



## **Jacques Parisien**

President

Astral Media Radio and Astral Media Outdoor

Jacques Parisien obtained his Law degree from McGill University in 1975.

Since 1975 Mr. Parisien has worked in the Canadian communications industry. He joined Astral Media Inc. in 1994 and is presently President of Astral Media Radio Inc. Mr. Parisien was central to the Company's decision to build up assets outside of its core television divisions in the mid-1990s and was instrumental in acquiring and integrating the Radiomutuel and Telemedia radio assets.

Astral Media Radio Inc. now operates 81 radio stations across Canada, including some of the country's most recognized and listened-to brands in the industry, including EZ ROCK, MIX, and THE BEAR as well as three highly complementary French-language networks: Énergie, RockDétente, and boom FM. Astral Media also owns seven FM stations and one AM station in the Atlantic Provinces.

Jacques Parisien is also President of Astral Media Outdoor, operating the third largest outdoor advertising media network of more than 3,800 faces. Mr Parisien is a member of the Management Committee of Astral Media Inc.

Mr. Parisien sits on the Board of Directors of public and private companies. He is presently the Chairman of the Board of Tourisme Montréal and the outgoing President of Fondation du maire de Montréal pour la jeunesse. He is also a member of the Board of Directors of the non-profit organisation, l'Accueil Bonneau. Mr. Parisien is also a member of the Task Force for cultural governance for the City of Montreal. He was Chairman of the Board of Trade of Metropolitan Montréal in 2002.