



**MAP** Multi-Agency  
Partnership BC  
*Working Together for Refugee Claimants*

# MAP Member Agency News

MAP Bulletin # 142

October 12, 2022

## Dear MAP members,

*How are you doing?* Three years into the pandemic this question is even more important and one that MAP will focus on during the pandemic and the unrest caused by overt and covert racism - providing support through online MAP meetings. We will keep you up to date with any changes to refugee claimant services as they happen - and if you have information that you would like to share with MAP please email [info@mapbc.org](mailto:info@mapbc.org).

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## MAP NEWS

- **MAP's survey – What do YOU want to learn about at MAP meetings?**

Tell us what's important to you, what questions you have and issues you want brought forward as presentations to MAP – we are looking for your suggestions to put into place: Go to <https://form.jotform.com/222715137323045> to complete the survey before October 14, 5pm.

Just 2 days left to complete the survey and have YOUR preferences heard about MAP meetings this year!

- **IN FOCUS! – Heads up! We will be presenting to the public out on the community on 2 evenings in November:**

November 8, 6pm – at Surrey Central Library

November 28, 6:30 pm – at Renfrew Branch Library, East Vancouver (VPL)

*“Seeking Asylum: Everything you thought you knew about Canadian refugee law”*

A dynamic presentation by a refugee claimant, a lawyer and a settlement worker documenting the journey along the way.

Contact: Angela Sequiera, Chair of the Information Working Group at [bonitasequeira@gmail.com](mailto:bonitasequeira@gmail.com) if you would like to speak or partner.

- **NEXT MAP Meeting – Thursday October 27, 9:30 am at Surrey Central Library: New Initiatives**

Watch for the AGENDA coming out tomorrow!

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**Thank you** for all you are doing to support vulnerable refugee claimants

Thanh Lam, Sireen ElNashar and Jenny Moss. MAP Executive

# News highlights:

## Refugee claimant- related articles from Canada and around the world

# October 12, 2022

Please see a list of interesting articles gathered by MAP from across Canada and globally ([PDF attached](#))

*Thanks to Journey Home's **Barry Growe** for his research and compilation:*

[Border crossing asylum seekers hit six-year high in Canada](#)

CTV/Reuters September 27

[Canada's immigration minister leaves door open to extending Afghan resettlement programs](#)

Toronto Star September 22

[Supreme Court weighs if US is 'safe' for migrants](#)

BBC October 6

[What is the UK's plan to send asylum seekers to Rwanda?](#)

BBC October 9

[This Afghan activist is fleeing the Taliban. Canada just rejected her visa request because it didn't believe she'd go home](#)

Toronto Star October 2

[New immigrants to Canada are building bridges with Indigenous Peoples. Here's why that matters.](#)

Toronto Star October 2

[Oxford study: Asylum and refugee resettlement in the UK](#)

The Migration Observatory August 19

My Refugee Claim - [www.myrefugeeclaim.ca](http://www.myrefugeeclaim.ca) is now live for refugee claimants.

Please share with refugee claimants if you feel the resource might be helpful to them



My Refugee Claim is a work in progress. If you see a typo, catch a glitch, think something is missing, please email [info@myrefugeeclaim.ca](mailto:info@myrefugeeclaim.ca) or fill in the feedback form on the About page.

Warmly,

Loren Balisky and Chantel Spade  
Kinbrace

**NEWCOMER  
JOB FAIR  
& COMMUNITY RESOURCES**

**SATURDAY OCTOBER 22, 2022  
From 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM**



 SURREY CITY HALL 13450 104 Ave, Surrey, BC V3T 1V8

ARE YOU NEW TO CANADA AND LOOKING FOR WORK & RESOURCES?  
BC Settlement and Integration Services & Newcomer Employment Program  
is hosting a Job & Resource fair for

- International Students
- Post-Graduate Work Permit Holders
- Open Work Permit Holders
- Refugee Claimants
- Permanent Residents
- Protected Persons
- Naturalized Canadian Citizens
- Ukrainians under CUAET





Registration Link:  
<https://conta.cc/3RL1DjX>



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# Options Job Fair

See posters attached also

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BRING YOUR RESUME AND GET HIRED!!!

