

**Une initiative syndicale québécoise
remarquable en environnement
*La fondation monique - fitz-back***

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Monique Fitz-Back Foundation

The Foundation Aims

- * Promoting education regarding
 - * The environment
 - * A healthy habitat
 - * The sustainable development
- * Inspired by the Bruntland Report “paradigm”

The Origin

- * The Foundation was created to continue the work as initiated by Monique Fitz-Back who was a teacher, a trade-unionist (vice-president of the Centrale des syndicats québécois - CSQ) and a co-founder in 1993 of the Bruntland schools network in Québec, which is sponsored by the CSQ
- * CSQ is the most important teachers union in Québec
- * The Foundation main activity is to develop projects aimed at preparing and circulating educational training and support material on sustainable development

Targeted Base

- * Primary and secondary schools
- * Cegep
- * Interactive educational approach
- * Educational material for teachers
- * Students' material
- * Summer school for education system persons engaged in teaching the sustainable development paradigm
 - * In collaboration with the Faculty of Education at Laval University
- * Colloquium

Educational Thematic Kits

- * **Water:** St-Lawrence River and Great Lakes Water Systems
 - * Understanding the system and protecting the resource
- * **Transport:** Alternative Transport modes
 - * Improving the Quality of Life
- * **Climate** :16 factsheets on climate changes
- * **Energy:** renewable and non-renewable
 - * Shale gas, uranium, solar
- * **Health:** international perspective of the children and young adult health
- * **Agriculture:** food and nutrition
- * **Forests:** International perspective of different eco-systems
 - * Québec, Canada , Amazon, Congo



Tableau de réalisation selon les axes d'intervention

Initiatives	Axe pédagogie de l'espoir	Axe environnement et santé	Axe promotion et soutien de l'éducation au développement durable
Projet <i>Un transport pour mieux vivre</i>	✓	✓	
Site web <i>monclimatetmoi.com</i>		✓	
Projet <i>Mon fleuve et moi</i>	✓	✓	
<i>L'école d'été pour pédagogues leaders</i>			✓
Colloque <i>La nature, un terreau fertile en éducation</i>	✓		✓
Site web francophone sur l'éducation au développement durable			✓
<i>Défi climat – volet scolaire</i>	✓	✓	
Carrefours de la citoyenneté responsable		✓	
Projet nature		✓	
Trousse pédagogique <i>Forêts du monde</i>			✓
Projet <i>Pivallianik-Nanuk</i>		✓	
Projet <i>Un Arbre – Une Vie</i>	✓		
Trousse pédagogique <i>Des watts entre les deux oreilles</i>	✓	✓	
Projet <i>Baicycle</i>		✓	

 : Projets pilotés par la Fondation

 : Projets de partenaires auxquels la Fondation participe

A Comprehensive and Inclusive Network

Collaborative approach with

- * **Academia:** Université Laval
 - * Faculty of Forestry and Faculty of Education
- * **Government:** Department of Natural Resources, Québec Public Health Institute, Department of Health and Social Services, Transport Québec, Metropolitan Community of Québec, Recyc-Québec
- * **Union:** CSQ, Union des producteurs agricoles (Farmers Union)
- * **NGO:** David-Suzuki, Équiterre, Oxfam,
- * **Business:** Caisse d'économie solidaire Desjardins, Mountain Coop Equipment, Novabus, Fonds FTQ, Fondation, Boralex, SSQ groupe financier