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## Comic vision



Last night, I attended the Toronto performance of [Comic Vision](#), part of a series of 5 events in support of vision research and the [Foundation Fighting Blindness](#). Over the past 10 years, the Foundation Fighting Blindness has raised \$3M to fund research into cures for retinal diseases, thanks to the support of these events. The event is supported by a number of the most prominent names in Canadian telecom: Bell, Nokia, Leducor, HTC, Huawei, Samsung, RIM, Nokia Siemens Networks. As a result, there were a lot of friendly faces among those in attendance.

There is a long history of involvement by telecommunications professionals with organizations that support the visually impaired. The Telephone Pioneers' beeping baseball was among the first initiatives of the organization that I was exposed to when I got into the industry 30 years ago.

There are still tickets available for the two remaining shows next week: the [Vancouver](#) event on May 4; and, [Calgary](#) on May 5. It makes for a fun evening – try to attend.

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