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**THE 20TH ANNUAL VISION QUEST CONFERENCE:
Free Public Admission to Trade Show;
Special Reception with Entertainment!**

Winnipeg MB (May 12, 2016) -- Vision Quest, Canada's longest running Aboriginal business, community and economic development conference, is offering **FREE PUBLIC ADMISSION** to their Trade Show.

VISION QUEST TRADE SHOW
Wednesday May 18, 8:30am to 6:30pm
Thursday May 19, 8:30am to 2:30pm
RBC Convention Centre Winnipeg (3rd Floor)

ABOUT THE TRADE SHOW

More than 80 exhibitors will be on display at Vision Quest's Trade Show, representing business suppliers, service providers, hospitality groups, career opportunities, economic organizations, educational institutions, and information services. You'll also find a wide selection of artists and artisans featuring one-of-a-kind creations.

SPECIAL RECEPTION & ENTERTAINMENT

In honour of Vision Quest's 20th anniversary, a special reception on the Trade Show floor will take place on Wednesday May 18 from 4:30 to 6:30 pm. Entertainment will feature Indigenous Music Award winner **Jaaji**, Indigenous Music Award nominee **Chelsea June**, and the comedy of **Don Burnstick**. It's all happening inside the Trade Show – and admission is FREE!

ABOUT VISION QUEST

Vision Quest Conferences Inc. is a community-based charitable organization formed through partnerships with Manitoba's five Aboriginal Community Futures Development Corporations (Cedar Lake CFDC, Dakota Ojibway CFDC, Kitayan CFDC, North Central CFDC, Southeast CFDC).

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