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ISSofBC New West makes a move



ISSofBC New Westminster packed up its operations this November and moved locations to Royal City Centre at 280-610 Sixth Street.

Along with improving access to ISSofBC for many New Westminster clients currently settling in the Uptown district, this move also places the organization in greater proximity to services frequently sought by clients.

"Our visibility for clients is much greater here in the service hub of New Westminster and many students commented the new location was closer to

their homes and easy to get to," said Maliha Mayeed, evening Program Assistant for LINC in New Westminster.

The new location officially opened Monday, November 24.

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Hockey night in Coquitlam for ISSofBC newcomers

What is an offside, a power play and the penalty box? These were some of the questions answered during a Hockey 101 class and multicultural hockey night hosted by ISSofBC.

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Sony studios interviews ISSofBC clients

Sony Pictures Imageworks, a top visual effects and animation studio, visited ISSofBC to provide an in-depth look at the recruitment process involved in working in their Vancouver studio.

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MY Circle Transitions training begins in New Year

ISSofBC is running its second MY Circle Transitions training from January 17 to March 7, 2015 in Vancouver. MY Circle Transitions equips young participants with advanced facilitation skills.

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Volunteer Connections – Over 1000 active ISSoBC volunteers contribute 45,000 hours each year in helping to build and connect a vibrant community. While all are appreciated for their contributions, Volunteer Connections staff have chosen five for the month of December as "Volunteers of the Month." – [Read more](#)

New Welcome House – The focus of the first four months of construction has been "the hole" – not very exciting but absolutely necessary. The next phase of construction, beginning in late November–early December, will be the first floor. The site will take on a completely different feel over the next five months as each floor is added to the final building structure – a four and six storey building. – [Read more](#)

Employer Solutions – ISSoBC hosted a Hiring Fair for two employers: Arc'teryx Equipment Inc. and Pizza Hut on Nov. 27 at Metropolis at Metrotown. About 100 job seekers joined the fair. Most of them obtained interviews on site and nine were hired on the spot. – [Read more](#)

ISSoBC Blog – Gwen Pawlikowski explains in this week's blog posting how to highlight the most relevant skills and talents on your resume to provide the most effective application to potential employers. – [Read more](#)

Upcoming events

[Calendar of events](#) – Career fairs, employment workshops, life skills and much, much more. This is the Immigrant Connections' weekly list of events for all your employment and settlement needs.

Various dates and locations.

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