# GCTools

Your knowledge at work











GCTools 101

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# The GCTools

### **INTERNAL GC NETWORK**



**GCconnex** gcconnex.gc.ca



**GCpedia** gccpedia.gc.ca



**GCintranet** intranet.canada.ca



**GCdirectory** (GEDS)
Full access
gcdirectory.gc.ca

### **EXTERNAL**



GCcollab gccollab.ca

- GCaccount
  - GCwiki
  - GCmessage



**GCdirectory** (GEDS)

Partial access gcdirectory.gc.ca









The GCTools help the public service achieve its objectives by allowing employees to:

### Work better

Collaborating digitally involves "working out loud," where employees can see and benefit from each others' work.

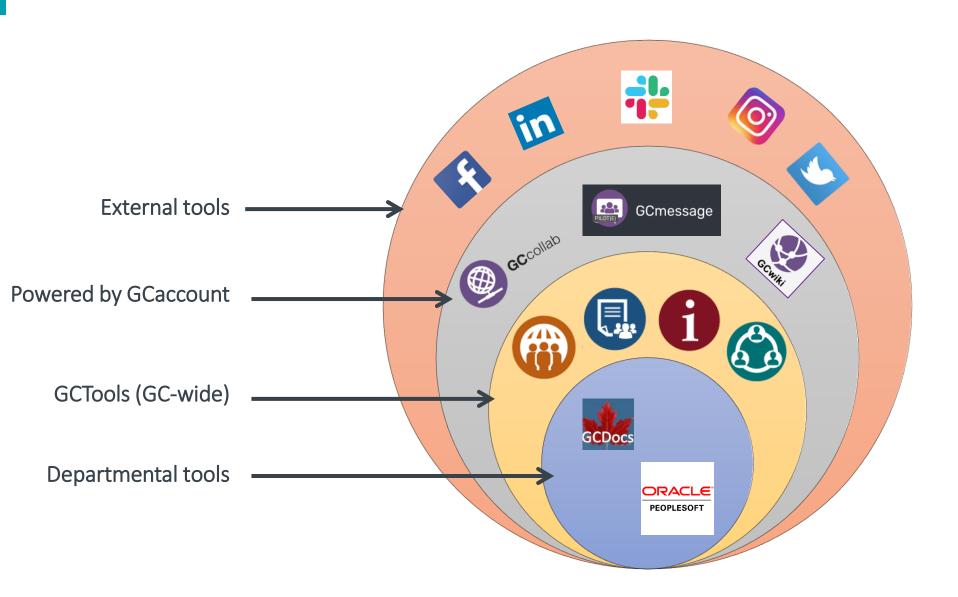
# Learn, share, and find knowledge

Employees across the GC share knowledge, learn and develop their competencies through dialogue.

# Engage employees, and build relationships

Employees identify colleagues with shared interests and find mentors and opportunities based on their competencies.

# Positioning the GCTools



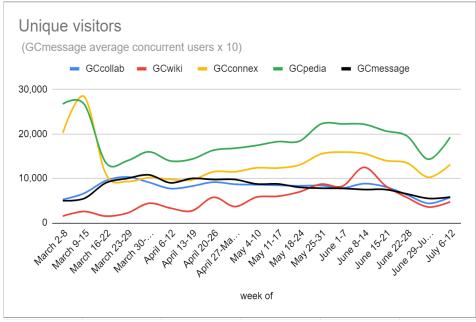
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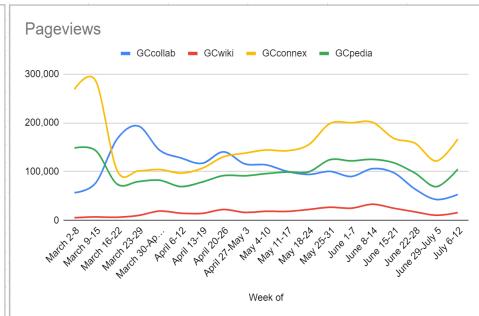


# GCTools during COVID-19



- Many departments limited or restricted their network access to employees performing work deemed essential
- GCcollab, GCmessage, and GCwiki are available outside the network on any device with internet access