## EMPLOYERS



## COMMUNITY RESOURCES



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ONLINE WORKSHOP

# RACISM AND ACTIVE WITNESSING

Build awareness of the various forms of discrimination and to empower one to shift from a silent bystander to an Active Witness by responding to discriminatory remarks and harmful situations on an individual basis.

**LANGUAGE:**  
English + Arabic Interpretation

**DATE & TIME:**  
October 19, 2022 6:00-8:30PM

**REGISTRATION REQUIRED:**  
<https://tinyurl.com/247vyhnc>

Burnaby Together is offering workshops on Racism and Active Witnessing facilitated by Angela Ma Brown, a well-recognized trainer.

October 19<sup>th</sup> 6:00 – 8:30pm  
with Arabic interpretation

November 3<sup>rd</sup> 5:30 – 8:00 pm  
with Chinese interpretation

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Posters also attached

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**DATE & TIME:**  
Nov. 3, 2022 5:30-8PM

**REGISTRATION REQUIRED:**  
<https://tinyurl.com/2j2rs4r5>





Join us for the annual celebration of the Temporary Foreign Workers day of the dead.

It will be in Holland park, in Surrey, on October 30, 2021 from 11am to 4 PM. It will be almost in front of the King George Skytrain station.

There will be an altar, tamales (black mole, beans, and rajas) and also a workshops about Labour rights for TFW (with work permit or without it)

More info: [imfarmworker@gmail.com](mailto:imfarmworker@gmail.com)

POSTER ATTACHED!



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**We help each other in the good & bad times!**

778-791-3419 / 604-754-3419

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778-536-3419

[dignidadmigrantesociety.org](http://dignidadmigrantesociety.org)

[@dignidadmigrantesociety](https://www.facebook.com/dignidadmigrantesociety)

[Dignidad Migrante](https://www.youtube.com/DignidadMigrante)



Autumn is here! What's happening at Froghollow:

Read it in your browser: <https://mailchi.mp/froghollow/froghollow-this-month-oct-2022?e=f7578f17d0>

20TH ANNUAL

# Pumpkin Patch in the City

presented by:  **Frog Hollow**  
NEIGHBOURHOOD HOUSE

 SUNDAY OCTOBER 16TH, 2022   
 11AM TO 3PM  2131 RENFREW STREET

 **Pumpkins!**      **Music!**

 **Fun Activities!**

<p><b>Free Admission to:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Storytelling</li> <li>Hallowe'en Crafts</li> <li>Community Information</li> <li>Entertainment</li> <li>Music</li> </ul>	<p><b>Small Price for:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Bouncy Castle</li> <li>Carnival Games</li> <li>Face Painting</li> <li>Cake Walk</li> <li>Pumpkins</li> <li>Popcorn</li> </ul>
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 **Frog Hollow Neighbourhood House**  
 2131 Renfrew St, Vancouver V5M 4M5 | 604 251 1225 | www.froghollow.bc.ca

with support from:  **ethical bean coffee**





THE UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA  
Centre for Migration Studies

Dear CMS community partners,

The 2022/23 Community-University Engagement Support (CUES) Fund is open! Get up to \$25,000 to support community-university partnerships and projects.

**Upcoming deadline for the 2022/23 Community-University Engagement Support Fund**

Get up to \$25,000 to support community-university partnerships that benefit communities across British Columbia and advance collaborative research, teaching, and learning.

**All applicants must submit a brief Notice of Intent by October 21 to confirm their eligibility.** The fund is open to BC-based community partners and UBC students, faculty, and staff.



