



# APPRENTICESHIP SERVICES PROGRAM

**RUPERTSLAND INSTITUTE HAS RECEIVED FUNDING FROM THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT TO PROVIDE INCENTIVES TO SMALL AND MEDIUM SIZED ENTERPRISES HIRING FIRST-YEAR APPRENTICES.**

By 2028, it is expected that about 700,000 skilled trades workers across Canada will retire. The goal of the Apprenticeship Service Program is to support the creation of more than 25,000 new apprentice positions in skilled trades across Canada.

With funding by Employment and Social Development Canada, Rupertsland Institute has launched the Apprenticeship Service Program to support employers and inspiring trades workers by creating apprenticeship opportunities for individuals who self-identify as Métis, First Nations, and/or women (gender).

As part of the Apprenticeship Services Program, Rupertsland Institute has received funding from the federal government to provide financial incentives for employers to connect and hire skilled trades workers in Alberta.

Through this funding, Rupertsland Institute will target up to 150 new, first-year Red Seal apprentices per year.

Applications are now being accepted for both employers and first-year apprentices who are looking to get involved in the Apprenticeship Services Program.

Visit [www.rupertsland.org/apprenticeship-services](http://www.rupertsland.org/apprenticeship-services) to learn more about the application criteria for employers and apprentices and to apply.

If you know someone who is a good candidate for the Apprenticeship Services Program, share this email or information to support them on their career path.



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