



DIVERSEcity Employment Services

Connecting new Canadians with Jobs

Microloans Program



Are you an immigrant looking to start your own business, buy your own tools, go back to school, or upgrade your skills?

This program provides low-income immigrants, who is not eligible to traditional loans, as an alternative access to credit.

In partnership with Vancity Credit Union, these funds will enable newcomers who do not have credit history in Canada to start their own business, obtain skills training, or buy the necessary tools to start a job.

Our goal is to breakdown the financial barrier & access to funds to support the dreams and aspirations of new Canadians.

If you are in need of a small loan and would like assistance, come chat with us.

APPLY NOW!

Be my Own Boss Business Loan:

Is designed for those who wish to start their own business. In order to qualify, participants must have developed a business plan with budget and cash flow projections. The loans are up to \$35,000.

These Hands Loans:

Assist individuals to buy tools and equipment to enter a trade or profession; or start a self-employed business (i.e. massage therapists or carpenters). The loans range from \$500 - \$7,500.

Back to Work Loans:

Support those who had a career in their home country but for lack of skill-upgrading or Canadian certification they are unable to work in fields which they already have some training. The loans range from \$500-\$7,500.

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