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## ASPECT has moved!

It has been a long summer of preparing to move, but we are finally settled in at our new co-share workspace at TheDock: Centre for Social Impact. Please make note of our new address:

**300 - 722 Cormorant  
Street Victoria, BC  
V8W 1P8**



## CEO Report

*Better Late than Never*

My apologies to those with job postings and those who wait patiently every week for the Aspectives newsletter. With last week's office move, I fell a little behind. Here's our September 29th edition.

[Janet Morris-Read](#)

## Sector News

[OECD raises outlook for Canadian economy this year](#)

CTV News, Sep 20, 2017

[NAFTA: Canada pushes for enforceable, progressive labour standards](#)

Macleans, Sep 26, 2017

[\\$15 minimum wage could cost 90K new jobs, but long-term outlook positive](#)

CBC, Sep 27, 2017

[Alberta is still losing job seekers to other parts of Canada](#)

Global News, Sep 27, 2017

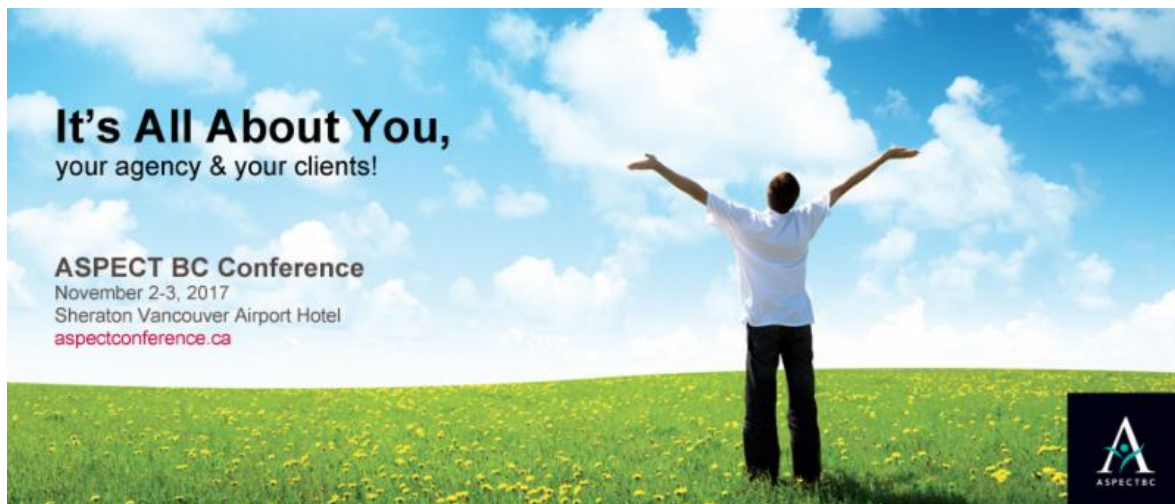
[The plight of Bombardier affects all Canadians](#)

Global News, Sep 28, 2017

[Canada's GDP stall shows housing is becoming drag on the economy](#)

Financial Post, Sep 29, 2017

Register Now!



Please don't forget to [RSVP to Aman Ghag](#) for the Ministry of Advanced Education and Skills Training Pre-Conference Workshop on November 1; the registration deadline is September 29th. Attendance is limited!

*Thank You to Our Lead Conference Sponsors:*



Interested in raising your profile or attracting new staff to your organization? Check out our [sponsorship](#) and [exhibitor](#) opportunities.

## Canada-BC Job Grant

### ***Current Status from the Ministry as of September 27, 2017***

*The Underrepresented stream has reached subscription targets for training start dates between September 1 and December 31, 2017 and is now closed for Intake 2.*

*For Intake 3 for training starting January 1 - March 31, 2018, the Underrepresented stream is approaching subscription targets. Please be advised that applications to Intake 3 received after Wednesday, September 27 may or may not be approved.*

Don't know what any of this means? Have questions about your eligibility or require assistance with your Canada-BC Job Grant application? ASPECT is happy to help: contact us at 250-382-9675.

For Canada-BC Job Grant details and eligibility go to [aspectcanadabcjobgrant.ca](http://aspectcanadabcjobgrant.ca)

## ASPECT Member Agency Job Postings

**This service is available to ASPECT members only. Not a member? [Join us!](#)**

Our [online job posting form](#) has been unreliable with different web browsers. We are working on it! If it doesn't work for you, please send your posting to [info@aspect.bc.ca](mailto:info@aspect.bc.ca). Thank you.

### **Employment and Education Advisor**

Work BC, Mackenzie

Open until filled.

[Click here for details](#)

### **Project Accounting Clerk / Program Assistant**

MOSAIC, Vancouver

Closes: October 9, 2017

[Click here for details](#)

### **Facilitator/Resource Advisor**

Agora Employment Essentials, Vancouver Westside

Closes: October 16, 2017

[Click here for details](#)

### **Facilitator: Female Survivors of Abuse**

Agora Employment Essentials, Chilliwack

Closes: October 23, 2017

[Click here for details](#)

### **Part-Time Support Positions**

Langley Association for Community Living

Open until filled.

[Click here for details](#)

### **Multiple Positions**

Pacific Community Resources Society

[Click here for details](#)

## Professional Development Events

### **Volunteer Futures Symposium 2017**

October 4 & 5, 2017

Richmond, BC

[Click for details.](#)

### **MOSAIC Immigrant Professionals Conference**

Oct 21, 2017

Burnaby, BC

[Click here for details](#)

### **2017 ASPECT BC Conference**

November 2 & 3, 2017

Sheraton Vancouver Airport, Richmond

[Click for details.](#)

### **Customized Employment Training**

Campbell River: [November 6-10, 2017](#)

Delta: [December 4-8, 2017](#)



## ASPECT BC Health Benefits Plan

*Partial proceeds support ASPECT BC and the work we do -- Enrol now!*

The ASPECT Health Benefits program is available to [ASPECT members](#) and is delivered by our partner, Delta Pacific Benefits Brokers.

For more information please contact [Christopher Block](#) directly:

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