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Title of Workshop: The Labour Market Performance of Immigrants in Canada: A Provincial Perspective.

Theme: Economic and Labour Market Integration
Format of Workshop: Workshop

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Title/Theme of presentation: Présence des immigrants de la catégorie des "travailleurs qualifiés" au programme d'aide sociale: Échec ou transition dans le processus d'intégration ?

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Abstract

Differential labour market performance by province may be the result of a number of socio-demographic and other factors. These are key issues that must be investigated in order to understand differences in labour market performance across provinces.

Summary

This workshop will examine labour market indicators from the Labour Force Survey (LFS) and the Longitudinal Immigration Database (IMDB) to show the relative performance of immigrants across provinces and to the native-born population. The main focus of the presentations will be to highlight the variations across provinces and shed some insight to why these differences are evident with special emphasis on the labour market performance of immigrants residing in Quebec.