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Canada **Start-Up** Visa

This program is intended for foreign entrepreneurs who want to start an innovative business in Canada. It is an immigration pathway to permanent residency for themselves and their families.

Admissibility Criteria

Create an eligible innovative business:

- A minimum of 10% voting rights must be owned by each immigrant entrepreneur.
- The immigrant entrepreneur(s) and designated organization must own more than 50% of the voting rights.
- A maximum of 5 immigrant entrepreneurs per qualifying business is permitted
- Must be incorporated in Canada.
- Must be actively managed in Canada.

Obtain Support from a designated Organization:

- Be accepted into a designated incubator business program;
- Obtain a total investment of \$200,000 from venture capital funds; or
- Obtain a minimum of \$75,000 from an angel investor or group.

Minimum language requirement:

Immigrant entrepreneurs must have achieved a minimum Canadian language proficiency (CLB) level of 5 in English or French for speaking, reading, writing, and listening.

The immigrant entrepreneur must have sufficient funds to support him/herself and his/her dependents upon arrival in Canada.



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