

Recognizing Learning 2016 presents

THE CAPLA RPL BOOT CAMP

October 14–15, 2016 • Toronto, Ontario

CAPLA's recognition of prior learning (RPL) Boot Camp is for the brave, strong and disruptive innovator who wants to improve the way we acknowledge learning in Canada!

Can you imagine a better process to recognize and assess transferable skills and competencies? Can you re-think the way you advise immigrants, job-seekers, older workers or adult learners looking for meaningful work and appropriate training in Canada? Can you make time for someone to tell their life and learning story? Can you visualize the impact of assessing a person's knowledge, skills and abilities with greater confidence, reliability and fairness?

If you can answer 'yes' to any of these questions, you may be a Boot Camp cadet so get ready for an intense work-out to ramp up your RPL activities. Your quality-assured 'tools of the RPL trade' will be the Canadian Guiding Principles for Quality RPL Practice, a Six Step Quality RPL process, Self-Audit Checklists and real-life stories from experienced presenters. You can help strengthen Canada's labour force by valuing, assessing and re-deploying people's workplace skills and life experiences in efficient ways, to meet job requirements, industry standards or core competencies. This two-day event is a unique experience for the recognition of prior learning (RPL) in diverse fields, and is about capacity-building, efficiency and quality. Listen to real-life success stories and try out new ideas that will revolutionize your career advising and assessment world.

If you are an immigrant serving organization and work with refugees and immigrants who may not have access to authenticated formal credentials, **this Boot Camp is for you**. If you are an occupational body or academic institution looking for reliable and rigorous ways to assess competencies against occupational or academic standards, **this Boot Camp is for you**. If you are a career development practitioner who provides job search and employment counselling to the unemployed or underemployed in your community, **this Boot Camp is for you**.

Call for Presenters CAPLA is looking for real-life success stories from people who are committed to continuous improvement in the way they recognize prior learning – in counselling and advising roles, as learning assessors, and as system developers and researchers. Each presentation will be 45 minutes in length and will demonstrate the use (or intended use) of practices or processes recommended in the RPL QA MANUAL. If you have a program, activity or system that will contribute to the outcomes of CAPLA's RPL Boot Camp, please [click here](#) to submit a proposal.

Sponsorship CAPLA is looking for individuals and organizations who are interested and committed to RPL. Please consider supporting us as we continue to strengthen RPL in Canada. Contact us at 613-860-1747 or capla@agendamanagers.com to learn more.

Venue We are happy to welcome you to **The Grand Hotel & Suites**, located in downtown Toronto. Call the hotel directly at 1-877-324-7263, and reference CAPLA to take advantage of our preferred conference rate of **\$189**.

Registration Rates starting at **\$499**.

[Click here to register](#).

To purchase your copy of the [RPL QA MANUAL](#) and get program updates, visit CAPLA.ca/conference or call the Conference Secretariat at 1-877-731-1333.



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