*

Excerpt from "Reclaiming Power and Place"

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