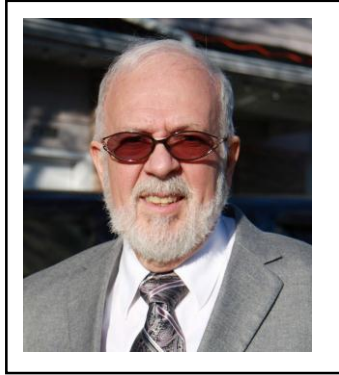




ACER-CART Executive Director Chosen



The Canadian Association of Retired Teachers (ACER-CART) has appointed a new executive director. Roger E. Régimbal of Gloucester, Ontario will replace Norbert Boudreau, who has resigned effective June 30, 2012.

A retired teacher, Régimbal is a graduate of Laurentian University where he earned a B.A. (1971), and a B. Ed. from Ottawa University (1989). Over the years he has been a classroom teacher, guidance officer, and computer specialist having worked with the Cochrane Iroquois Falls and the Lincoln County Roman Catholic School Boards from 1972-74 and 1974-76, respectively, the Conseil des écoles catholiques de Prescott-Russell from 1978-98, and the Conseil des écoles catholiques de l'Est ontarien from 1998-2007.

Régimbal has held positions of negotiator, committee chairman and president of the Association des enseignantes et enseignants franco-ontarien (AEFO 1972-2002). He has also leadership experience with the Ontario Teachers' Federation (OTF) from 1991-2002 in various roles including Executive Officer, Chair of the Budget and Finance Committee and President. With the Canadian Teachers' Federation (CTF) he served on the Board of Directors from 1995-2002 and as Executive Board Vice-President from 2002-06. Since 2009, he serves with the Retired Teachers of Ontario (RTO/ERO) as Treasurer and Member of the Executive of Ottawa-Carleton District 27, and is currently a member of the Provincial Pension and Retirement Concerns Committee.

The Canadian Association of Retired Teachers represents thirteen retired teacher associations across Canada with a membership in excess of 118,000 members. It provides liaison and mutual assistance among its member organizations; promotes the interests of its member organizations; develops strategies for joint action on matters of common concern; cooperates with other organizations on matters of common concern; and promotes support for public education. It is headquartered in Ottawa.

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