

Saturday, October 25, 2008
Afternoon

Vellore Village Joint Complex,
1 Villa Royale Avenue, City of Vaughan

12:45 pm Lunch (Cafeteria), with guest speaker Ian Chodikoff, Editor, Canadian Architect

1:45 pm Concurrent Panel Discussions, III

A. Health and Welfare north of Steeles:
moderated by M. Cioni, Advisory Committee, Mariano A. Elia Chair in Italian Canadian Studies, York University

Isabel Araya, Executive Director, Vaughan Community Health Centre

Kim Baker, Senior Director, Central Local Health Integration Network

Franca Damiani Carella, Executive Director, The Vitanova Foundation

B. Schooling in a Multi-ethnic Suburb:
moderated by E. Costa, York University

Kulsoom Anwer, Graduate Student in Education/Teacher, Sir Sandford Fleming Academy, Toronto District School Board

Olga Ferro, Community Partnership Development, York Catholic School Board

Carl James, Professor of Sociology & Education, York University

Oksana Majaski, Community Resource Office, York District School Board

C. Arts & Culture: From Connection to (Con)fusion? Moderated by Greg Sorbara, MPP, Vaughan

Honourable Navdeep Bains, MP, Mississauga-Brampton South

Tony Carella, Councillor, Ward 2, City of Vaughan

Reza Moridi, MPP, Richmond Hill

Peter Sherman, MPP, Thornhill

3:15 pm Break (Theatre Room)

3:30 pm Concluding Plenary Session (Theatre Room)

6:30 pm Reception and dinner, Da Vinci Banquet Hall, 5732 Highway 7, Woodbridge

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The conference Connecting Communities: Culture, Citizenship & Participation was organized by Gabriele Scardellato & Mauro Bucceri, York University, Tony Carella, Councillor, City of Vaughan and Maria Cioni, Advisory Board, Mariano A. Elia Chair in Italian-Canadian Studies. The organizers would like to thank the Mariano A. Elia Chair in Italian-Canadian Studies and Founders College, York University, and the City of Vaughan, for their contributions. A sincere thank you also is extended to all session chairs and moderators as well as all of the presenters for their contributions.

Everyone is welcome -- admission is free.

