FAST Facilitating Access to Skilled Talent

INTRODUCING FAST

Accelerating employment in **Canada for skilled** immigrants

As an immigrant to Canada, FAST can support your career launch by helping you understand how your work experience and training meet Canadian standards. Assess your skills in the self-paced, online employment preparation modules in one of these six sectors:



Skilled Trades



Biotech and Life Sciences



IT and Data Services (SPRINT)

Seniors Care

Accounting and Finance





Is the FAST program a fit for you?

- Do you have two or more years of relevant work experience and/or training in one of six sectors?
- Do you have any related training, certifications, or education in one of these sectors?
- Are you unfamiliar with the Canadian workplace or workplace culture?
- Are you an incoming or Landed Immigrant to Canada?
 - o Individuals approved in principle to immigrate to Canada
 - o Permanent Residents already in Canada
 - o Convention Refugees
- Are your able to communicate effectively at a Canadian workplace skill level (CLB 6)?

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FAST can support you in finding employment in Canada - in your sector - faster.

Through FAST, overcome common employment challenges immigrants face such as:

- Navigating the Canadian workplace
- Getting "Canadian Work Experience"
- Finding a mentor and professional networks

The three-part program includes assessments developed by Canadian employers in each sector. You will learn more about Canadian workplace culture, understand how your work experience and education fit Canadian requirements, and how to apply your existing skills and experience to the Canadian job market.



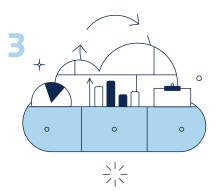
FAST Canadian workplace preparation

- Online delivery with personalized dashboard
- Prepare for Work in Canada learning module
- Introduction to one of six Canadian Sectors



FAST Sector-specific assessments and designations

- Canadian Workplace and Essential Skills assessment
- Competency assessments developed by Industry employers
- Industry-recognized designations



FAST tools for employment readiness in Canada

- Referral to further learning and gap training opportunities
- Group E-Mentoring **Opportunities**
- Connections to E-Mentoring and Networking in your sector

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