

# Job Search Workshop (JSW)

*Helping Newcomers Succeed*

World Skills  
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The JSW program is all about helping newcomers and internationally-trained professionals better understand the strategic next steps in their own unique job search process. It is a foundational program that will better prepare job seekers when choosing longer employment and/or training programs.

## The program will help clients to:

- Build confidence and self-esteem of their own professional skills and accomplishments;
- Build self-efficacy in their job search
- Promote self-analysis and empowerment to make own informed choices/next steps;
- Promote understanding and connections between job search and the Canadian business perspective;
- Decide, strategically, the next “job search steps” to other programs, services, etc.

The program focuses on simple, but critical **questions** for clients to answer for themselves, for example:

Self-Assessment



What is my experience?

How can I help a Canadian company?

Labour Market Information



Can I do this job where I live?

Networking



Who do I need to meet?

Action Plan



What are my next steps?



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