**Canadian Employment Connections (CEC)**

**Pre-Arrival Services for Internationally Trained Professionals**

**September 2020**

**Snap Shot of Clients Currently Enrolled in the Program**

(clients arriving September 2020 to February 2021)

Currently, there are close to 500 clients enrolled in the program since April 2020

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| **By Sector** | **Total Number** | **Percentage** |
| Engineering | 99 | 22% |
| Finance | 162 | 35% |
| Human Resources | 42 | 9% |
| Leadership/IT | 57 | 13% |
| Sales & Marketing | 69 | 15% |
| Supply Chain | 27 | 6% |

**From the following countries:**

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| * Albania * Algeria * Argentina * Australia * Azerbaijan * Bahrain * Bangladesh * Brazil * Burkina Faso * China | * Colombia * Egypt * Ethiopia * France * Germany * Ghana * Hungary * India * Iran * Iraq | * Japan * Jordan * Kuwait * Lebanon * Malaysia * Mali * Morocco * Nigeria * Oman * Pakistan | * Philippines * Poland * Qatar * Russia * Rwanda * Saudi Arabia * Senegal * Singapore * Slovakia * South Africa | * Sri Lanka * Sudan * The Bahamas * Trinidad & Tobago * Tunisia * Turkey * United Arab Emirates * United Kingdom * Ukraine * United States of America * Vietnam |

**All Internationally Trained Professionals:**

* Have been approved to work in Canada and are landing with Permanent Residency status
* Have conducted language assessments and scored above Level 8 on the Canadian English Benchmarks (equivalent to IELTS 6.5)
* Have had their credentials assessed comparative to a Canadian university (through World Education Services – an International Credential Evaluation agency) – majority of clients have a minimum of a Master’s degree
* Have been trained in Canadian Business Communication and what to expect in the Canadian workplace by CEC