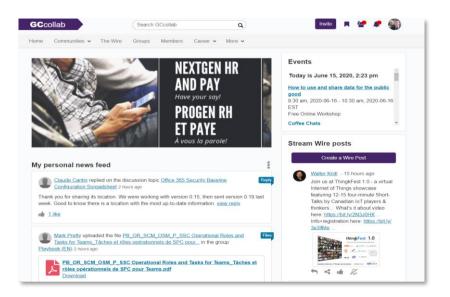


## GCcollab & GCconnex

Same software underpinning; similar functionalities

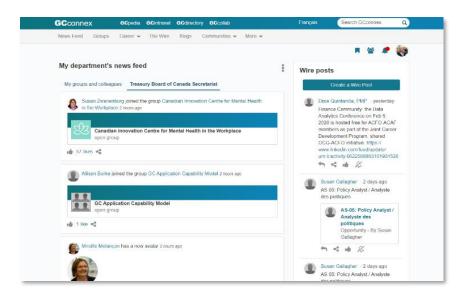
### **GCcollab**

- Fully mobile
  - Access from anywhere, anytime, using any device. You can also download the app.
- Register and contribute as a student or GC employee
- Collaborate within and beyond the GC!



### **GCconnex**

- Internal, GC-only
  - Must be on a Government of Canada device and connected to the internal network.
- Great for creating a profile, joining groups, and participating in discussions with other GC employees



# GCcollab is open to...



Federal, provincial, territorial and municipal public servants



Students and academics from all Canadian universities and colleges



Retired public servants



Not-for-profit organizations



Anyone by invitation

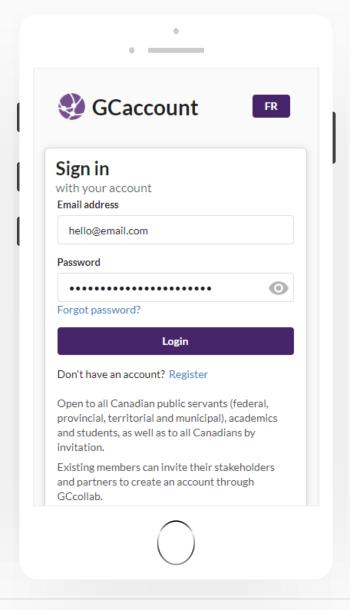


# Main features of GCcollab & GCconnex



# GCcollab





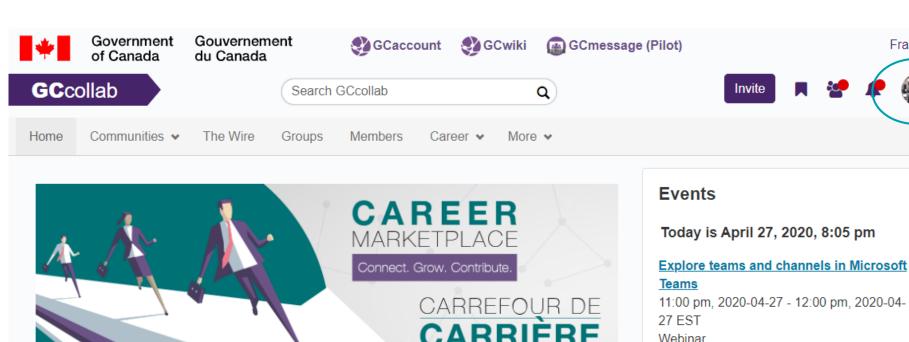
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Dave Sampson published a blog post Dave Sampson's Free Agent Update:

Agents 28 minutes ago

GCMobility Iteration 28 (Launching a Mobility Service) in the group Canada's Free



