



Using a Registered Immigration Consultant or a Lawyer



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It is your decision whether or not to use an immigration consultant, lawyer, Québec notary or paralegal regulated by a law society. No immigration representative has special access to CIC programs and services and no one can guarantee you a visa. Your application will not be given special attention or guaranteed approval if you use one.

If you choose to use a representative, find out about the two types of paid immigration representatives:

Immigration consultants provide services to individuals seeking help to navigate immigration issues in Canada. This includes obtaining advice or assistance with permanent residence applications, temporary residence and visa applications, or refugee claims. Immigration consultants are accountable to ICCRC (Immigration Consultants of Canada Regulatory Council) and are required to abide by strict ethical and professional rules that are designed to protect consumers.

Lawyers who belong to a Canadian provincial or territorial law society can also provide services.

When to use a Registered Immigration Consultant at GV Vancouver:

- 1. you are a new student at GV Vancouver and not sure of your status in Canada**
- 2. you are a student extending your stay in Canada and applying for a co-op work permit**
- 3. your Study or Temporary Resident permit has expired or has almost expired**
- 4. your passport has expired or has almost expired**
- 5. you are planning a trip outside of the country in the next few months and your study permit is about to expire in less than 90 days**
- 6. you want to change your immigration status in Canada**
- 7. you want to invite your family members to visit you in Canada**
- 8. you are considering permanent residence in Canada**

To protect your privacy, CIC will not share any of your personal information with your consultant, lawyer, and other representative unless you provide your written consent on the [Use of a Representative \(IMM 5476\)](#) form.

Need more advice or help with your application?

*Please email our Regulated Canadian Immigration Consultant, Agata Rebisz, located at **Global Village Vancouver**, 888 Cambie Street, and arrange for consultation in person or by phone, skype or email. arebisz@gvenglish.com*

*The consultation charge is **CND \$70.00 + 5% GST tax per 30 minutes (minimum charge).***

*A rebate of up to **CND \$125** will be applied to the registration fee if the client enrolls in courses at **GV Vancouver**.*



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