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Bar Admission(s): Ontario, 2017; Nova Scotia,
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Brendan advises businesses and individuals on their Canadian immigration path. He guides Canadian and foreign-based organizations on possible routes to bring in foreign workers to fill a labour shortage, to bring in a foreign employee possessing specialized knowledge, or to allow the company to have the necessary personnel in place to fulfill the terms of a contract. Brendan's representation of clients include:

- Providing immigration strategies for businesses needing to bring foreign workers to Canada and to individuals seeking to extend their temporary resident status or seeking permanent residence.
- Assisting employers with Labour-Market Impact Assessment (LMIA) applications, and LMIA-exempt applications and advising them on their resulting obligations.
- Working with individuals to determine their eligibility for temporary residence and to obtain work permits, and visitor visas.
- Providing guidance to individual clients on pathways to permanent residency and assisting them with building these applications.
- Guiding clients with regards to immigration matters being assessed by Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada, Service Canada and Canadian Border Services.

Practice Areas

Immigration

Education & Career

Education

Dalhousie University Schulich School of Law, JD, 2015

Mount Allison University, BA (Honours), 2012

Activities

Member, Canadian Bar Association

Volunteer, Pro Bono Project, Schulich School of Law, 2012

Thought Leadership

2025 immigration challenges

November 18, 2024

Immediate changes to travel eligibility for citizens of Mexico

February 29, 2024

Significant changes announced for new study permit applications

February 06, 2024

Beyond the border: A year end immigration wrap-up

December 21, 2023

Forward focus: Canada's ambitious immigration plan

December 14, 2023

Canada's first-ever Tech Talent Strategy announced

July 12, 2023

Hiring internationally in the film & television industry: 5 things you should know

May 23, 2023

Recent Amendments to the *Prohibition on the Purchase of Residential Property by Non-Canadians Regulations*

April 03, 2023

Prohibition on the Purchase of Residential Property by Non-Canadians

January 04, 2023

Beyond the Border: A Year End Immigration Wrap-Up

December 13, 2022

think: international talent

November 29, 2022

Discovery: Atlantic Education & the Law – Issue 11

November 14, 2022

Attract & Retain: Nova Scotia taps foreign healthcare workers to fill labour shortages

November 10, 2022

Updated employer compliance requirements for employers of foreign workers

October 26, 2022

COVID-19 immigration and travel: where are we now?

September 27, 2022

New Post-Graduate Work Permit Extension Measure Announced

August 19, 2022

HR Best Practices When Employing Foreign Workers

July 29, 2022

Beyond the border: Immigration update – July 2022

July 18, 2022

Discovery: Atlantic Education & the Law – Issue 10

June 24, 2022

Upcoming removal of pre-travel COVID-19 test requirement for fully vaccinated travellers

March 18, 2022

LMIA advertising exemptions

March 02, 2022

LMIA recruitment tracking

February 25, 2022

What the government is doing to continue support for international students

December 02, 2021

Discovery: Atlantic Education & the Law – Issue 09

November 22, 2021

Beyond the border: Immigration update – October 2021

October 20, 2021

Canadian border re-opening: phased approach for fully vaccinated travellers

August 25, 2021

Immigration options for entrepreneurs in Canada

April 26, 2021

New COVID-19 travel & quarantine requirements

March 09, 2021

Beyond the border: Immigration update - January 2020

January 31, 2020

Presentations

“Avoiding and Dealing with a Study Permit Refusal”, Memorial University

“Study Permits: Refusals and Re-Application”, MUN Internationalization Office session

January 18, 2022