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## A MESSAGE FROM MAYOR NENSHI

On behalf of my City Council colleagues and the citizens of Calgary, it is my pleasure to welcome you to the International Talent Acquisition Centre (In-TAC) 9<sup>th</sup> Virtual Career Expo.

This expo has become Canada's largest online job fair, with an anticipated 12,000+ registrants from 100+ countries; and 40 top employers with 1500+ job openings spreading across 100+ Canadian cities. In-TAC's Virtual Career Expo provides a digital platform to connect new immigrants with Canadian employment opportunities. In these unprecedented times, never before has the importance of virtual connections been more evident.

Our city - our country - doesn't work without young immigrants coming here to establish their careers and raise families. I commend In-TAC for their continued success which has resulted in many inspiring stories of Newcomers to Canada having new jobs in hand as well as individuals receiving approval from the Government to land in Canada after scheduling and participating in online interviews with potential Canadian employers.

To the skilled professionals taking part in the expo, I hope you will consider building a career and a life in Calgary, as our city has so much to offer.

I wish you all great success and extend a well-deserved congratulations!

Sincerely,

Naheed K. Nenshi

**MAYOR**