



CPA Clinical Section Public Lecture

## THE ROLE OF PASSION IN PEOPLE'S LIVES

Wednesday, June 12, 2013 7-9pm

Hilton Quebec Hotel  
Room: Beauport/Beaumont/Belair

Presented By: Robert Vallerand, PhD

**What is passion? Who is passionate, who's not? Is passion good for people? Which type of passion is more conducive to good health and well-being?**



**Dr. Robert Vallerand** is a Full Professor of Social Psychology and Director of the Laboratoire de Recherche sur le Comportement Social in the Department of Psychology at the Université du Québec à Montréal. Professor Vallerand is recognized as a leading international expert on motivational processes and is President of the *International Positive Psychology Association* (IPPA). He has written or edited six books and more than 250 scientific articles and book chapters. His research has been cited over 6,000 times (*ISI*) and he has received several million dollars in research grants. He has given several Keynote addresses at the international level. Professor Vallerand has received numerous awards and honours, including the Adrien Pinard Career Award from the *Quebec Society for Research in Psychology*, the Donald O. Hebb Career Award from the *Canadian Psychological Association* (the highest research awards for a psychologist in Quebec and Canada, respectively), and the Sport Science Award from the *International Olympic Committee*.