# Post-Graduation Work Permit Application Instructions

How to apply for a Post-Graduation Work Permit online through Immigration, Refugees, and Citizenship Canada's website.



## Use Internet Explorer. Other internet browsers do not work correctly.







# Eligibility Requirements and Other Important Notes

- You must submit your application for a work permit within 90 days, starting from the day when your final marks are issued, or when you receive a formal written notification of graduation from the institution, whichever comes first.
- Applying for the Post-Graduation Work Permit is a one-time opportunity. It is currently only possible to get one post-graduation work permit in your lifetime.
- If you plan on completing more than one program to use toward a PGWP, you must complete the second program within two-years of completing the first program in order to combine them.
- You must have studied continuously full-time at a Canadian DLI, passed the program of study, and received notification that you are eligible to obtain your degree, diploma, or certificate.
- You must have a valid study permit when you apply for the work permit.
- Please visit the following link for more complete details and eligibility requirements:

https://www.canada.ca/en/immigration-refugees-citizenship/services/study-canada/work/after-graduation/eligibility.html



## Work Permit Validity

Work permits issued under the PGWPP may be valid for up to three years.

#### **Examples:**

- If the program of study is eight months (minimum duration), then the duration of the work permit should be eight months.
- If the program of study is at least eight months but less than two years, then the duration of the work permit should coincide with the duration of the program of study.
- If the program of study is at least two years, then the duration of the work permit should be three years.
- If students who obtained a one-year graduate degree or diploma from an eligible institution in Canada after having obtained, within the prior two years, another diploma or degree from an eligible institution in Canada, then the duration of the work permit may be up to 3 three years.



## What You Will Need:

#### **REQUIRED DOCUMENTS**

- The IRCC Application form (IMM5710) you will download this later in the process
- Proof of Program Completion (see next two pages for details)
- Clear and legible scanned copy of your passport pages with your study permit (see next two pages for details)
- A valid credit card (Visa, MasterCard, American Express, JCB, China Union Pay) or a debit card (Visa Debit, Debit MasterCard or Interac) to pay the \$255 application fee online.
- Digital Photo (see next two pages for details)
- Proof of Medical (may be required) If you intend on working in healthcare or childcare you must complete a
  medical from an approved doctor. To find a doctor near you please go to <a href="http://www.cic.gc.ca/pp-md/pp-list.aspx">http://www.cic.gc.ca/pp-md/pp-md/pp-list.aspx</a>.

#### **OPTIONAL DOCUMENTS**

Client information- also known as a letter of explanation



## How To Prepare Your Documents

#### **Proof of Program Completion**

- IRCC gives you the option to upload either a transcript, a certificate, or a letter from the institution. We recommend using a Proof of Program Completion Letter (Also called a Graduation Letter)
- Once your final marks are posted and your graduation decision has been processed you will download your Proof of Program Completion letter from the <u>Student Portal</u>:
  - Click 'Services'
  - Click 'Print a Letter'
  - Under the Request a Letter section, Select the program you completed and then select 'Proof of Program Completion'
- MAKE SURE YOU CHECK THE LETTERS FOR ACCURACY PRIOR TO SUBMITTING THEM WITH YOUR APPLICIATION
- It is important that the letter includes your name, student number, Conestoga College's DLI number, your date of birth, the name of your program, the method of study (full-time), the duration of your program as defined by the College (eg. 'One year' or 'Two years' etc.), and the end date of your program. If any of this information is missing or incorrect, please speak with an International Student Advisor in the International Office.

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## How To Prepare Your Documents

- Clear and legible scanned copy of your passport pages including:
  - Page with the passport number, photo, dates of issues and expiry, name and date of birth
  - Page with the stamp made by the Canadian authorities on the most recent entry into Canada
  - All pages with stamps, visas or markings, and
  - A scan of your valid Study Permit
  - All pages of the passport must be merged into a single PDF document.
  - Please note that scanned documents cannot be more than 4 MB.
- Digital Photo
  - The digital photo should look similar to a passport photo.
  - Once you reach the Document Checklist section of the online application, there is an information button beside each required document. Please click the beside the document for more information.
- Proof of an IRCC Panel medical exam may be required if you intend on working in certain fields. To find out if you need a Panel medical exam, please visit the following link:

http://www.cic.gc.ca/english/helpcentre/answer.asp?qnum=183&top=17



## Want More Help?

 For a more details and instructions from IRCC, please visit the following website:

https://www.canada.ca/en/immigration-refugees-citizenship/services/study-canada/work/after-graduation/eligibility.html

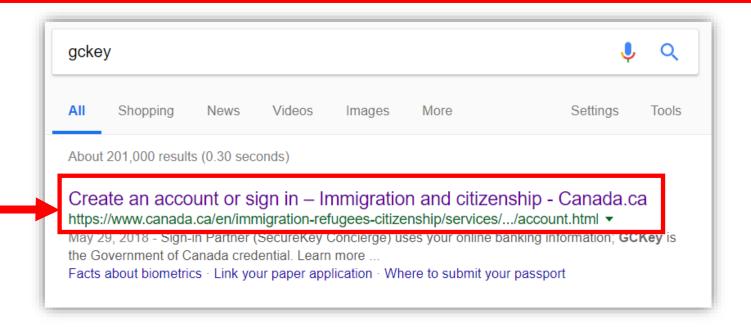




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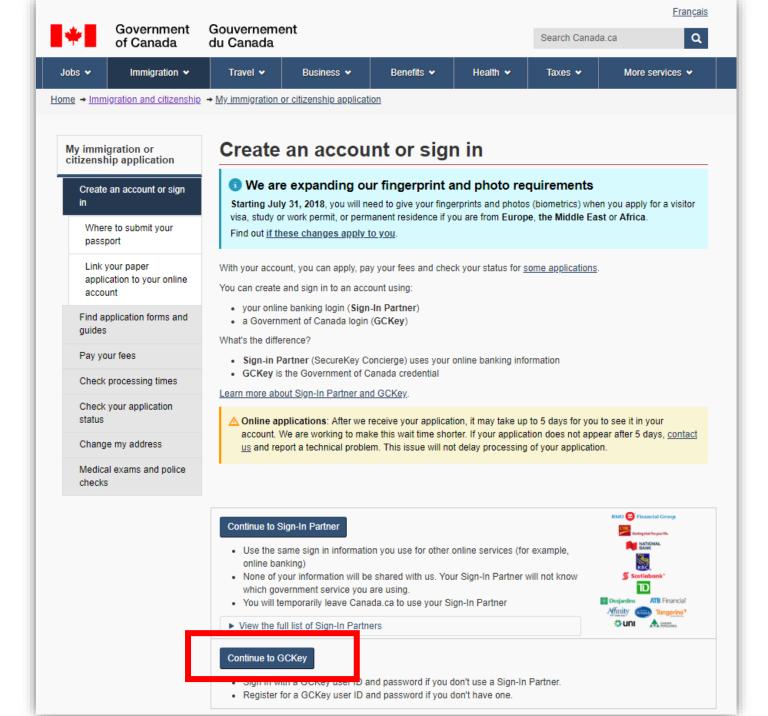


#### Search on Google for "gckey" and click to sign in



https://www.canada.ca/en/immigration-refugees-citizenship/services/application/account.html







