



We want you TO JOIN OUR BOARD OF DIRECTORS!

HOW YOU CAN MAKE AN IMPACT

By joining our Board of Directors, you will be part of an organization that seeks to improve the lived experience of newcomers to Canada by focusing on directing and protecting the organization in the key areas of planning and evaluation, financial and HR stewardship, risk management and community relations.

The current strategic priorities of ISGW are:

- Grow the reach of current programs and services
- Strive to fill the community gaps in services available to immigrants and new Canadians
- Celebrate diversity, equity, and inclusion
- Create a solid foundation for growth, development and engagement for staff and volunteers throughout ISGW



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ABOUT US

Immigrant Services Guelph-Wellington was established in 1978 as the primary settlement agency serving Guelph. We offer a variety of programs that assist newcomers with their settlement journey including orientation and referral, language assessment, assistance finding a job and a myriad of leisure and educational programs to help clients stay connected and engaged.

OUR MISSION: to support newcomers and new Canadians on their journey of adaptation and integration into their new communities

OUR VISION: to see empowered newcomers contributing to our community.

WHAT WE'RE LOOKING FOR

We are committed to ensuring representation on our Board that is consistent with the communities we serve. Based on the current Board composition, in terms of skills, expertise, demographics and lived experience, we welcome a wider range of perspectives to ensure a more diverse set of voices at our table. Although applications will be accepted from all interested individuals, we particularly welcome applications from those who bring any of the following perspectives to their work:

- Seniors or individuals over 55 years of age
- Men (including cis, trans, non-binary intersex, non-binary, or gender diverse)
- Individuals who identify as 2SLGBTQ+
- Individuals with a lived or shared experience as an immigrant
- People living and/or working in Wellington and Dufferin County
- Skills/experience in marketing, advocacy, or risk management.

Individuals without board experience are welcome to apply. Training and mentorship is available.



For more information please contact us by email at: fhabte@is-gw.ca