[Learn More](#)



**The Association for Canadian Studies-Metropolis Institute would like to invite you to participate in our Digital Champions training!**

## **Are You Interested in Providing Digital Literacy Support for Newcomers?**

The Metropolis Institute is now offering training for our Digital Champions pilot program, designed for settlement workers who want to support newcomers in developing core digital skills



**REGISTER NOW!**

**The Digital Champions program** is an evidence-based, Train-the-Trainer approach developed for settlement service providers and frontline staff to provide tailored and holistic training to clients. During these sessions, we will encourage participants to actively explore digital resources and share common challenges and issues they are experiencing in their current supporting role. These are interactive sessions so please be prepared to participate!

Become a Digital Champion by joining us for one of our free 2 hour-long training session held over Zoom, on the following dates. Although participation is free, space is limited to ensure that we can optimize your experience. RSVP Today!

- Tuesday October 25th at 10:00AM-12:00PM PST/1:00PM-3:00PM EST
- Thursday October 27th at 8:00AM-10:00AM PST/11:00AM-1:00PM EST
- Tuesday November 8th at 8:00AM-10:00AM PST/11:00AM-1:00PM EST
- Tuesday November 15th at 8:00AM-10:00AM PST/11:00AM-1:00PM EST
- Thursday November 17th at 10:00AM-12:00PM PST/1:00PM-3:00PM EST



The program is being offered in partnership with the Mhor Collective and is generously funded by the World Education Services' Mariam Assefa Fund. For more information, please contact Erika Lambert at [erika.lambert@acs-aec.ca](mailto:erika.lambert@acs-aec.ca).

*Digital champions don't need to be digital experts, just patient communicators with a commitment to helping the people they stand alongside.*

**Please note that these sessions are available in English only.**



# Refugee Research Network

**- RRN Research Digest -  
October 6, 2022**

[View full notice in your browser](#)

[Read Digest on RRN Website](#)

## REPEATS

### Kinbrace READY TOURS available

Ready Tour dates:

1. Friday, October 21st , 9:30-11:30am PST
2. Friday, November 4th , 9:30-11:30am PST
3. Friday, November 18th -11:30am PST

RAD Info Session: **(Poster is also attached)**

Wednesday, 30 November, 1:00 - 3:00 pm PST

Masi Allahverdi

READY Tour Organizer

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[masi@kinbrace.ca](mailto:masi@kinbrace.ca)



**Refugee Appeal  
Division (RAD)**

# INFORMATION SESSIONS

**Next virtual session:  
30 November 2022 • 1:00-3:00 PST**

**A free orientation session for refugee claimants to learn about the refugee appeal process.**

- Do you wonder what will happen if you receive a negative decision at your refugee hearing?
- Have you received a negative decision already?

This session is for all refugee claimants at any stage of the process who would like to learn more about how to make an appeal.

Meet an officer of the Refugee Appeal Division (Immigration and Refugee Board of Canada) and have your questions answered:

- Who is eligible to appeal to the Refugee Appeal Division?
- What are the deadlines for filing an appeal?
- What do I need to do to file an appeal?

**Register now by emailing Masi Allahverdi:  
[masi@kinbrace.ca](mailto:masi@kinbrace.ca)**



**My Small Business (MSB)** initiative is for newcomer women with small business ideas (i.e. home-based businesses and/or income-generation projects) towards their economic independence. **(Poster also attached)**

MSB is a pilot project by **Settlement and Integration Program of Burnaby Neighbourhood House**, in collaboration with **Women Economic Council (WEC)**.

Newcomer women applicants with artisan skills and a strong desire and passion to start a small business, are encouraged to apply.

**Registration for the first cohort is from now until October 23, 2022.**

My Small Business (MSB) is aiming to support newcomer women with learning opportunities through a combination of needs and assets-based focus, towards their empowered emotionally, socially and economically as building a future in Canada.

The sessions will be a mix of zoom and in-person learning interactions, with occasional access to marketing opportunities. Interpretation, translation, child-minding and transportation support would be provided, as needed.

