

# TRUST IN FREEDOM



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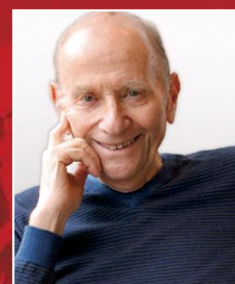
A four-part series exploring the level of trust in our basic democratic freedoms – to speak, to believe, to educate and to represent ourselves creatively.

PART 1:

## Trust in Freedom of Speech: What is Freedom of Speech Good For?

In Canada, the civil right to freedom of speech is considered fundamental. It is the very ground upon which our political, social and economic rights are built. But what is the rationale for freedom of speech today? Have our freedoms shrunk to the point that individuals are afraid to give voice to their views?

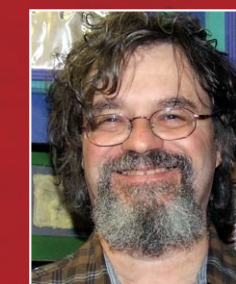
Is our society afraid to hear them? Do we still dare to be free?



Keynote: **A. Alan Borovoy**  
General Counsel,  
Canadian Civil  
Liberties Association



Panelist: **Ross Haynes Q.C.**  
Lawyer, political and  
social commentator



Panelist: **Bruce Wark**  
Inglis Professor of  
Journalism, University  
of King's College



Moderator: **Lisa Taylor**  
Lawyer, journalist  
and professional  
communicator



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