

# Innovation Canada

Everything Government has to offer business in Canada, all in one place

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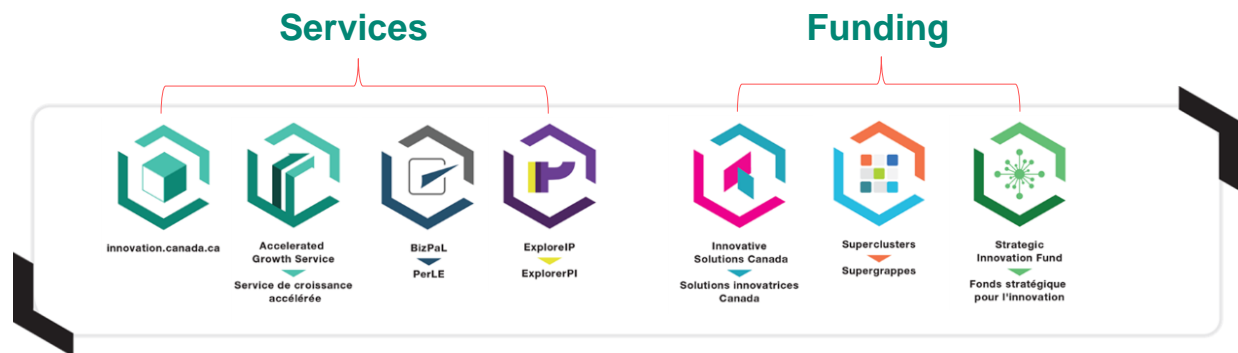
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## We back innovators

From funding to expert advice to driving new collaborations, **Innovation Canada's programs** provide funding, support and services to Canadian entrepreneurs.



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## Connecting Businesses to Programs and Services



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### Business Benefits Finder

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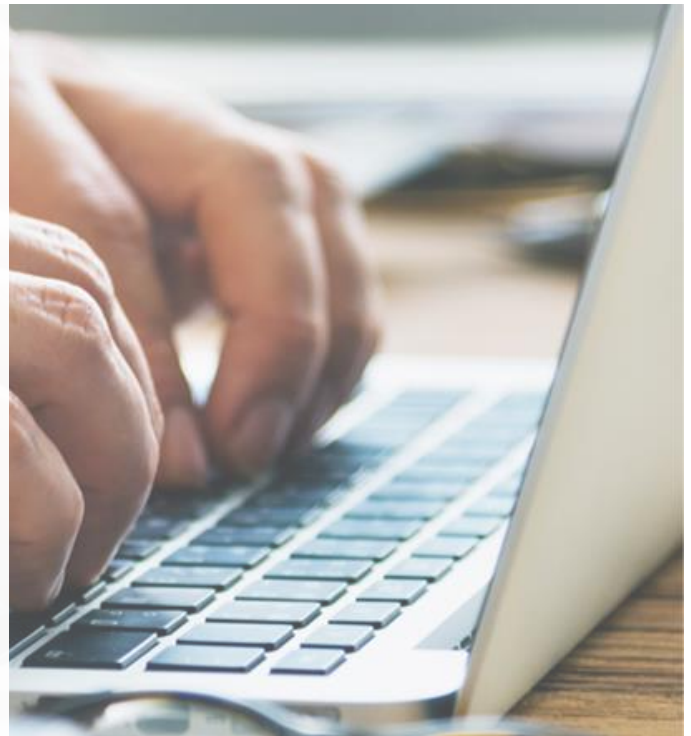
Get a **tailored list of the *right* support for your business**

- COVID supports
- hundreds of existing programs offering funding, wage subsidies, loans, tax credits, expert advice and more

#### Stay up to date with notifications

Be notified of:

- new programs
- program changes
- application deadlines coming up



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You can also find financial help for yourself

### Business Benefits Finder

Find the right programs and services, whether you're starting out or scaling up.

We just need a few details to find your best matches. Tell us your story.

