

International Qualifications Assessment Services (IQAS)

What is IQAS?

IQAS is an Alberta government service that compares educational qualifications from other countries to Canadian educational standards.

Clients include: individuals, employers, Canadian educational institutions, professional licensing bodies, organizations and other provinces.

How can IQAS help you?

IQAS can help individuals obtain recognition for the education received outside of Canada.

Immigrants

IQAS reviews education credentials and provides an assessment certificate to help plan a career path in Alberta. IQAS certificates may help a person gain employment, gain membership in professional licencing bodies and gain admission to post-secondary institutions.

Employers and HR professionals

IQAS verifies diplomas and degrees from outside Canada to assist in understanding how an applicant's training relates to the job, facilitating more effective hiring decisions.

Post-secondary institutions and professional regulatory bodies

IQAS reviews education credentials and programs from countries around the world to give a comprehensive overview of how they relate to Alberta educational standards.

What kinds of assessments are offered?

Basic

Provides general evaluation that gives the level of education achieved outside Canada and compares it to educational credentials in Canada. Cost \$100

Description of Course Work

Provides the same information as a basic assessment and also includes a listing of course work and associated credits earned in the specific subject areas. Cost \$200

Assessment for Educational Institution

Assesses previous education (secondary and post-secondary) to identify courses and grades required for admission into specific post-secondary educational institutions. Cost \$100

Visit the website to see how IQAS can help you.

www.albertacanada.com/iqas

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