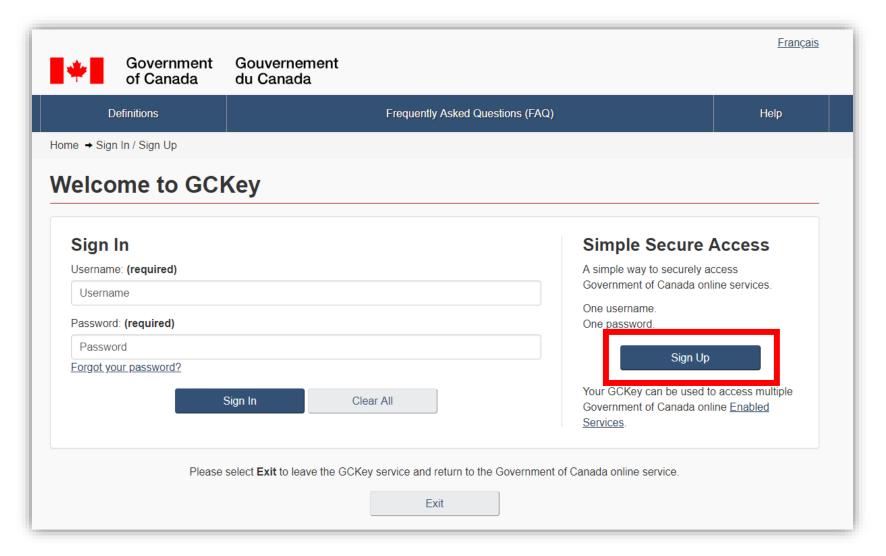


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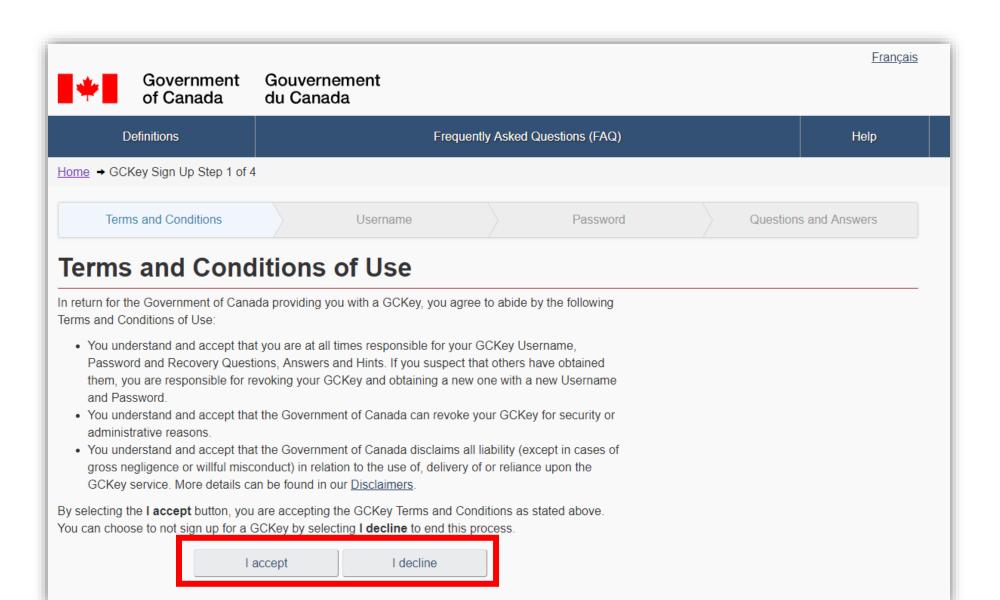
- If you already have an account, you can use it for your application.
- If you are not able to login to your old account, just create a new account with a new username.



## If you want to create a new account, Click 'Sign Up'

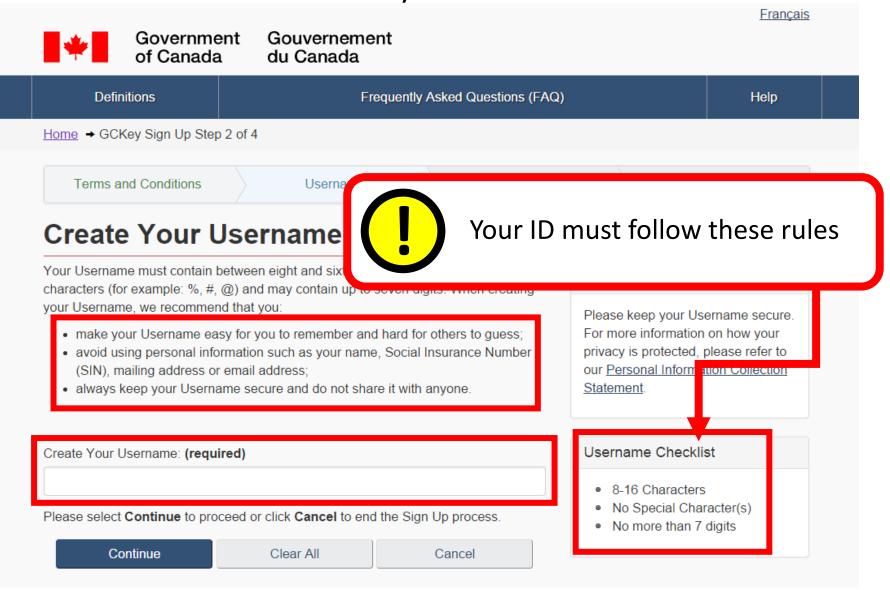








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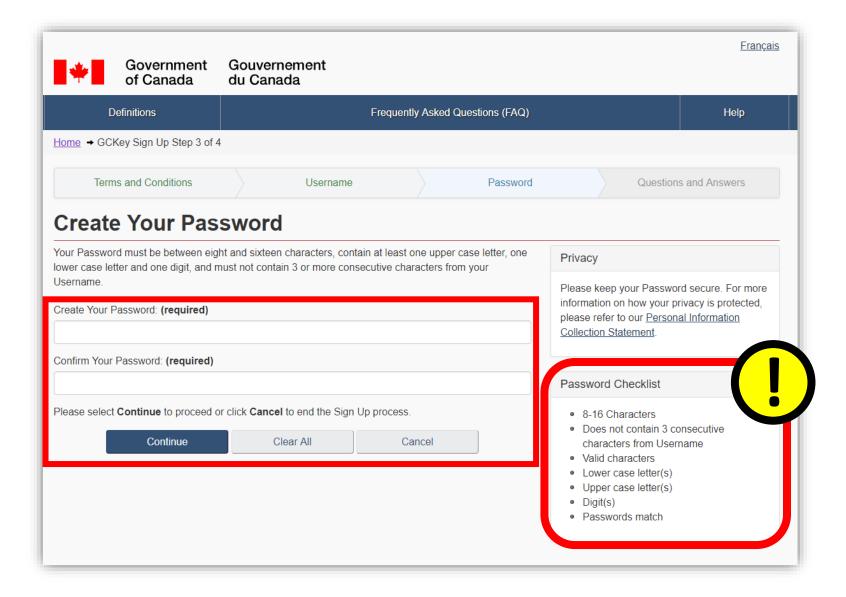


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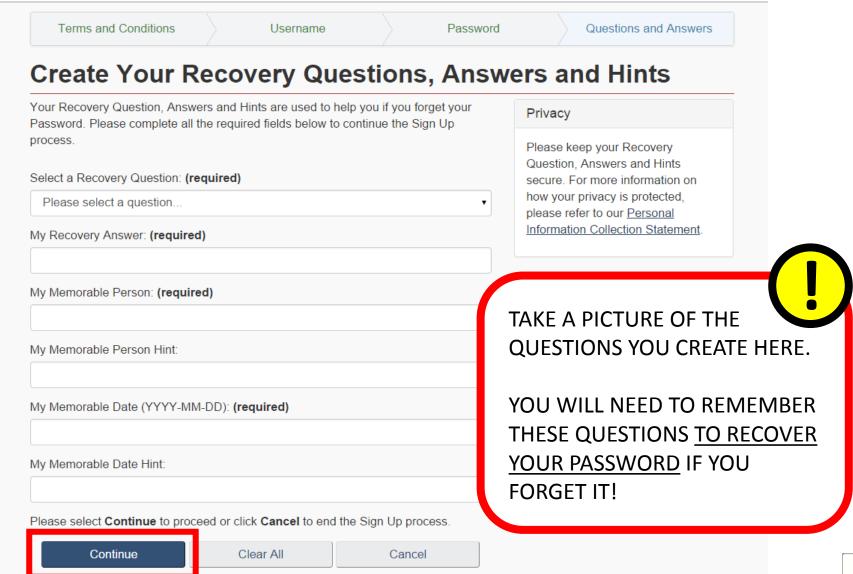


