

***Thinking About Employing Foreign Workers?  
Then you'll want to attend the:  
"Foreign Worker Programs Information Session"***

**Charlottetown Session**

**Tuesday, March 26, 2019**

**Charlottetown Inn & Conference Centre, 238 Grafton Street, Charlottetown**

**9:30 am – 3:00 pm**

**AGENDA**

- 9:30 – 10:15**      **PEI Immigration Pathways - Mary Hunter, PEI Office of Immigration**
- What requires a Labour Market Impact Assessment (LMIA)
  - Opportunities to employ Foreign Nationals without a LMIA
  - How to get a work permit
  - How to apply, who to contact, what are the steps?
- 10:15 – 11:15**      **Temporary Foreign Worker Program (including the Seasonal Agriculture Worker Program, SAWP) – Sandra O’Neil, Service Canada**
- Overview of Programs
  - Explanation of LMIA Process
- 11:15 – 12:00**      **Preparing Your Business for Hiring Foreign Workers - Wade Bryanton & Mike Carruthers**
- Producer perspectives on the intricacies of applying for a LMIA.
- 12:00 – 12:45**      **Lunch**
- 1:00 – 1:30**      **Employer Compliance – Carol Edwards, Service Canada**
- Assisting employers to meet the Regulations
- 1:30 – 2:15**      **Working Across Cultures - Lisa Dollar, PEI Association for Newcomers to Canada**
- As more immigrants join the workforce, it is paramount that we work effectively across cultures. This presentation will highlight the importance of building intercultural skills so that employers can harness the enormous potential that comes from our differences.
- 2:15 – 3:00**      **Employer/Service Canada Panel Discussion – Participants to be confirmed**

**Registration Fee is \$20.00**

**Please pre-register with Tara Murphy [tmurphy@gov.pe.ca](mailto:tmurphy@gov.pe.ca) (902) 569-7611  
to ensure your spot by March 19, 2019**