**For registration and more information, please see the attached poster.**

If you know any newcomer women interested in starting their small business, please share this information and encourage their registration by:

Email to: [rashay@burnabynh.ca](mailto:rashay@burnabynh.ca) or

Phone at: [\(604\) 431-0400](tel:6044310400)

Rasha Youssef / Burnaby Neighbourhood House



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A poster for the 'My Small Business' initiative. The poster is titled 'Settlement &amp; Integration Program' and 'Burnaby Neighbourhood House located on the traditional unceded territories of Coast Salish Nations'. It features two circular images: one of a person working on a craft and another of a person smiling. The poster lists the goals of the initiative: 'Improve women's psychological wellbeing', 'Expand social networking', 'Foster income earning skills', and 'Create opportunities'. It also lists the phases: 'Phase 1: Needs/assets assessment, identifying barriers, psychological readiness &amp; confidence building', 'Phase 2: Identifying the small business ideas, mentorship and building professional networks', and 'Phase 3: Marketing and promotion, continued technical support and coaching'. The poster includes contact information for Rasha Youssef, project coordinator, and a registration deadline of October 23, 2022. The website www.burnabynh.ca is also listed. At the bottom, there are logos for the Burnaby Neighbourhood House, WEC (Women's Economic Council), and the Government of Canada.

## Umbrella Workshops for Health 6. Diabetes and Hypertension for the Latin American community

**What** A workshop for everybody!

**Let us come together to:**

- Learn how to prevent these chronic diseases
- Practice English
- Meet new people
- Have fun and relax!

**When** Saturday Oct 22 10:30 am to 12:30 pm

**Where** On Zoom please click on this link

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82610047938?pwd=QzIKM0p>

Meeting ID: 826 1004 7938 Passcode: 612872

No registration needed. If you have questions please call  
**Event is in Spanish**

It's free! Join us!



## Talleres de Salud Umbrella 6. Diabetes e Hipertensión Arterial para la comunidad Latinoamericana

Es gratuito!  
Ven y Únete a nosotros!

**¿Qué?** ¡Un taller para todos !

Vamos a reunirnos para:

- Aprender cómo prevenir estas enfermedades
- Practicar inglés
- Conocer nuevas personas
- Nos relajaremos y divertiremos!

**¿Cuándo?** Sábado Octubre 22 10:30 am a 12:30 pm

**¿Dónde?** En Zoom por favor presione en este link

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82610047938?pwd=QzIKM0p1aU9POEdnK3dkanIxSytWZz09>

Meeting ID: 826 1004 7938 Passcode: 612872



## Umbrella Workshops for Health

### 6. Diabetes and Hypertension

for the Arabic-speaking community

It's free! Join us!

**What** A workshop for everybody!

**Let us come together to:**

- Learn how to prevent these chronic diseases
- Practice English
- Meet new people
- Have fun and relax!



**When** Wednesday Oct 12 5:30 pm to 7:30 pm

**Where** On Zoom please click on this link

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82610047938?pwd=QzIKM0p1aU9F>

Meeting ID: 826 1004 7938 Passcode: 612872

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للمجتمع الناطق بالعربية

انضم لنا على زووم  
انه مجاني

يا لها من ورشة عمل للجميع  
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ممارسة اللغة الانكليزية  
مقابلة اناس جدد  
استمتع واسترخ



الزمان: الأربعاء 2022-10-12 من الساعة 5:30 مساء الى الساعة 7:30 مساء

المكان : على زووم فضلا اضغط على الرابط التالي

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# Umbrella Workshops for Health

## 6. Diabetes and Hypertension

for the Tigrinya-speaking community

It's free! Join us!

**What** A workshop for everybody!

**Let us come together to:**

- Learn how to prevent these chronic diseases
- Practice English
- Meet new people
- Have fun and relax!