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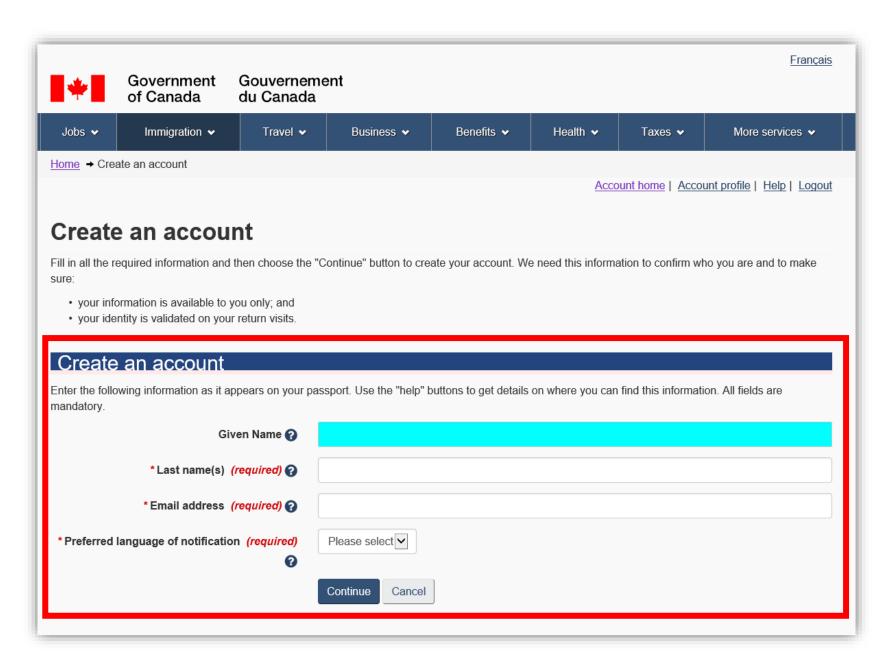




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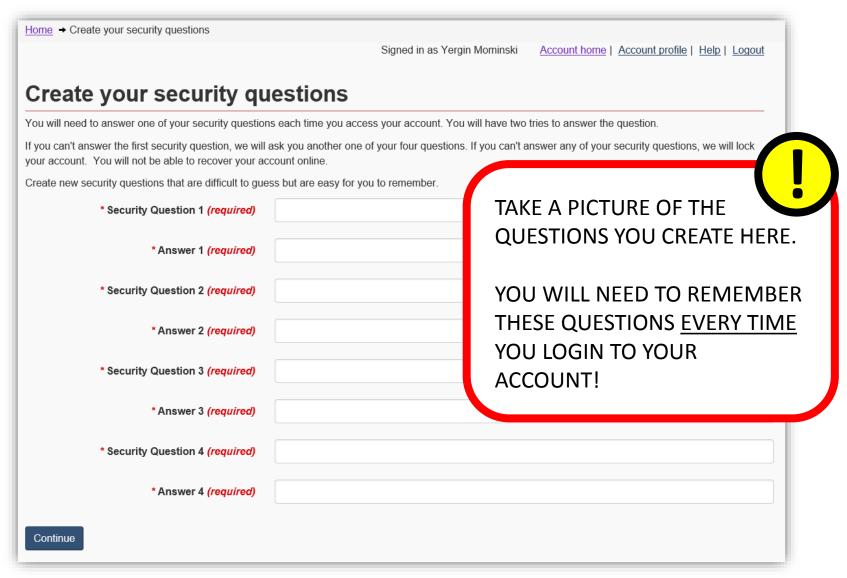