I'm looking for all government support for my business. For support due to COVID-19, I need to keep my employees paid. And, for other support, I need funding, loans and ca.. I'm looking for up to \$250,000. My main goal is to conduct R&D, innova.

Tell us a little about your project.

I've got plans in the agribusiness space and I'm at the any stage of my project.

Got it.

Now, tell us about your company or organization.

We're in Ontario (Southern/Eastern) and in the business of manufacturing, more specifically metal and metal prod.

We have 4 employees, we are incorporated and for-profit, and we're looking for programs that support businesses owned by Canadians.

Finally, show me only programs accept.

Done!

See your results

## Help businesses find support

- Answer a few questions.
- The business benefits will search hundreds of federal, provincial and territorial programs and services, including more than 160 COVID-specific programs.
- Receive a tailored list of filtered results.

All in less than 2 minutes.

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## The Notifications Feature

Based on your story, here's what we can do to help you.

I'm looking for all government support for my business. For support due to COVID-19, I need to keep my employees paid. And, for other support, I need tax credits. My main goal is to increase productivity, quality, safety or effci.. We're in Ontario, specifically in the Southern/Eastern region, and in the business of manufacturing, more specifically textiles and clothing. It's a Canadian owned business. We have 3 employees, we are incorporated and for-profit.

Save

Sign in to save stories and sign up for update notifications.

### COVID-19 support (7 Results)

Programs and services for your business

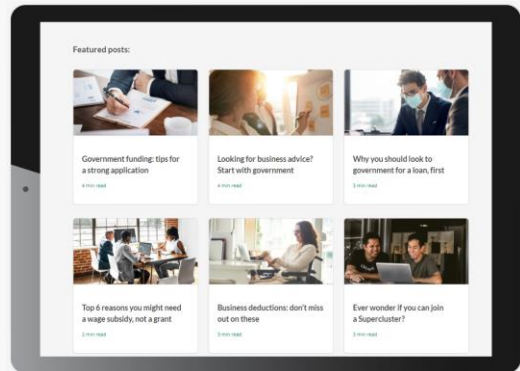
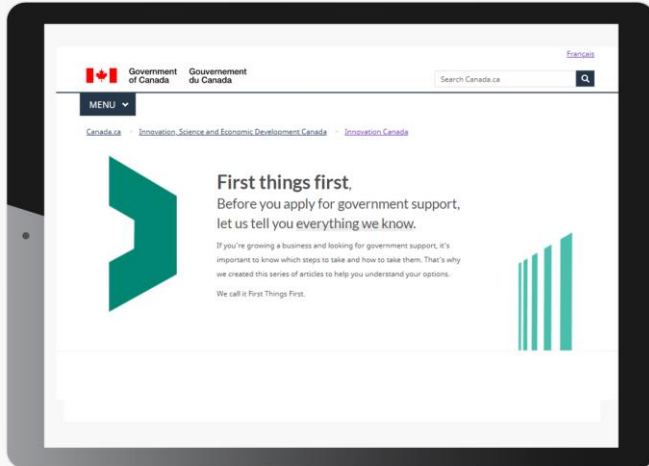
To help you weather the storm.

- Canada Emergency Wage Subsidy: Help to keep your employees on payroll
- Canada Emergency Response Benefit (CERB): Income support for full time, contract or self-employed workers
- Enhanced Work-Sharing program: Support for businesses to avoid layoffs
- Temporary Wage Subsidy for Employers: Reduce the amount of payroll deductions you remit to CRA