**When** Thursday Oct 20 5:30 pm to 7:30 pm

**Where** On Zoom please click on this link

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82610047938?pwd=QzlkM0p1a>

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No registration needed. If you have questions please call See  
Event with interpretation to Tig







# PBLMT Public Works Technician Training Program

**We are Recruiting!** for the Public Works Technician Training **starting 28th November 2022**. It is 16 weeks program until 17th March 2023.

If you are interested in joining the program, please reserve your spot at the **Registration Link** below: <https://freetrainings.ca/Public-Works>

## Possible Career Outcomes:

- Construction
- Road & Sidewalk Repair
- Traffic Control/ Flagger
- Landscape Maintenance
- Wastewater Operation

## Training Information:

Public Works Technician Training is a 100% government-funded free, group-based full-time program consisting of:

- 1 week of orientation
- 9 weeks of virtual and in-person academic training
- 1 week of short-term certifications
- 1 week of job support
- 4 weeks of work experience with local employers.

- This will prepare participants to work as Public Works Technicians.

Next Intake: 28th Nov 2022 - 17th Mar 2023



## Public Works Technician Training

Public Works Technician Training is a 16-week Project Based Labour Market Training Program (PBLMT). Participants will receive training and work experience in occupational skills related to: public works, working safely, use of tools and equipment, environmental best practices, as well as maintaining and repairing roads and sidewalks, water systems, sanitary and storm sewer systems, building maintenance, parks and recreation facilities and fire protection systems.

**LIMITED SPOTS RESERVE NOW** <https://freetrainings.ca/public-works>

BENEFITS AND CERTIFICATES	PROGRAM ELIGIBILITY	WHAT YOU CAN EXPECT
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Up to \$300 weekly allowance for eligible clients</li> <li>• Full work gear (PPE) is included</li> <li>• WHMIS</li> <li>• Occupational First-Aid Level I</li> <li>• Transportation Endorsement</li> <li>• Traffic Control Person (TCP/Flagger)</li> <li>• Confined Spaces</li> <li>• Fall Protection</li> <li>• Ladder Safety</li> <li>• Basic Electrical Safety</li> <li>• Underground Utilities Locator</li> <li>• Excavation, Trenching and shoring Safety</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Referred by a WorkBC Centre with an Action Plan</li> <li>• Current resident of British Columbia</li> <li>• Either a Permanent Resident, Canadian Citizenship, or Refugee (protected person)</li> <li>• BCEA PWD Clients</li> <li>• BCEA Non-PWD Clients</li> <li>• Currently receiving Employment Insurance (EI) Benefits or</li> <li>• Reachback, have had an EI benefit within the previous 60 months or</li> <li>• Have earned more than \$2,060 in insurable earnings and have paid Employee EI premiums on those earnings in at least 5 of the last 10 years (Note: the 5 years do not have to be consecutive years)</li> </ul>	<p>Public Works Technician Training is a 100% government-funded free, group based full-time consisting of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1 week of Orientation (Live Virtual)</li> <li>• 9 weeks of Academic Training (Live Virtual)</li> <li>• 1 week of Short-Term Certifications (Hybrid)</li> <li>• 1 week of Job Support (Live Virtual)</li> <li>• 4 weeks of work experience with local employers (In-Person)</li> </ul>

**FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT LIMITED SPACES AVAILABLE!**

Ahana Roy  
Tel: 604.324.7733 | Ext: 411  
Email: ahana.roy@pics.bc.ca

Yuhan Yu  
Tel: 604.396.7722 | Ext: 614  
Email: yuhan.yu@pics.bc.ca

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- After completing the program, participants will receive a certificate from a post-secondary institution.