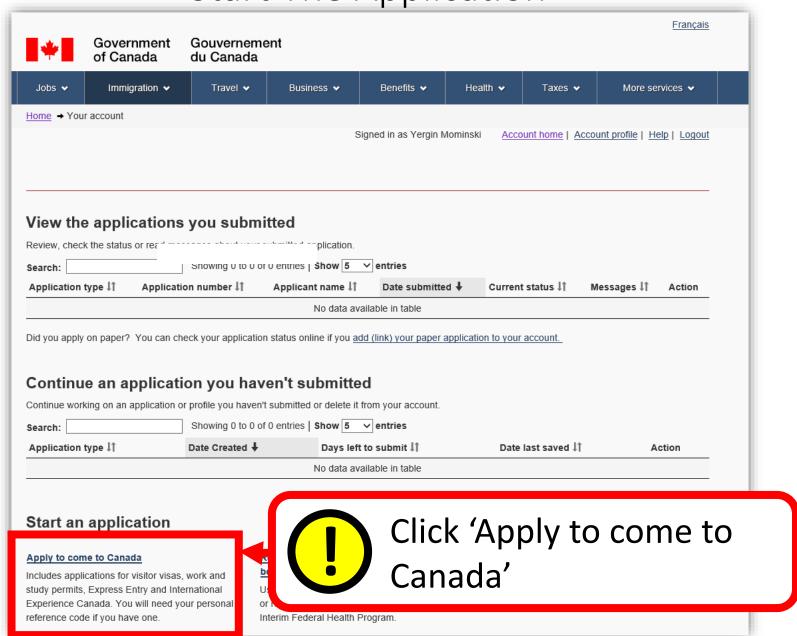


#### Create your security questions

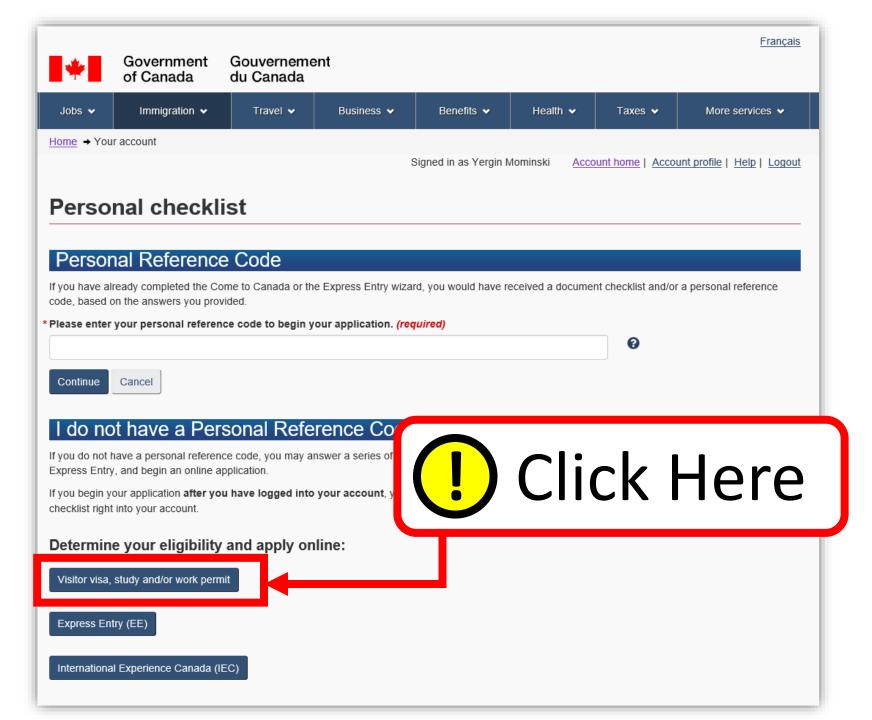




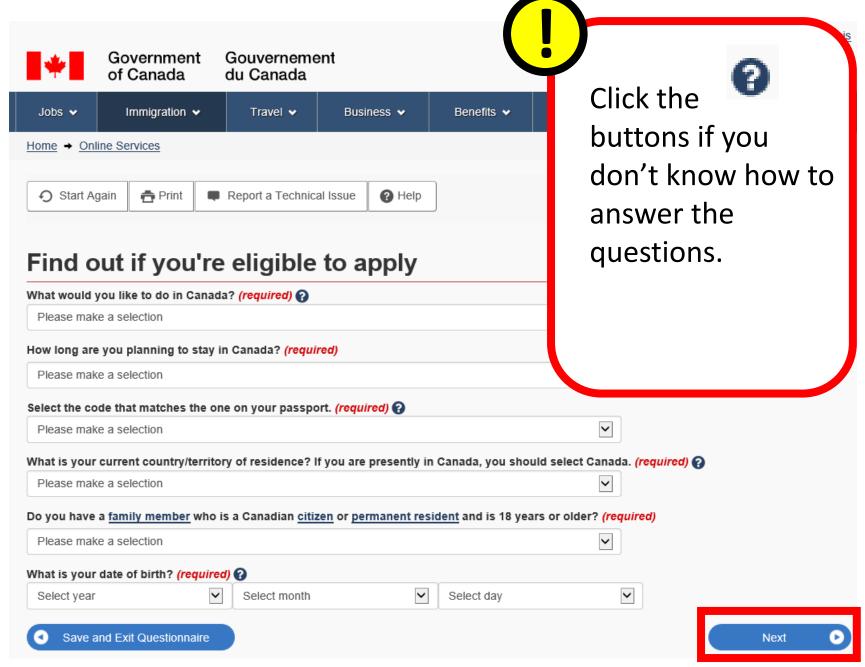
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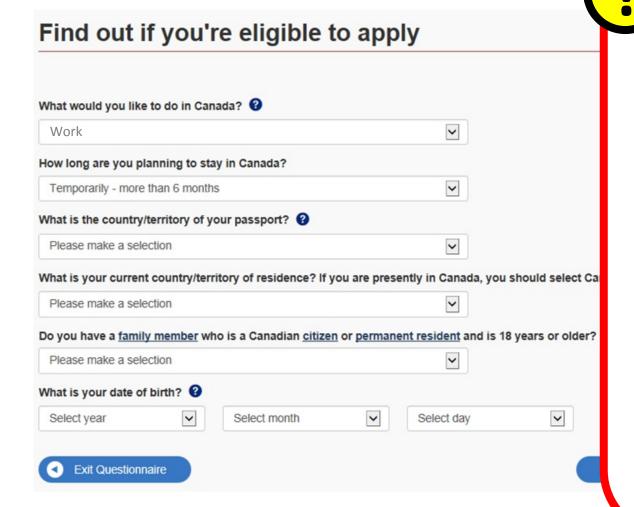








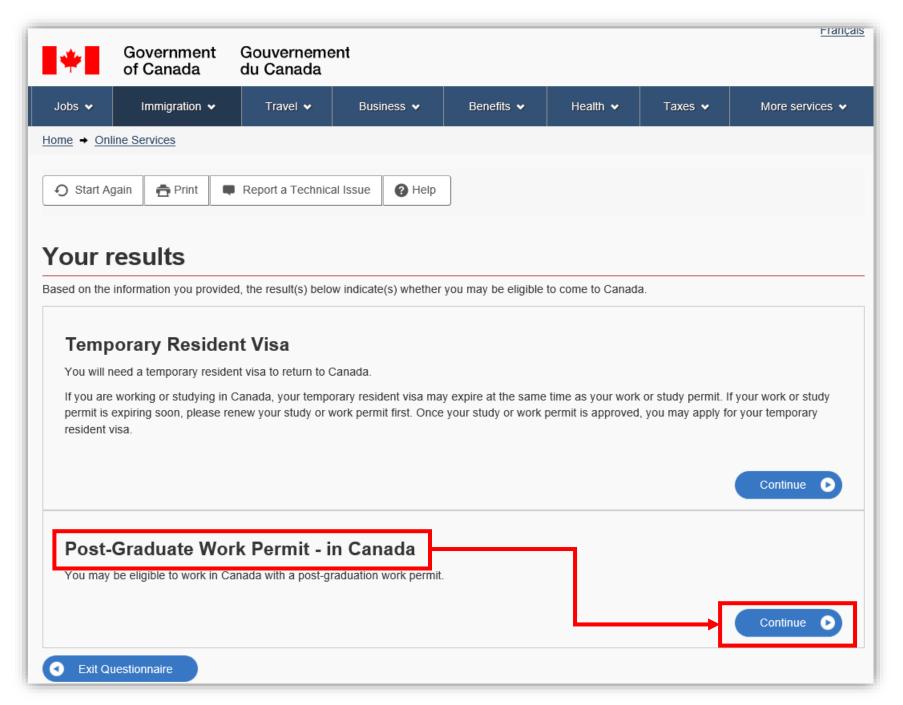




If you are applying for a Post-Graduation Work Permit then you would select 'Work' when asked what you would like to do in Canada.

If you are currently in Canada, then 'Canada' is your country of residence.







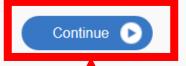
#### Create your personal checklist

#### You are almost there...

We are going to ask you a few more questions. Based on your answers, we will provide you with a personal checklist of all the documents you need to submit with your application.

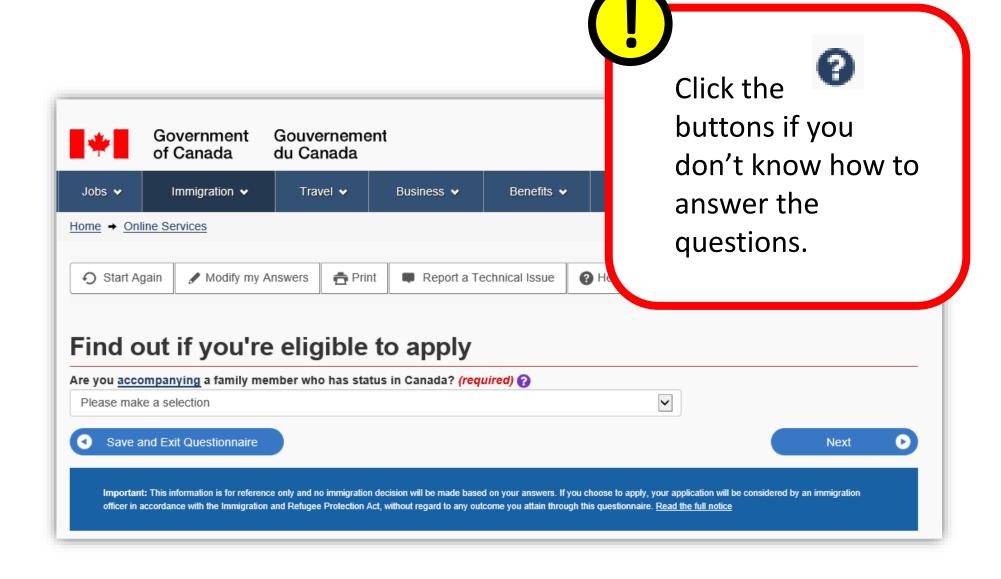
**CAUTION**: Do **not** submit multiple applications for the same service in an effort to speed up your application. Doing this may result in both applications being processed and delay the finalization of your application. CIC does not refund processed applications.





