



August 21, 2025

Workshops: Performance Appraisals

From obligation to tool for growth & engagement

This interactive session led by Bruce Joshua of [Capstan Consulting](#) will challenge outdated practices and empower leaders to build meaningful connections that engage employees and foster a culture of development. Each Rural Action Centre will host a session. [Reserve your spot](#) in the location nearest you.

Youth on Board

The Youth-on-Board Program is an opportunity for **25 rural PEI high-school students** to be part of a rural non-profit board. Participating youth and non-profits will be paid an honorarium based on the number of meetings attended by youth. Applications will be accepted until **Friday August 29, 2025**. Find more information and apply online [HERE](#).

Help create a Sense of Belonging

Individuals and any not-for-profit entity including schools and municipalities can apply now to the [GEDI program](#) for funding to help make PEI a place where everyone feels welcome and included. The program supports initiatives that celebrate different cultures and backgrounds and help remove obstacles that make it hard for some people to fully take part in life on the Island. The deadline to apply is midnight **September 24, 2025**. Find the guidelines [HERE](#).

Hiring Foreign Talent: Employer Information Sessions

In the month of September, the Community Navigators are hosting a series of information sessions across the province to help employers navigate PEI'S new rules and immigration pathways. Check our [Training & Event Schedule](#) for dates, times and registration details.

New Fall Training Sessions

Whether you want to brush up on your digital design skills at a virtual [Canva Basics workshop](#), jump into the Nuts & Bolts of [Performance Appraisals](#) in a half-day in-person session at the Rural Action Centre nearest you, take part in the popular **business plan workshop series**, or get certified in Emergency First Aid, Rural Action Centres offer a variety of workshops that will help you succeed in operating your business or not-for-profit organization.

September 4, 11, 18 & 25	Business Plan Workshop Series	Montague
September 9	Canva Basics	Online
September 15	Hiring Foreign Talent	Alberton
September 16	Performance Appraisals Workshop	Wellington
September 17	Basic Emergency First Aid	Montague
September 17	Performance Appraisal Workshop	Alberton
September 17	Hiring Foreign Talent	Souris
September 18	Performance Appraisal Workshop	Montague

Did you know? [Self-Employ PEI](#) provides financial support and business counselling to new entrepreneurs in their first year of operation? The first step is to attend a virtual information session offered every week by [Skills PEI](#). Check it out and [REGISTER](#) today.

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