During the training, you will get 8 safety certificates and 2 occupational certificates as follows:

Personal Protective Equipment (PPE), Occupational First Aid Level 1, WHMIS, Confined Spaces. Ladder Safety and Fall Protection, Excavation and Shoring Safety, Transportation Endorsement, Basic Electrical Safety, Traffic Control Person (TCP/Flagger), Underground Utilities Locator

### Eligibility Criteria:

#### Section 1 – Canadian Status + Currently live in BC

Canadian Citizen, Permanent Resident, Ukrainian Refugees (CUAET), Refugee with Court Order Decision/ Work Permit

#### Section 2 – Employment Status

Unemployed, Casual/ on-call Employed (less than 20 hours per week), Part-Time Employed (less than 20 hours per week)

#### Section 3 - EI Eligibility

BCEA PWD Clients, BCEA Non-PWD Clients (Income Assistance), Active Regular Employment Insurance (EI) Benefits, EI Reachback: have had Regular EI benefits within the previous 60 months, Worked full-time for at least any 5 years out of the last 10 years in Canada + have earned more than \$2,000 in insurable earnings and have paid Employee EI premiums on those earnings in at least 5 of the last 10 years (Note: the 5 years do not have to be consecutive years)

#### Section 4 – WorkBC Case Management

WorkBC Case Manager confirmed your eligibility and submitted your application to the Ministry. Case Manager send an approval email to [yuhan.yu@pics.bc.ca](mailto:yuhan.yu@pics.bc.ca) and [ahana.roy@pics.bc.ca](mailto:ahana.roy@pics.bc.ca) before the program starts (this process may take 1-8 weeks depending on the WorkBC workload).

We will contact you after you fill up the form on the **Registration Link** at: <https://freetrainings.ca/Public-Works>

Please feel free to contact me for more info 😊

**Yuhan Yu**

Job Developer & Facilitator

Project-Based Labour Market Training (PBLMT)

**Progressive Intercultural Community Services (PICS) Society**

课程时间: 11月28日至3月17日



## 公共工程技术人員

公共工程技术人員培訓是一項為期 16 週的基於勞動力市場項目培訓計劃 (PBLMT)。參與者將獲得與以下相關職業技能的培訓和工作經驗：公共工程、安全工作、工具和設備的使用、環境最佳實踐，以及維護和修理道路和人行道、供水系統、衛生和雨水管道系統、建築維護、公園和娛樂設施和消防系統。

### 名額有限馬上預約

<https://freetrainings.ca/public-works>

#### 福利和執照

- 為符合條件的客戶提供最高 300 加元的每週津貼
- 全套工作防護裝備 (PPE) 包括: WHMIS
- 職業心肺急救 I 級執照
- 通勤補助
- 交通管制員證 (TCP/Flagger)
- 限制空間
- 墜落保護
- 梯子安全
- 基本電路安全
- 地下工程定位器
- 挖掘、挖溝和支撐安全

#### 報名資格

- 由 WorkBC 中心推薦並附上就業計劃
- 是卑詩省居民、永久居民、加拿大公民或難民 (受保護人)、是 BCEA 殘疾人客戶
- 是 BCEA 非殘疾人客戶
- 目前正在接受就業保險 (EI) 福利或
- Reachback 在過去 60 個月內有過 EI 福利
- 或在過去 10 年中至少有 5 年獲得了超過 2,000 加元的可保收入，並為這些收入支付了 EI 保費 (注意：5 年不必是連續年)

#### 預期課程大綱

- 公共工程技术人員培訓課程是 100% 免費政府補助。團體班。星期一至五全天課程包含以下：1 周新
- 1 周新 (視訊課程)
  - 9 周學術培訓 (視訊和實體課程)
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課程時間: 11月28日至3月17日



## 公共工程技术人員

公共工程技术人員培訓是一項為期 16 週的基於勞動力市場項目培訓計劃 (PBLMT)。參與者將獲得與以下相關職業技能的培訓和工作經驗：公共工程、安全工作、工具和設備的使用、環境最佳實踐，以及維護和修理道路和人行道、供水系統、衛生和雨水管道系統、建築維護、公園和娛樂設施和消防系統。