Click here. See the next page for answers to common questions.









- We recommend using the 'Letter from educational institution' option.
- Make sure you letter you provide is accurate. See page 6 of this guide for details. This step is very important as it can affect the length of work permit that you are granted.



#### Do you want to submit an application for a family member? (required)





- If you have a spouse and/or child who is currently with you in Canada, and if you want to add their application, you can do so here.
- <u>Do not</u> use this option to try to apply for a spouse or child who is currently outside of Canada.
- This cannot be used to apply for family members who are not your spouse or child.



#### Your document checklist

#### Your documents

This is the list of documents you need to submit in order to apply. You cannot promore about each document.

#### Are you having difficulty downloading a form?

Versions of application forms for study permits and work permits dated November 2013 (11-2013), or later, and applications for tempor March 2014 (03-2014), or later, can only be uploaded to the IRCC Portal.

Once you finish the

questionnaire, you will see

is where you upload your

required and optional

documents.

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Note: You are responsible for ensuring that the documents you submit are correct. Carefully review the documents you have attached to this application. A decision concerning your application will be made based upon the information you submit. You will not be able to make changes to your application once it has been submitted. Please ensure that you scan and attach all relevant documents to your online submission. Any documents received by mail related to this application will not be considered.

#### Application Form(s)

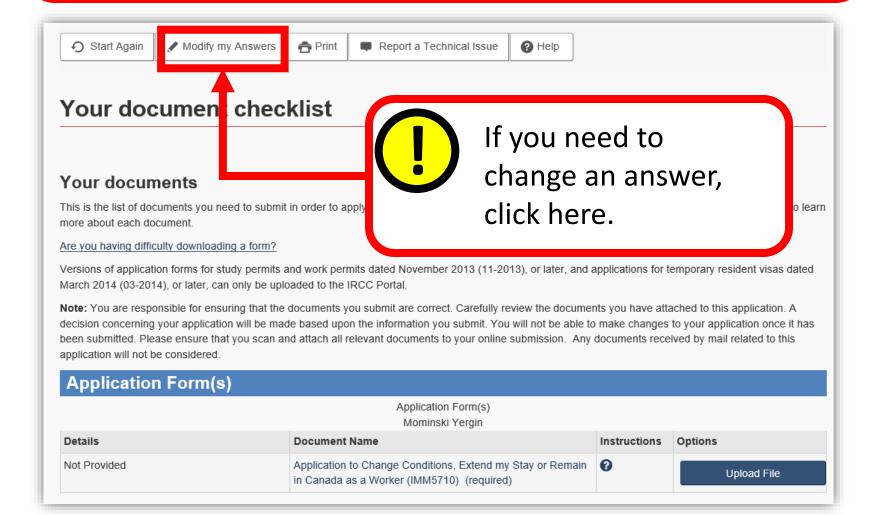
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Details	Document Name	Instructions	Options
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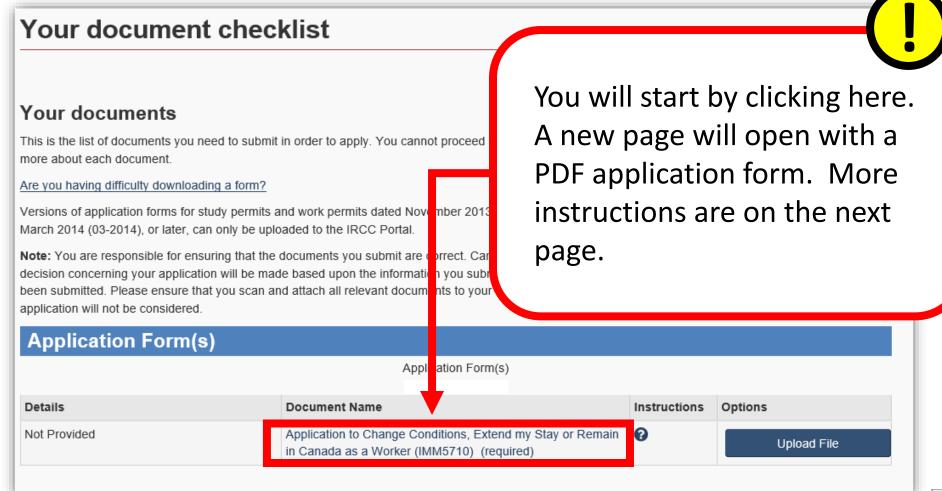


You can change the answers that you provided in the online questionnaire as long as you haven't submitted your application to IRCC.





## Your Document Checklist







- This PDF document must be saved to your computer for editing.
- When you enter information in this form it will not be saved online. You must save your changes in the PDF document on the computer you are using. Keep a copy for your records.
- You will upload this document to your MyCIC account once you have finished entering the information.





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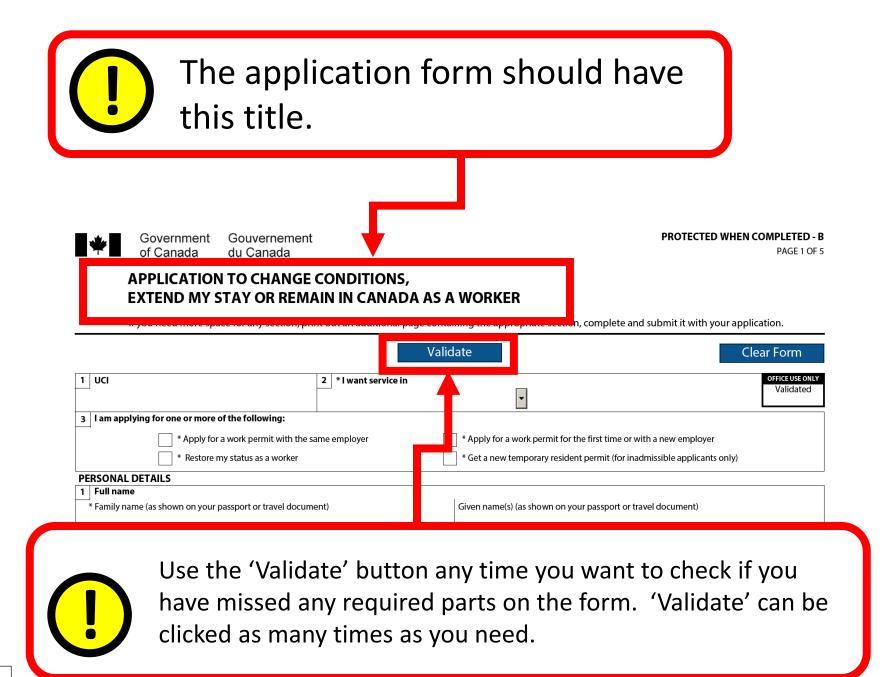
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#### APPLICATION TO CHANGE CONDITIONS, EXTEND MY STAY OR REMAIN IN CANADA AS A WORKER

If you need more space for any section, print out an additional page containing the appropriate section, complete and submit it with your application.

