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Financial support for international students

Passage's mission is to provide access to life-changing educational and career opportunities. Recognizing Canada's need for the right-fit talent to address labour shortages, especially in critical sectors such as healthcare, trades, and STEM, Passage has raised C\$40M funding (The Globe and Mail article.) to attract the right-fit international talent by providing financial support for tuition and living costs. Passage-funded students, who meet rigorous admission and credit criteria and undergo ID verification, are enrolled in programs aligned with job market demands and immigration policies, ensuring they are well-prepared to contribute to Canada's economy. Learn more about Passage.

One of the institutions that Passage has partnered with for this funding opportunity is George Brown College. Learn more /

Passage is also dedicated to philanthropy. Passage's Afghan Program is devoted to empowering Afghan women to pursue higher education at Canadian universities and colleges, or advance their careers. Our goal is to support up to 100 Afghan women in 2024 and more in the following years. Passage provides funding for eligible candidates, and the details of their philanthropic funding will also be included in a Passage Pass. Learn more



Watch the launch of Passage at the Collision Conference, following the announcement by the Minister of IRCC at the time, Sean Fraser.

Passage Pass: the Proof of Financial Support that Passage provides

Each student receiving funding through Passage is issued a "Passage Pass," which details the financial support provided for their tuition and living costs in Canada. Mostly, Passage covers the tuition fees for the entire duration of studies as well as C\$20,635 to cover their living cost for the first year. All fund sources are within Canada from Passage, with tuition fees disbursed directly to the educational institutions and living costs disbursed monthly to the students' Canadian bank account. The Passage Pass is verifiable. Officers can view the original digital document by clicking the link, or scanning the QR code provided in the document. For any additional questions regarding the funding details, IRCC officers can contact us at support@passage.com.