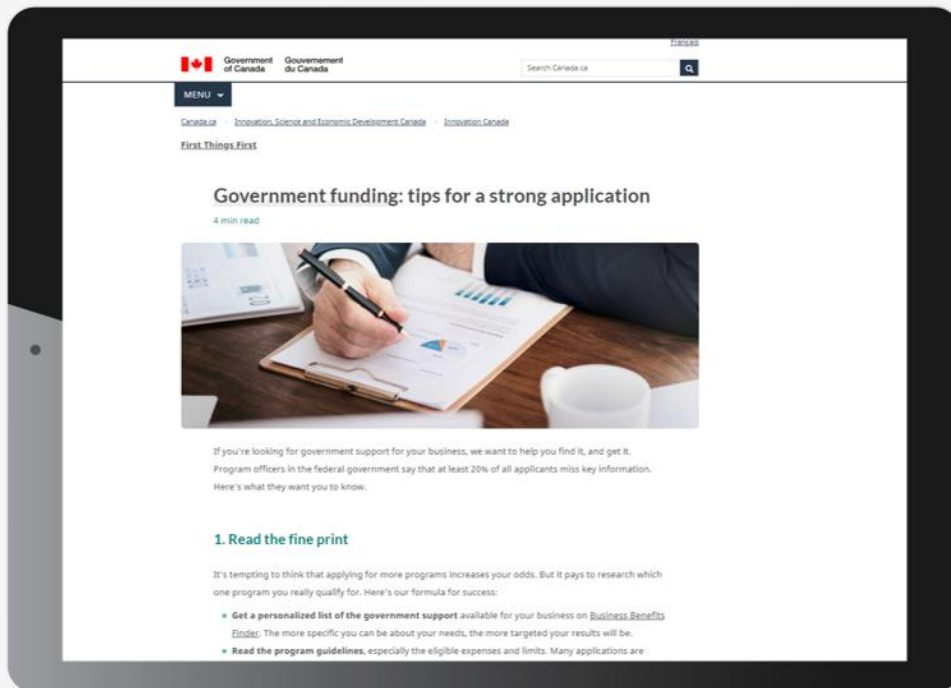
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# First things first

A series of articles that helps businesses get the information they need to succeed.



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## Innovation Advisors Across Canada

\*As of July 6 2021



## Innovation Advisors

- Entrepreneurs and former private-sector executives with extensive networks
- **Experience and expertise** in a wide range of industrial sectors



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## How Innovation Advisors can help

- Personalized approach to help businesses find the right programs, at the right time
- Help businesses navigate the government landscape
- Help connect businesses with the right people and programs to provide support, advice, and more

- Advice
- Expertise
- Connections



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## Accelerated Growth Service (AGS)



- High-growth companies are the key drivers of Canada's economy.
- AGS was designed specifically to support high growth companies.
- AGS helps firms more easily and quickly access key government services, such as financing, exporting, innovation and business advice.

▪ "I look at AGS as having my own government account team ... there to help us with roadblocks and answer any questions."

— Norma Bitt, CEO  
Augusta

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## Our network

We work closely with **70+ partners** at various levels of government.



Global Affairs  
Canada

Affaires mondiales  
Canada

- Business Development Bank of Canada (BDC)
- Export Development Canada (EDC)
- Trade Commissioner Service (TCS)
- Industrial Research Assistance Program (IRAP)
- FedDev Ontario
- FedNor
- Western Economic Diversification Canada (WD)
- Atlantic Canada Opportunities Agency (ACOA)
- Canada Economic Development for Quebec Regions (CED)
- CanNor
- And many other partners, both external and within government

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## Canada Supports (Life Science) Entrepreneurs

- [Canada's Biomanufacturing and Life Sciences Strategy](#)
- [National Research Council – Industrial Research Assistance Program \(NRC-IRAP\)](#)
- [Scientific Research & Experimental Development \(SR&ED\) Tax Incentive Program](#)
- [Jobs and Growth Fund](#) (interest free loans)
- [Futurpreneur](#) (loans for entrepreneurs under 40)
- [Mitacs](#) (student internships)
- [CanExport Innovation](#) (funding for R&D partnerships and investment)
- [Start-up Visa Program](#) (supporting founders)
- [Innovative Solutions Canada](#) (procurement based funding)
- [CAN Health Network](#) (test your innovation with users)
- Find more supports using the Business Benefits Finder!

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