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3 I am applying for one or more of the following:			
* Apply for a work permit with the same employer		* Apply for a work permit for the first time or with a new employer	
* Restore my status as a worker		* Get a new temporary resident permit (for inadmissible applicants only)	
PERSONAL DETAILS			
1 Full name			
* Family name (as shown on your passport or travel docume	nt)	Given name(s) (as shown on your passport or travel document)	



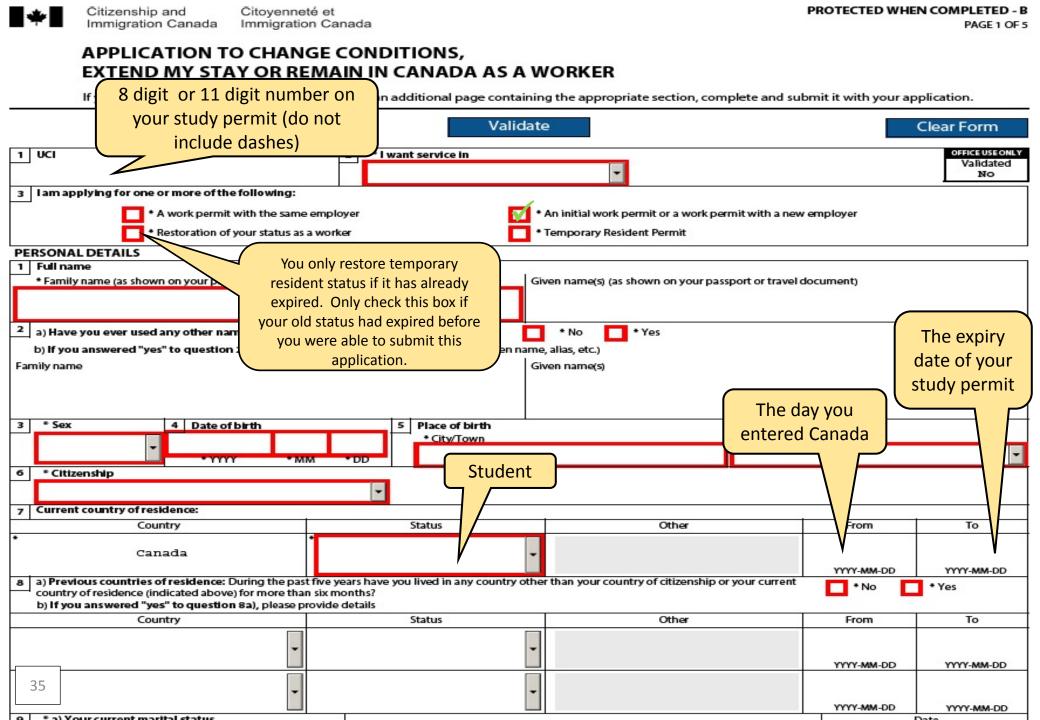


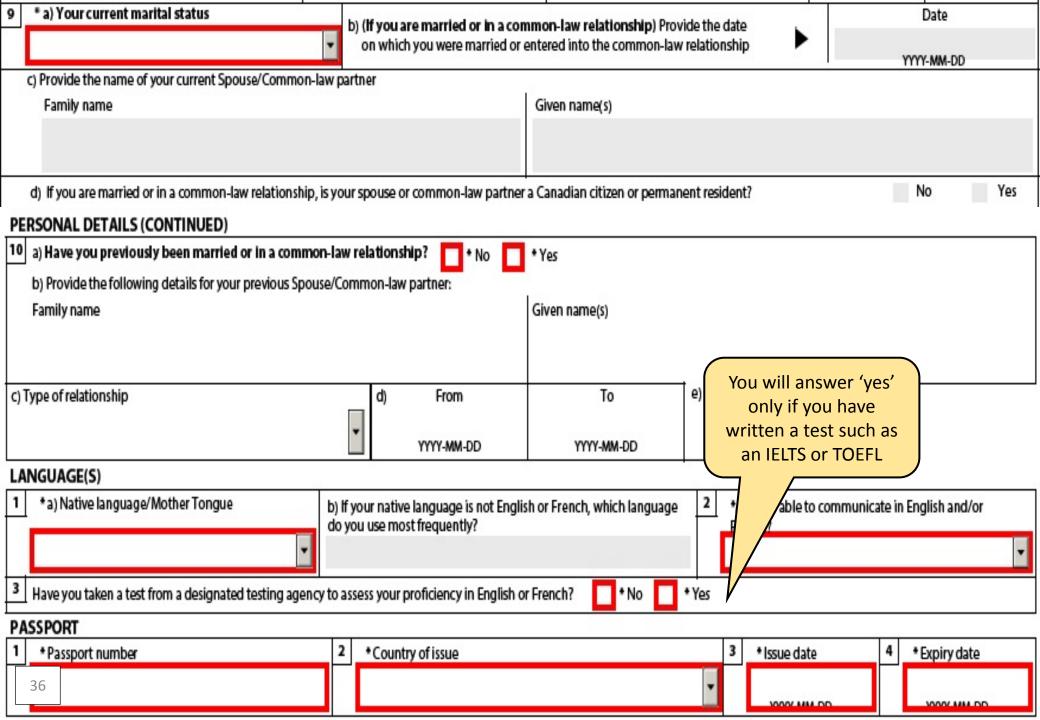


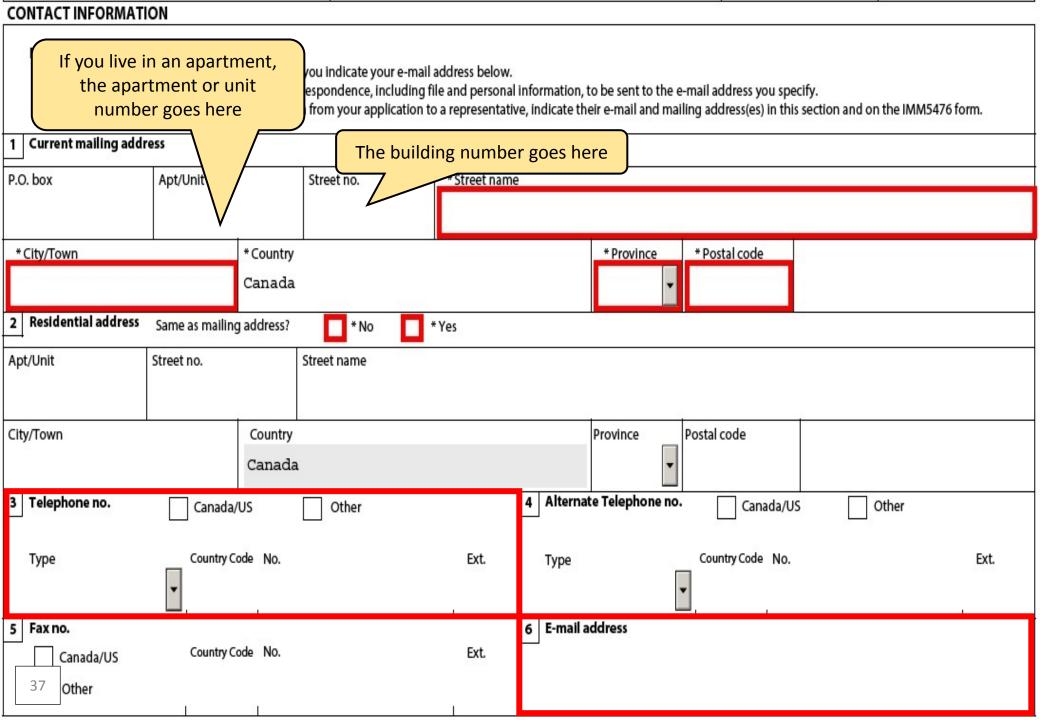
## Study Permit

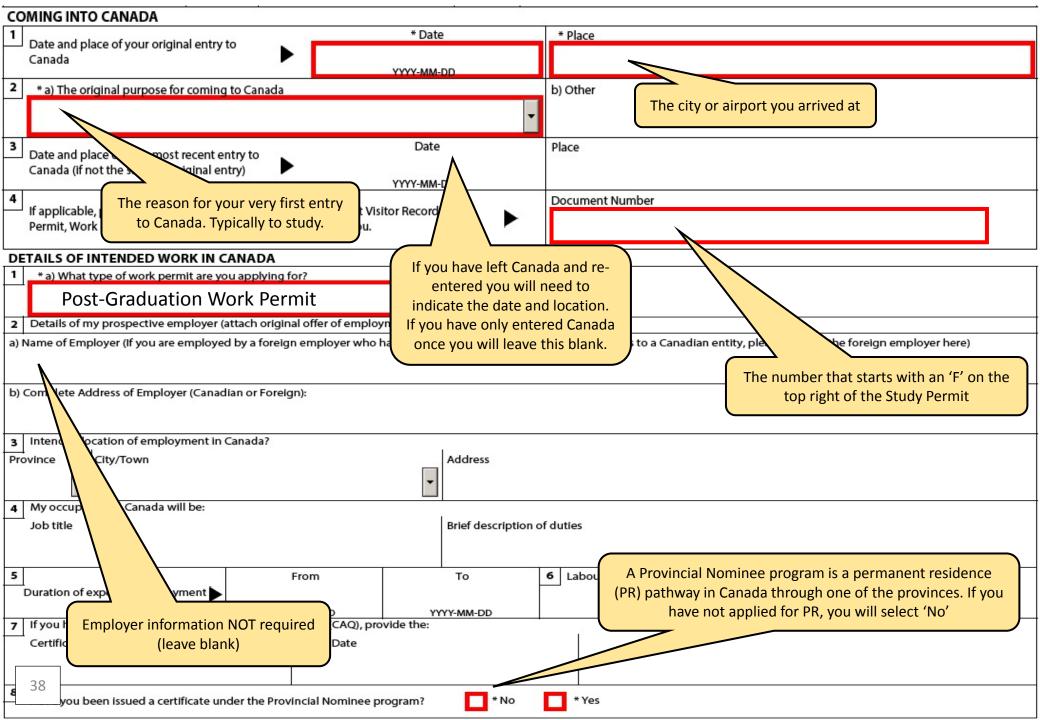




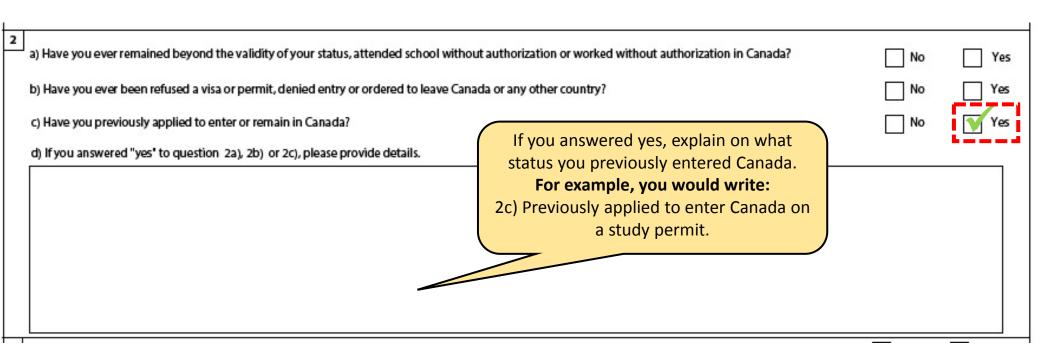








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#### SIGNATURE

Applicant Name

process (such as participation in an information forum), during the application process (including the application process itself as well as orientation or accreditation services), and services received after arriving in Canada (including settlement performance measurement or evaluation purposes.

Do you consent to be contacted by CIC, or an organ

I consent to the release to Citizenship and Immigrat any government authority, including police, judicial for admission to Canada or to remain in Canada

I declare that I have answered all

arcant or Parent/Legal Guardian's for a person under 18 years of age. Signature

use this information, along with the information provided by other individuals, for research, If submitting the form any decisions about you personally. electronically you do not need to hand sign the application form. Instead, you will type your name as

it is shown on your study permit.

Citizenship and Immigration Canada (CIC), or an organization at CIC' request, may want to contact you in the future to ask you about any services you received from CIC prior to the application