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<https://freetrainings.ca/public-works>

#### 福利和執照

- 為符合條件的客戶提供最高 300 加元的每週津貼
- 全套工作防護裝備 (PPE) 包括: WHMIS
- 職業心肺急救 I 級執照
- 通勤補助
- 交通管制員證 (TCP/Flagger)
- 限制空間
- 墜落保護
- 梯子安全
- 基本電路安全
- 地下工程定位器
- 挖掘、挖溝和支撐安全

#### 報名資格

- 由 WorkBC 中心推薦並附上就業計劃
- 是卑詩省居民、永久居民、加拿大公民或難民 (受保護人)、是 BCEA 殘疾人客戶
- 是 BCEA 非殘疾人客戶
- 目前正在接受就業保險 (EI) 福利或
- Reachback 在過去 60 個月內有過 EI 福利
- 或在過去 10 年中至少有 5 年獲得了超過 2,000 加元的可保收入，並為這些收入支付了 EI 保費 (注意：5 年不必是連續年)

#### 預期課程大綱

- 公共工程技术人員培訓課程是 100% 免費政府補助。團體班。星期一至五全天課程包含以下：
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## CMS New Voices Speaker Series | Fall 2022

### Event Dates:

October 25 | November 7 & 28 | December 7

**Time:** 12:15 - 1:45 PM (PT)

**Location:** [Case Room, Liu Institute for Global Issues](#)

We invite you to attend events in our [New Voices Speaker Series](#) taking place Oct-Dec 2022, an opportunity to profile the research expertise and interests of new faculty in migration at UBC, across three departments!

Register to attend each event here:

**Tuesday October 25** | [Helena Zeweri, UBC Anthropology](#)

[Witnessing Empire's Bordering Practices: Afghan American Diasporic Politics in the Aftermath of Withdrawal](#)

**Monday November 7** | [Aryan Karimi, UBC Sociology](#)

[Reconsidering the Origins of Assimilation Theories](#)

**Monday November 28** | [Elif Sari, UBC Anthropology](#)

*Details to be announced*

**Wednesday December 7** | [Jemima Baada, UBC Geography](#)

[Climate Change, Domestic and Foreign Investment, and Migration in Ghana](#)





# INSIDE THE STCA APPEAL

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 13, 2022  
4:00-5:30PM EST  
ZOOM WEBINAR

THE CANADIAN ASSOCIATION OF REFUGEE LAWYERS, IN  
COLLABORATION WITH THE CANADIAN COUNCIL FOR  
REFUGEES, INVITES YOU TO DE-BRIEF WITH THE LAWYERS  
WHO PREPARED & ARGUED THE SAFE-THIRD COUNTRY  
AGREEMENT (STCA) APPEAL BEFORE THE SUPREME COURT

WHAT WAS THE STRATEGY TO GET TO THE SCC?  
HOW DID THEY PREPARE FOR THE HEARING?  
WHAT SURPRISES CAME UP IN ORAL ARGUMENT?

ANDREW BROUWER  
APPELLANT'S COUNSEL



ERIN SIMPSON  
APPELLANT'S COUNSEL



JOSHUA BLUM  
APPELLANT'S COUNSEL



## INSIDE THE STCA APPEAL

DE-BRIEF WITH THE COUNSEL TEAM BEHIND THE SAFE-THIRD COUNTRY  
AGREEMENT APPEAL BEING HEARD AT THE SUPREME COURT OF CANADA

[REGISTER HERE](#)

**OCTOBER 13, 2022 - 4:00-5:30PM EST – ZOOM**

On October 6, 2022, the Supreme Court of Canada will hear the appeal of the *Safe-Third Country Agreement* (STCA). In 2020, the [Federal Court](#) struck down the STCA regime for violating s.7 of the *Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms*. But in 2021, the [Federal Court of Appeal](#) overturned that judgment. Now the Supreme Court will weigh in.