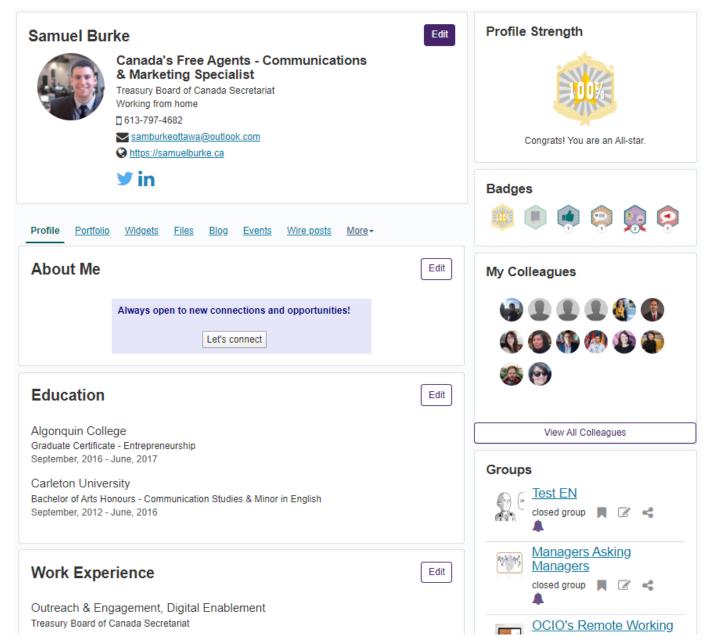
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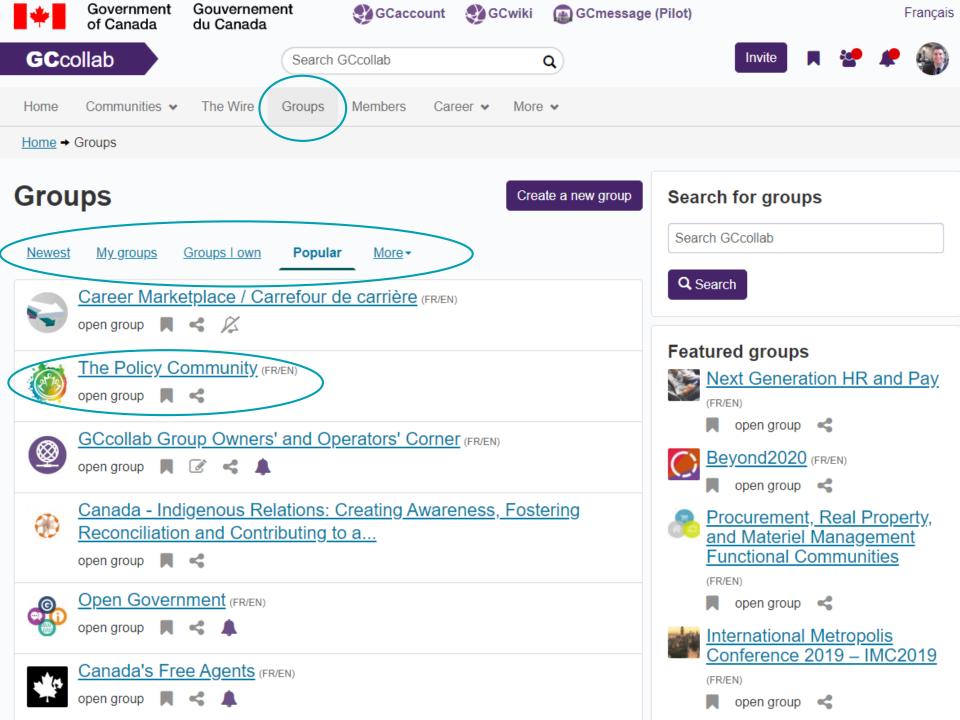
Scan the QR code to go to GCcollab

Blogs



# Your profile







# POLICY COMMUNITY 1-DAY CONFERENCE

THEME: INTEGRATED POLICY COMMUNAUTÉ DES POLITIQUES CONFÉRENCE DE 1 JOURNÉE



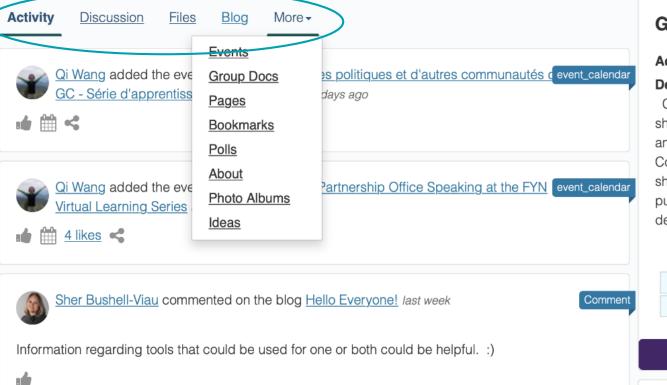
THÈME: POLITIQUES PUBLIQUES INTÉGRÉES











### **Group info**

Access: open group

### Description

Connect and learn with policy makers and shapers from across the federal public service and beyond. Learn more. The Policy Community is a functional community of policy shapers and influencers. It brings together public servants from across disciplines and all departments and agencies...



More about this group / Widgets

### Group members



Comment











Janice Cudlip commented on the blog Hello Everyone! last week

### Data Conference 2020 | Conférence sur les données 2020

Unlocking the Power of Data | Libérer la puissance des données





### 4th Annual Government of Canada Data Conference

Owner: Danielle Taylor Group members: 260

Blog









**Activity** 

**Files** 

Sheena Avery added a new discussion topic Presentation on Skills and Classification?

Hi all, One of the presentations I was looking for and missed (I ended up home sick) was related to classifications for data analysts. My understanding is that there was one held on the Friday? I was hoping to touch base with anyone...