ices Agency (CBSA) of all records and information for the purpose of processing my request that hich I have lived may possess about me. This information will be used to evaluate my suitability

Date: YYYY-MM-DD

Be sure to press 'Validate' before saving any changes to the form.

Save this PDF document once it is complete. The saved PDF file is what you will upload to your MyCIC application.

validating status and identity to administer their programs. In accordance with the Privacy Act and the Accordance s to Information Act, individuals have a right to protection of and access to their personal information. Details on these matters are available at the Info Source website (http://infosource.gc.ca) and through the Citizenship ar Immigration Canada Call Centre.

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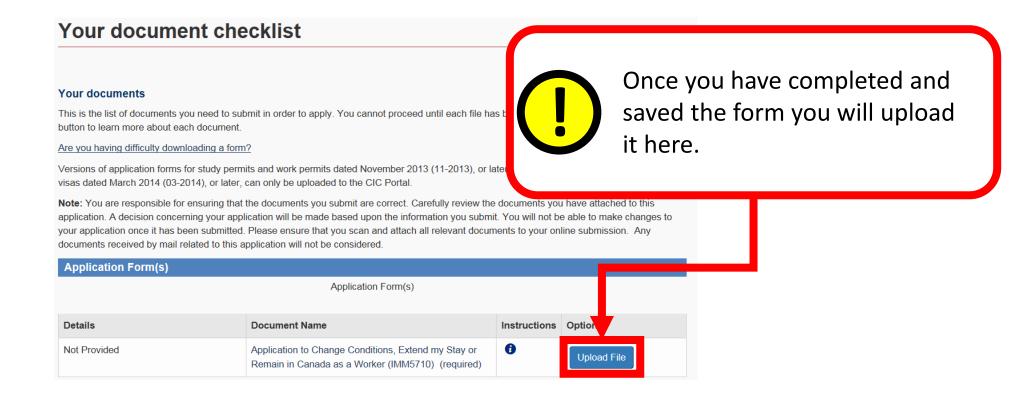
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### Your Document Checklist







You must upload all of these documents. Your list may be different than the one shown here.

Click the for details.



All pages must be combined into a single PDF document.

Do not upload each page separately.

These requirements may not be on your application. It depends on whether you require a Panel medical exam.





If you are applying from within Canada, do not complete the Application for Temporary Resident Visa listed here.

You can use the Client Information section to upload a Letter of Explanation to provide any details that you feel were not clear in the rest of your application.

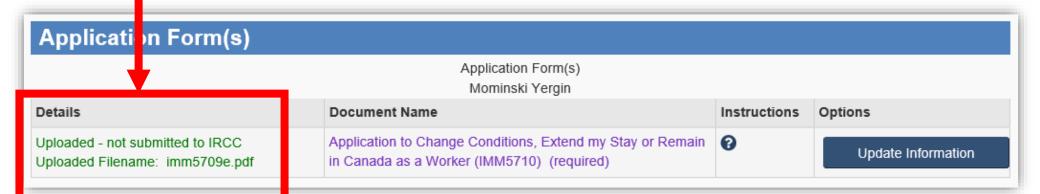
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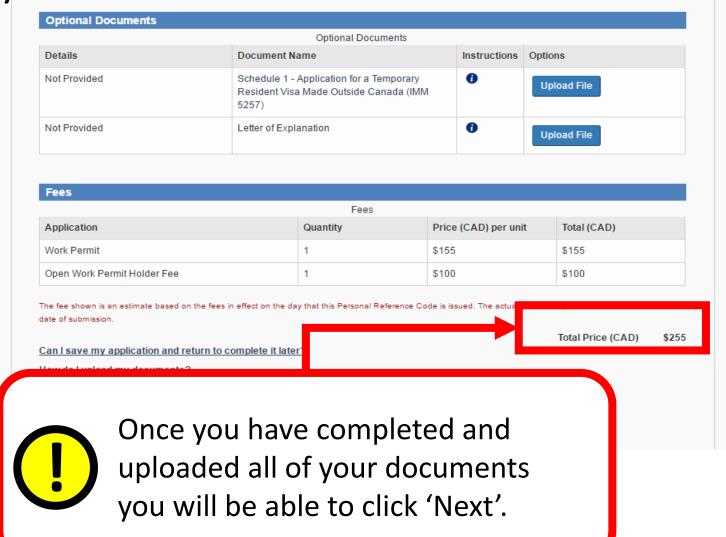
When you upload a document, it is normal for the Details section to state "Uploaded – not submitted to IRCC".

