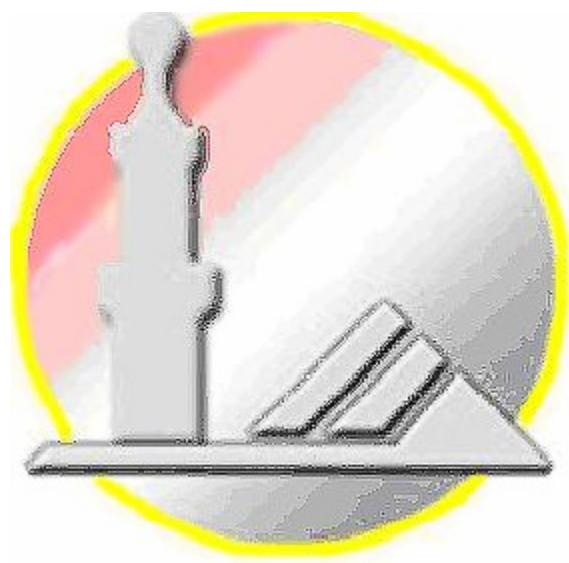


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## Working in Canada

### 1. WORKING ON CAMPUS

Current immigration regulations allow registered full-time students with valid Study Permits to accept on-campus employment without a Work Permit.

All students are required to show proof that they have sufficient financial support for the duration of their studies prior to receiving their Study Permit, without relying on this anticipated income.

### 2. WORKING OFF CAMPUS

By the time, the international students will be permitted to file an application for a Work Permit that will allow them to work off campus for the duration of their valid Study Permit.

There are two important eligibility criteria that must be strictly adhered to:

- applicants must maintain full-time status and satisfactory academic standing. (Failure to follow this rule will result in the cancellation of the Work Permit.)

More details on eligibility and application procedures will be on the Web site of immigration authorities.

### 3. INTERNSHIPS

Some academic programs at some university have work experience as part of the curriculum and international students enrolled in these programs must apply for a Work Permit. ISS and your placement advisor will guide you through this process when the time comes.

It is important to note that employment must be a mandatory part of your program in order to qualify for a Work Permit.

### 4. POST-GRADUATE CASES

Students who have completed a degree from a Canadian post-secondary institution and hold a valid Study Permit may apply for a Work Permit to work for a period of twelve months after their degree has been granted.

The goal of this program is to add work experience to the academic degree obtained in Canada.

### NOTE:

If you want to seek employment during your studies, You must apply for the CAQ and the Study Permit before coming to Canada.

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