

SCHEDULE 7A - Permanent Residence Pathways for Hong Kong Residents: Stream A - In-Canada Graduates

The principal applicant must complete this application

SECTION 1: PERSONAL INFORMATION:

Family Name: (As shown in your passport)	Given Name(s): (As shown in your passport)
UCI/Client Number:	Date of Birth (YYYY-MM-DD):
SECTION 2: CANADIAN EDUCATIONAL CREDENTIAL:	
In the last 3 years before you apply, have you graduated from a designated learning institution in Canada with:	
a post-secondary degree;	
a post-secondary diploma for a program that is at least two years in length; or	
a graduate or post-graduate credential for a program that is at least one year in length and:	
 the program required you to have a post-secondary degree or diploma as a prerequisite, and you graduated from your post-secondary degree or diploma no more than 5 years before the start of the graduate or post- 	

NOTE: The program of study can have been completed in any field of study, with at **least 50%** of the program completed while physically present in Canada, either in class or online.

SECTION 3: DISCLOSURE:

graduate program

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