

To Our Friend
Louis L. Levine

Congratulations and Best Wishes
On The First International Convocation Luncheon
Of The New York College of Podiatric Medicine

**It is Our Pleasure to Join Others
in a Groundswell of Support in
Honoring Such Worthy Recipients
At the New York Academy of Medicine**

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Message from the Premier of Québec

On behalf of the Government of Québec, I wish to commend the decision of the New York College of Podiatric Medicine to pay tribute to Dr. François Allart by bestowing upon him an honorary doctorate.

Dr. Allart spearheaded the establishment of the first doctoral program in podiatry at the Université du Québec à Trois-Rivières. The collaboration of the New York College of Podiatric Medicine, which Dr. Allart attended, was instrumental in the implementation of this new discipline in Québec.

The New York College of Podiatric Medicine, the foremost and greatest institution in its field in the United States, is also renowned for its numerous contributions to research and training worldwide. Such cooperative efforts can only yield positive results for public health in our respective societies.

I offer Dr. François Allart my heartfelt congratulations. His dedication and tireless work toward the improvement of podiatric research, practice and teaching in Québec fully deserve this honor, which makes Québec proud and bodes well for the future of the profession.

Jean Charest

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