More **▼** 







Discussion

2020-03-04 15:44



Danielle Taylor uploaded the file Fev14\_Webcast\_Master\_French.pdf 2020-02-20 13:56



Fev14\_Webcast\_Master\_French.pdf

Download



### **Group info**

Access: open group

### Description

Discussion

On February 13 and 14, 2020, join the Canada School of Public Service and National Defence as they co-host the fourth annual Government of Canada Data Conference. Participants will discover the growing data community in the public service and learn about current applications of advanced analytics...

More about this group / Widgets

### **Group members**



















# Example communities

1. Communities of practice

(Al Policy Community of Practice)

2. Working groups

(Data Analytics Working Group)

3. Open thematic communities

(Women in STEM)

4. FPTM collaboration

(Canadian Food Safety Information Network)

5. Government-wide initiatives

(Beyond 2020)

6. Networking

(LeadersGC)

7. Internal communications

(ECCC's Green Team Network)

8. Recruitment

CRA Ambassador Community

9. Onboarding and orientation

(Onboarding working group PSPC)

10. Consultation and engagement

(TBS Digital Policy)



The Wire

ΑII My Colleagues Search

### Create a Wire Post

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Post

What is the Wire?

Wire posts Has anyone developed an IM... By Pauline Thistle (4 likes)

Wire posts Look for great resources to...

Wire posts Happiness is an inside job....

By Jeff Outram (4 likes)

By Shireen Jafri (4 likes)



Joy Moskovic - 2 hours ago

Il y aura des sessions d'information sur GCcollab et les autres OutilsGC la semaine prochaine. Pour plus d'information, suivez https://wiki.gccollab.ca/FYN Virtual Learning Series









Nathalie Gagnon - 3 hours ago

Outils GCcollab\_comment naviguer sur GCcollab











Gérald Bernatchez - 4 hours ago

Est-ce qu'il y a quelqu'un qui aurait accès à tous les pictogrammes et qui pourrait faire un document world ou autre et nous l'envoyer par mail personnel pour que l'on puisse être consistant. Je pourrais le faire mais je n,ai pas encore accès au VPN.















Suzanne Bastien - 4 hours ago

Je fais l'essai de cette nouvelle plateforme. Trying this new platform!











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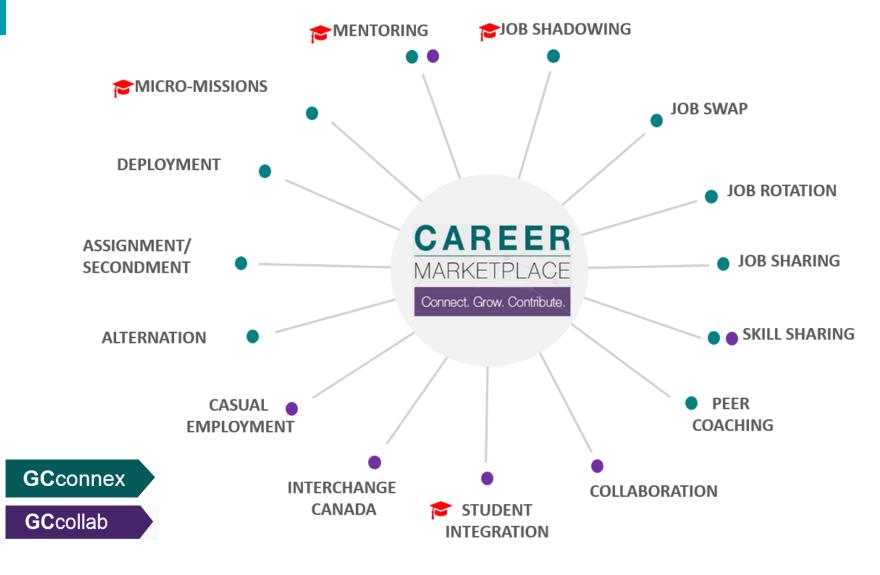




Rima Sakr - 5 hours ago

PSPC Hub Great Group with Great Discussions!!!

# Career Marketplace



Matching talent to at-level mobility and professional development opportunities

# Career Marketplace

Welcome to the Career Marketplace! This is a tool that quickly matches at-level mobility (i.e. micro-missions and job swapping) and development (i.e. mentoring and job shadowing) opportunities with talented employees by leveraging the content in employees' GCcollab profiles. Employees are encouraged to opt in to the professional development and at-level mobility opportunities in their profiles to take full advantage of this tool.

Join the <u>Career Marketplace group</u> for guidelines, definitions, tutorials and updates!

1 Applicant

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# Policy Analyst / Analyste des politiques

Casual Work (offering)

Natural Resources Canada's Electricity
Resources Branch is looking for your help!
Our work on renewables and clean power will
be ramping over the summer - and we are...