You can watch the webcast of the Supreme Court hearing on October 6, 2022 at 9:30AM EST at this [link](#). And you can read all of the parties' factums at this [link](#).

One week after the hearing, the Canadian Association of Refugee Lawyers (CARL), in collaboration with the Canadian Council of Refugees (CCR), invites you to join us as we sit down to de-brief with some of the lawyers who prepared and argued the appeal.

Hear about their strategy to get the case to the Supreme Court; how they prepared for the hearing; and what went as planned and what was a total surprise during the oral argument. Speakers include:

**Andrew Brouwer**, Legal Aid Ontario's Refugee Law Office

**Erin Simpson**, Landings LLP

**Joshua Blum**, Jared Will & Associates

MAP (Multi-Agency Partnership) Webinar, October 12, 2022  
Registration is free. We look forward to you joining us!



Canadian Council  
for Refugees  
Conseil canadien  
pour les réfugiés

CCR invites members to participate in the quarterly virtual meeting on issues for refugee claimants on Tuesday, October 18.

**Refugee claimants *Virtual meeting***

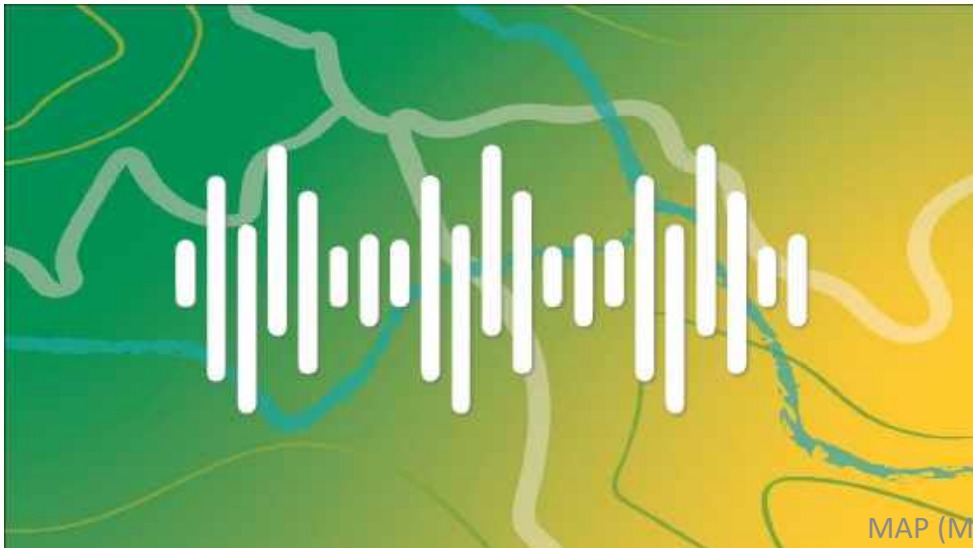
**When:** Tuesday, October 18 starting at  
11:00am Pacific

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### [New podcast: Borders & Belonging](#)

CERC Migration researcher **Maggie Perzyna** debunks myths about migration with the help of experts from around the world. Subscribe to our new podcast so you won't miss an episode! The podcast is a co-production between **CERC Migration** and **openDemocracy**.



The proliferation of technological solutions is offering new ways to view migration-related challenges and opportunities. State and non-state actors are increasingly engaging technological tools to tackle complex migration challenges – like predicting the next major event to spur a refugee crisis – and supporting migrants themselves, through the use of advanced digital technologies like blockchain. To help provide a wide perspective on the rapidly changing landscape of technology use in migration management, CERC Migration is pleased to introduce the **Migration Tech Tracker**.

The Migration Tech Tracker (“Tech Tracker”) is an interactive tool developed to capture various uses of technology by the diverse range of actors in the migration sector. This tool does not question the use of these technologies, but rather presents them in a neutral manner to offer knowledge and present findings for researchers, practitioners and **community groups** to leverage in their work.