**ADDITIONAL H&C QUESTIONS**

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| Please provide the general details/ outline/timeline of your life in Canada | I arrived in Canada in June 2022 due to escalating hostilities in Ukraine, seeking safety and a peaceful environment for my family. Since moving, I’ve established myself through the high school in Toronto. I've made friends, built strong connections, and actively engage in community activities. |
| How did you establish yourself here? What are your ties to Canada? | I've become an integral part of the school, where I manage projects and collaborate with classmates daily. I've also created a network of friends and professional connections that have helped me feel at home in Canada. |
| Do you have any IMMEDIATE family members residing in Canada (parents, children or siblings)? If yes, provide their:  Full name(s):  Relationship to you:  Country of birth:  Date of birth:  Current residential address:  Status in Canada: | Yes, my mother (Iuliia Babicheva) who has adapted really well. She is learning English on a daily basis with other Canadians and working full time in a Canadian company where she has a lot of friends and professional connections.  Full name(s): Iuliia Babicheva  Relationship to you: Mother  Country of birth: Ukraine  Date of birth: 11/21/85  Current residential address:  Status in Canada:Work permit |
| Who were you residing with BEFORE coming to Canada?  Full name(s):  Relationship to you:  Country of birth:  Date of birth:  Current residential address: | Full name(s): Iuliia Babicheva  Relationship to you: Mother  Country of birth: Ukraine  Date of birth: 11/21/85  Current residential address: |
| What efforts have you made to immigrate to Canada through economic immigration routes? Have you submitted any applications or expression of interest? What were the results and when? | My mother is working on this, so I do not know exactly where we are applying. |
| Explain reasons that prevent you from leaving Canada.  Would any children be affected if you were to leave Canada? | Leaving Canada could jeopardize mine and my mother’s safety and future stability. Canada provides us the secure environment we need. |

**REQUIRED SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS**

**TRANSLATIONS:** Please note that all documents must be translated into English or French language. The translations must be accompanied by an affidavit from the translator (notarized or commissioned).

**DOCUMENTS FORMAT:** Please provide all documents in colored scanned copies in good quality. The documents must be sent as attachments to the email. Do not use cloud storage such as Google Drive and others.

**Previous Immigration History - all applicants:**

1. Completed Questionnaire
2. Copies of previous applications – TRV, SP, WP, PR, CUAET, EE profile, etc.
3. All immigration permits (for example, visitor, worker, student, temporary resident permit, etc.)

**Passports and Identification Documents - all applicants:**

1. Driver’s license/Government Photo ID, if available.
2. Birth certificates.
3. Proof of name changes, if applicable (for example, name change certificate, previous marriage certificates showing name changes).
4. Travel passports (current and expired, if available). Must have a bio page and all pages with visas, marks and stamps.
5. Internal (national) passport/identification document used in your country of citizenship.
6. Copies of custody documents for children from a previous marriage or relationship.

**Civil Status Documents - all applicants 18 years of age and above:**

1. Marriage Certificate.
2. Divorce/Annulment certificate, if previously married.
3. Certificate of legal separation for your spouse, common-law or conjugal partner, if previously separated.
4. If your former spouse is deceased, must provide their death certificate.

**Education Documents - all applicants 18 years of age and above:**

1. All issued educational diplomas, certificates and transcripts (secondary school and higher).
2. Educational Credential Assessment(s) (for example WES), if applicable.

**Police Clearance Certificates - all applicants18 years of age and above:**

1. Police clearance certificates in any country (other than Canada) in which you spent 6 or more months in a row since the age of 18. <https://www.canada.ca/en/immigration-refugees-citizenship/services/application/medical-police/police-certificates/how.html>.

**Supporting Documents:**

1. Language proficiency test results (IELTS/CELPIP).
2. Proof of attendance for English/French classes (for example LINC, ESL) – a letter from the tutor, language school, courses, etc.
3. Confirmation of employment letter and 3-4 most recent pay stubs.
4. School attendance and report cards for dependent children, if applicable.
5. Notices of Assessment and T4.
6. Proof of funds in Canada (how you support yourself financially) in the form of a bank/transaction statement (must be no more than 1 month old at the time of submission).
7. Proof of relationship with your Canadian siblings – birth/marriage certificates.
8. Proof of community involvement, and volunteering.
9. Any documentation proving your establishment and ties to Canada (for example Agreement of Purchase and Sale of property, business ownership, investments, RESP contributions etc.).
10. Letters of support:
    1. From friends/relatives/neighbors who are Canadian citizens or PR.
    2. From employers describing your character, contribution to the business and relationship with co-workers.
    3. From teachers
    4. community representatives
    5. From the church, if any.
    6. From volunteering events.
    7. From any other events showing that you are actively involved in the life of Canadian society.
    8. Pictures confirming all the events listed above.
    9. Copy of PR card/passport of Canadian friends and relatives who wrote the support letters
11. Other relevant documentation in support of H&C considerations.

**PHOTOS:** Please take one digital photo and send it to us by email. Also, please take a paper photo with a stamp on the back with the address of the photo studio and the date when the photo was taken. Please write your last and first name on the back of the photo and send us a digital picture of it.

Please see the below photo specifications.

