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From: Immigration Representatives / Représentants immigration (IRCC)
Sent: Tue, 15 Apr 2025 19:30:03
To:
Cc: Immigration Representatives / Représentants immigration (IRCC)
Subject: FW: PGWP Length and eligibility - REP-B-2025-0307 - Due 7-May-25
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Good day,
[redacted] **Immigration Representatives Mailbox.**
Please note that this mailbox is intended for general guidance and does not provide responses to case-specific inquiries but have provided the following information as guidance. If you have case specific questions about a file, you are encouraged to submit the IRCC Web form.
Please see our response to your question.
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If the applicant submitted their application **before November 1, 2024, they do not need to meet the field of study requirements**. Applications submitted after November 1st, 2024, must meet the field of study requirements in order to be eligible for PGWP.

Program stacking is when students complete more than one PGWP-eligible program from a PGWP-eligible DLI. To qualify for program stacking in relation to PGWP duration, all PGWP-eligible programs must

- * be a minimum of 8 months in duration and
- * be completed at a PGWP-eligible DLI within 2 years of the completion of the first program

The onus is always on the applicant to provide sufficient documentation to satisfy an officer that they meet the requirements.

For information on duration of PGWP, please see:

- * Post-graduation work permit (PGWP) [R205(c) - C43] – International Mobility Program - Canada.ca
- * Work in Canada after you graduate: About the post-graduation work permit - Canada.ca

We hope that this information is helpful to you.

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les pièces jointes sauf si vous reconnaissez l'expéditeur et sachez que le contenu est sûr.

Hi there,

If a student has two one-year college programs, and both program study permits were submitted before November 1, 2024, will these two programs count toward the length of their PGWP if an application is made now?

Thank you.

Best regards,