

INTERNATIONAL PROJECTS PROFILE

The Nova Scotia Community College (NSCC) www.nscC.ca was established in 1988 as a publicly funded post-secondary institution in the province of Nova Scotia, Canada. NSCC is an applied learning college, working with Nova Scotia's communities, industries and the private sector to promote economic and social development. Full-time, online and customized training programs offered through five academic schools: Access, IT and Creative Industries, Health and Human Services, Business, and Trades and Technology. NSCC collaborates with industry partners to design programs that meet workplace demands and industry standards. NSCC promotes excellence in technical and vocational teaching and learning, recruiting faculty from industry and providing teacher training for an adult learning and applied learning context. Currently, more than 110 programs offered at 13 campuses approximately 11,000 full-time and 15,000 part-time students.



NSCC International (<http://international.nscC.ca/>) provides leadership for NSCC's international activities. This includes working with international partners on technical assistance projects, such as:

- Three Colleges and Institutes of Canada (CiCAN) Improving Skills Training for Employment Program (ISTEP) projects in Tanzania (tourism and tour operations, ecotourism, and enhancing vocational teacher training and online delivery)
- A leadership development project with the Vocational Education Training Authority (VETA) Tanzania (funded by VETA)
- Two Association of Canadian Community College (ACCC – now Colleges and Institutes Canada) Education for Employment (EFE) projects in Mozambique (fisheries) and Tanzania (tourism)
- ACCC Canadian Colleges Partnership Project (CCPP) in Eritrea (TVET training for disadvantaged youth)
- CARICOM EFE project in Grenada (cultural and creative industries)
- CARICOM EFE project in St Kitts and Nevis (agribusiness)
- Andean EFE project in Peru (viticulture and oenology)
- CiCAN pre-technology (TVET access for disadvantaged youth) project in St Vincent and the Grenadines and Dominica (funding from United Kingdom DFID and Government of Canada)
- Caribbean Development Bank Operations Master Plan project for Anguilla Community College
- Caribbean Development Bank Prior Learning Assessment and Recognition

Completed and ongoing international assignments include:

- Teacher training, competency-based education and training (CBET)
- Leadership and management development and training
- Curriculum development for applied learning
- Strategies for building and enhancing employer and industry linkages
- Labour market and training needs assessments, college master planning and strategic planning
- Joint international applied learning program development in cultural and creative industries; entrepreneurship; eco-cultural tourism; tour guiding; tourism and tour operations; viticulture and oenology; pre-technology access programs; and small scale solar power and solar water pump technology
- Information and communication technologies, libraries and e-learning
- Gender mainstreaming in TVET
- Project management, results-based management, and program monitoring and evaluation
- Establishment of innovation and incubation centres and projects for practical hands on learning and enhancement of community and industry connections
- Innovative educational exchanges, experiential learning projects and service learning including the Mikumi Solar Project which was awarded the 2015 Canadian Bureau for International Education (CBIE) Panorama Award for excellence in international education <http://cbie.ca/cbie-announces-winners-2015-excellence-awards/>

More information?

- [NSCC INTERNATIONAL RESULTS REPORT 2015-2016](#)
- [NSCC INTERNATIONAL NEWSLETTERS](#)
- [NSCC INTERNATIONAL BLOG](#)
- [MIKUMI TANZANIA SOLAR WATER PROJECT - VIDEO](#)
- [CREATIVE & CULTURAL INDUSTRIES IN GRENADA- VIDEO](#)