Once you have uploaded documents into all of the required sections of the Document Checklist, you will be able to continue to the payment step in the application. After you have completed the application and paid, the messages here will change to "Submitted".





Payment





an onence under any raw or Canada or a province. This information may also be used to establish or verify the identity or an individual whose identity cannot reasonably be otherwise established or verified because of physical or mental condition. Canada may also share immigration information related to biometric records with foreign governments with whom Canada has an agreement or arrangement.

Depending on the type of application made, the information you provided will be stored in one or more Personal Information Banks (PIB) pursuant to section 10(1) of Canada's *Privacy Act*. Individuals also have a right to protection and access to their personal information stored in each corresponding PIB under the *Access to Information Act*. Further details on the PIBs pertaining to CIC's line of business and services and the Government of Canada's access to information and privacy programs are available at the Infosource website (<a href="http://infosource.gc.ca">http://infosource.gc.ca</a>) and through the CIC Call Centre. Infosource is also available at public libraries across Canada.

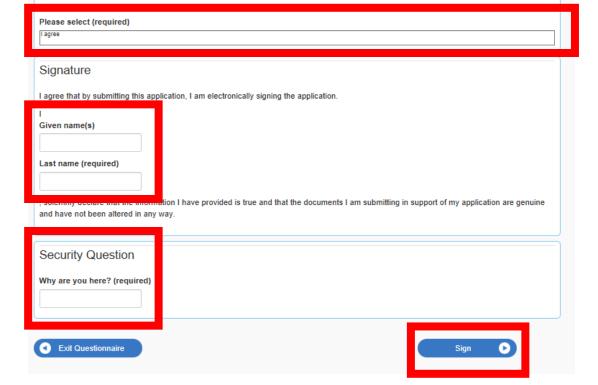
#### Declaration of Applicant

I have read and understand the above declaration.

I declare that the information I have given in this application is truthful, complete and correct.

I understand that misrepresentation is an offence under section 127 of the Immigration and Refugee Protection Act and may result in a finding of inadmissibility to Canada or removal from Canada.

I agree that by typing my name and clicking sign, I am electronically signing my application.

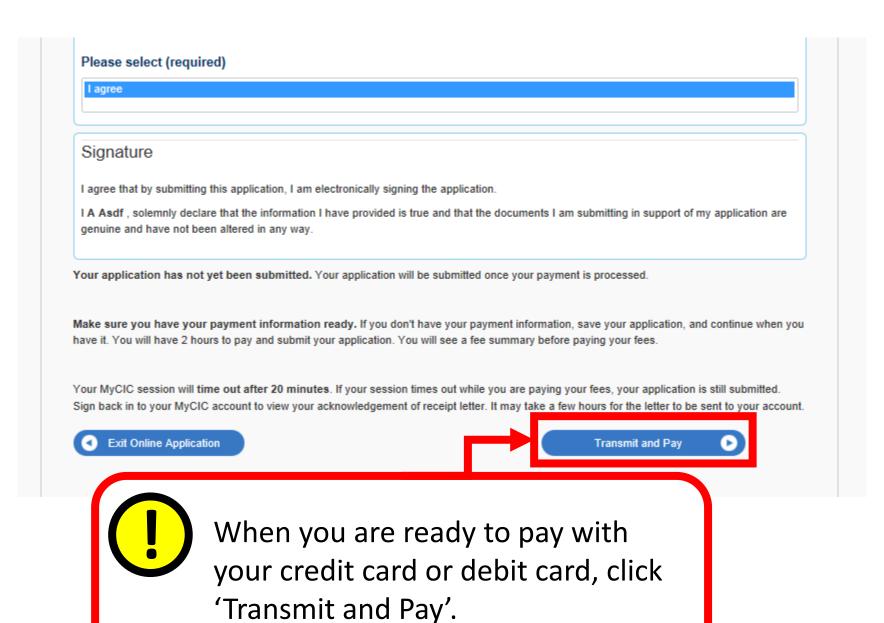




You will need to:

- 1) Click 'I agree'
- 2) Complete the name and security questions sections
- 3) Click the 'Sign' Button









### **Summary of Fees**

#### **Summary of Fees for Test Account**

This table is a summary of your fees based on what you have applied for in your application. All fees are listed in Canadian dollars (CAD).

Application	Quantity	Price (CAD) per unit	Total (CAD)
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Total Price (CAD)

\$

#### THIS IS NOT A RECEIPT

You will be redirected to a different site to pay your fees. You have 2 hours to complete your payment. If you can't proceed with your payment right now, select "transmit and pay", and then select "cancel transaction". Do not close your browser to exit.

Vow MvCIC accessor will time out offee 20 minutes. If your session times out while you are paying your fees, your application is still submitted.

cknowledgement of receipt letter. It may take a few hours for the letter to be sent to your account.

Click 'Transmit and Pay' again.

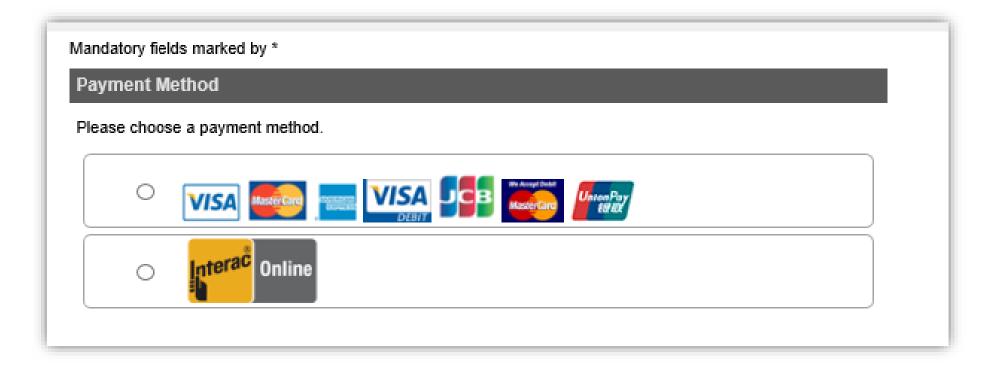


In decision will be made based on your answers. If you choose to apply, your application will be considered by an immigration act, without regard to any outcome you attain through this questionnaire. Read full notice





## Complete your payment here. Make sure you save a copy of your receipt!!!





## Additional Information

- Check how long it will take for CIC to send your Study Permit:
  - <a href="http://www.cic.gc.ca/english/information/times/temp.asp">http://www.cic.gc.ca/english/information/times/temp.asp</a>
- Once you have your new permit in-hand, make sure you update your Electronic Travel Authorization (eTA) or Temporary Resident Visa (TRV). To find out which one you need, you can visit the following link:
  - http://www.cic.gc.ca/english/visit/visas.asp







Congratulations...

# You're Done!

