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Award-winning productions in Quebec

## A toast to... La Face Cachée de la Pomme

s an acclaimed filmmaker in Quebec, François M. Pouliot has enjoyed his share of the limelight, but even he will admit that the rave reviews for his latest productions at La Face Cachée de la Pomme cidery in Hemmingford, Quebec, have made him especially proud. "Neige", the first product of its kind in the world, was recently awarded the gold medal for ice cider at the Festival de la Gastronomie de Quebec, and word of mouth has it that this unique Quebec beverage will soon be the toast of Paris.

In the last six months, Neige has been impressing audiences at events all



Alain Juppé, Mayor of Bordeaux and former Prime Minister of France, tasting the unique Neige ice cider being served by François Pouliot (left).

over France, including "Futuralia" (an exporters' networking function in Poitiers), the "Foire de Bordeaux" (an international food fair in Bordeaux), continued on page 3 — La Face

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Space and Naval Command welcomes small suppliers

## "Getting in the Gate" in the U.S. with SPAWAR

Space and Naval Warfare
Systems Command (SPAWAR),

one of the largest technology divisions in the U.S. military, is sending a clear message to small telecom and information technology enterprises: it wants to do business with them. At its recent event "Getting in the Gate", San Diego's Telecom Council dispelled the notion that only big business is qualified to supply the advanced information technology and space systems that SPAWAR requires to fulfil its mandate.

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