

Connecting to Careers in Agricultural Technology within Vertical Farming

Are you a jobseeker looking to enter a new sector? A mid-career worker looking to gain new skills? Or an employer looking for upskilling opportunities for your employees?

ACCES Employment, in partnership with Upskill Canada (powered by Palette Skills) and the Government of Canada, presents our new program, Connecting to Careers in Agricultural Technology within Vertical Farming. This 16-week program is designed to equip you with the skills and knowledge needed to thrive in this dynamic industry.



Canada's controlled-environment agriculture (CEA) market is forecasted to increase its revenues by 20.9 % compound annual growth rate by 2033. Agrifood-tech ventures secured CAD 4.1 billion between 2014 and 2024, growing 8.4 % annually.

Program Benefits



Immersive Training: 16-week instructor-led program combines theory and practical learning, featuring live online classes and workshops, followed by hands-on experience at vertical farms. Graduates earn five Humber Polytechnic micro-credentials aligned with key industry roles.



Industry Exposure: Participants tackle real industry challenges through collaborative group projects at local indoor farming operations, equipping them with the practical skills needed for success in the sector.



Career Support: Customized employment services to prep candidates to job search, including developing their personal brand, networking, interviewing, and social media profiling.



Future proofing: Participate in pre-scheduled online workshops designed to future-proof your career by building essential workplace communication, critical thinking, and growth mindset skills—core strengths valued by employers.



Employer Connections: Benefit from direct connections with industry employers, gaining insight into hiring expectations and expanding your professional network.



Personalized Coaching Support: Flexible one-on-one online coaching sessions tailored to participants' individual goals, challenges, and learning needs—ensuring participants get the support they need to succeed.



Fully Funded Training: This fully funded program is supported by Upskill Canada and the Government of Canada, allowing you to participate at no financial cost.

Program Eligibility



Eligible to work in Canada



OSSD or equivalent



Minimum three years of paid or volunteer work experience



Keen interest in launching or advancing your career in the agricultural technology sector



Aptitude in math and science



Proficiency in Microsoft Office and web applications



Strong verbal and written communication skills (equivalent to CLB 7)



Self-motivated with strong goal setting, critical thinking, and problem-solving skills

For more program information, visit us online:



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You belong in a career that aligns with your interests and abilities. ACCES will provide you with the support, coaching, and connections you need to realize your full potential and make a lasting impact.

56,000+

JOBSEEKERS HELPED
EACH YEAR

5,200+

EMPLOYERS IN OUR NETWORK
FOR YOU TO CONNECT WITH

39+

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professionals in finding work
in their field. Call or visit any of
our locations to meet with an
Employment Consultant who
will help you get started. No
appointment is required



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