

# Resources on alis for Newcomers

## Plan

Your Career

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At Work

Are you new to Alberta? Do you have questions about going to school, getting training, or finding work? You can find answers on the alis careers, learning, employment and workplace information website under [Resources for Newcomers](#).

## Plan Your Career

- [Certifications in Alberta](#) To work in certain occupations, certification may be required.
- 550+ [occupational profiles](#) include education, certification requirements, employment outlook, typical working conditions, and wage and salary ranges. Many profiles include videos.

## Explore Education and Training

- In this [short video](#), learn about Ajack's experience coming from Africa, his career aspirations and life as a university student.
- [International Qualifications Assessment Services](#) This Government of Alberta fee-for-service does assessments and issues certificates that show how educational credentials from other countries compare to educational standards in Canada.
- [Foreign Qualifications Recognition](#) Verification that the education, skills and experience obtained in another country meets the standards established for Canadian workers.
- [Live, Study, and Work in Alberta](#) Would you like to study in Alberta? Find out how to apply for a program and how to get a study permit or work permit.
- [Prior Learning Assessment & Recognition \(PLAR\)](#) Learn how your work and volunteer experience can be worth credit for post-secondary studies in Alberta.

## Look For Work

- [Alberta Immigrant Nominee Program](#) AINP is a Government of Alberta and Government of Canada program, to attract and retain work-ready immigrants to Alberta.
  - [Improve Your English](#) Find resources to access and improve your English language skills.
  - [International Credentials Recognition Information for Employers](#) Information on the assessment process for educational credentials earned outside of Canada.
  - [Opportunity Alberta](#) Learn about living and working in Alberta and find resources to help you be successful.
  - [Resources for immigrants and refugees](#) Information on support programs, obtaining work, and applying for temporary and permanent residency.
- Additional resources**
- [Jobs in Alberta](#) Find thousands of job postings on alis, and sign up to be alerted by email when job postings that match your criteria are added, or when a job posting you are interested in nears submission deadline.
  - [Overqualified? Make the Best of Your Experience](#) Present your qualifications in a positive light.
  - [What Can Employers Ask You?](#) What if an employer asks about your age, health, race, marital status or religion? How should you respond?

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## Succeed At Work

- [Programs and Services for Newcomers](#) Information about housing, transportation, health care, education, child care, and other supports for newcomers.
- [Occupational Health and Safety](#) OHS works in consultation with industry to help prevent work-related injuries, illnesses and fatalities.

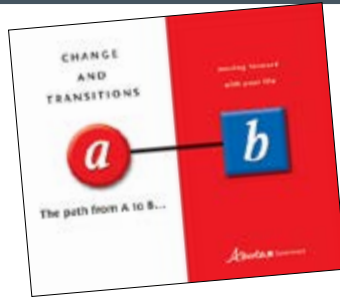
### Additional resources

- [Employment Standards](#) Find out about minimum wage, hours of work, holidays, vacations, maternity and parental leave, and other employment rights and responsibilities.

## Order Publications

- [Change and Transitions: The Path From A to B](#)

This book explores change and the emotional transitions and stresses that go with it, through examples, exercises, and practical tips.



- Easy Reading Career Planning and Work-Related Series help adults with low literacy expand their knowledge of occupations, choose an occupational goal, search for work and keep their job.

- o [Job Profiles](#) Each of 23 job profiles includes a story of someone in the job, information on duties, working conditions, personal characteristics, hourly wages and related jobs.



- o [Work and You Book 1: Make Some Job Choices](#) and [Book 2: Decide on a Job](#)

- o [Be Safe at Work](#)

- o [Find A Job](#)

- o [Training for Work](#)

- o [Work Laws and Your Pay Stub](#)



- [Welcome To Alberta: Information for Newcomers \(also in French\)](#)

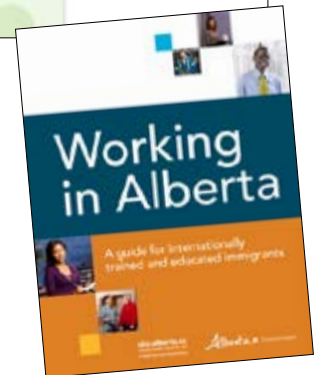
Information on housing, employment, education, health care, climate, banking, shopping, transportation, child care, the legal system and social customs.



- [What Works: Career-Building Strategies for People From Diverse Backgrounds](#) Career resource with client-focused, strength-based approaches for those who counsel or work with newcomers.



- [Working in Alberta: A Guide for Internationally Trained and Educated Immigrants \(also in French\)](#) If you obtained your education outside of Canada, and want to research your occupation or look at other work alternatives in Alberta, this guide can help.



## Alberta Supports Centres

Located throughout Alberta, these centres offer information on occupations, career options, finding work, and education programs and funding. You can talk to a career and employment consultant, use phone and fax machines, and computers for job searches or word processing.