**Date:** 2020-05-01 to 2020-08-01 *37.5 hours per week* 

**Posted:** 2 days ago **Apply by:** 2020-04-17

# AS-04 seeking a new challenge

Skill Sharing (seeking)

I am an indeterminate AS-04 seeking new challenges in Halifax. Full-time telework opportunities are also of interest. My husband has recently accepted a tenure-track position at...

Date: 2020-05-01 to unknown

37.5 hours total **Posted:** 2 days ago

**Apply by:** 2024-04-30

### Bridgeable Geography Graduate- Seeking PC-02

in...

Student Integration (seeking)

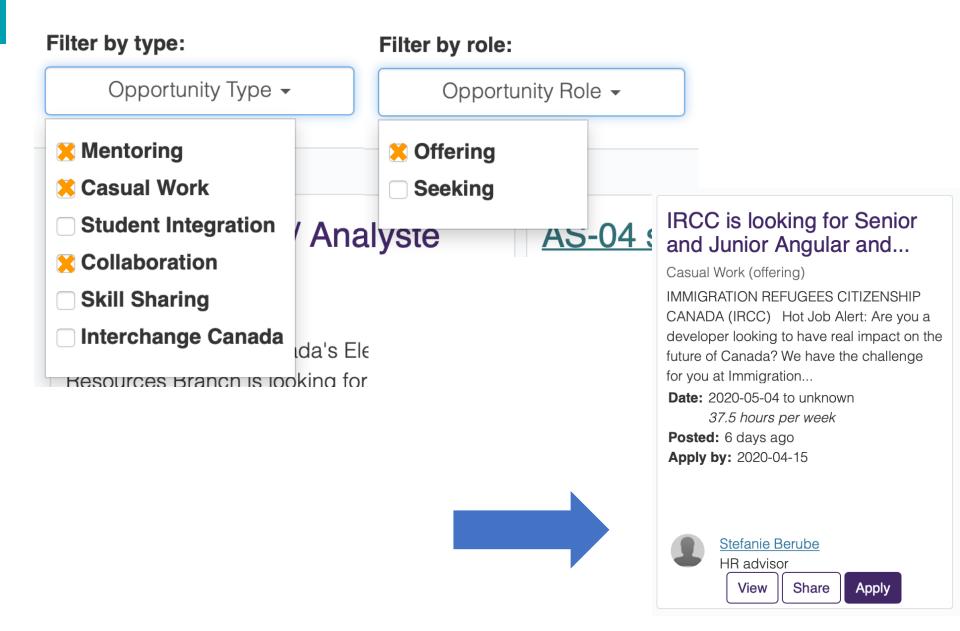
Hello, I am a motivated and dedicated UVic student graduating in April 2020 with a BSc in Geography and concentration in Geomatics. I am seeking new challenges at the PC-02 or EG-04...

**Date:** 2020-06-01 to unknown

37.5 hours per week

Posted: 3 days ago Apply by: 2020-06-01

# Finding your opportunity



# Opportunity at a glance

IRCC is looking for Senior and Junior Angular and Java developers (CS-01, CS-02, CS-03) / IRCC est à la recherche développeurs Java et Angular principaux et en apprentissage (CS-01, CS-02, CS-03)

Casual Work (offering) • 6 days ago

### **IMMIGRATION REFUGEES CITIZENSHIP CANADA (IRCC)**

Hot Job Alert: Are you a developer looking to have real impact on the future of Canada? We have the challenge for you at Immigration Refugees Citizenship Canada (IRCC) and are looking for senior Angular and Java developers to join our new digital labs. We are growing our team of technologists, strategists, and designers as we take on the future of immigration in Canada, designing products, tools, and services to help visitors, newcomers, and citizens.

### If you are:

- Motivated to take on new complex challenges
- · Willing to coach junior developers
- Strongly experienced with programming languages
- Adaptable High tolerance for ambiguity
- A Bachelor or a Master in Computer Science (or any related studies)

This may be the job for you!

### Why work with us?

We work in purpose-built agile teams to deliver high-quality experiences for our clients at pace, so our immigration system can live up to Canada's world-renowned reputation.

IRCC is proud to be a federal government department focused on people:

- Telework or flexible work arrangements are possible.
- Variable (compressed) work week is possible.
- · Competitive salary and great benefits.
- Our strength is the diversity of our people and the ideas they generate.

Work location: 300 Slater Street, Ottawa ON

**Duration:** Casual with a possibility of term and/or indeterminate

Interested? Don't miss this opportunity. Send your resume to Daphne-xavier.paquet@cic.gc.ca

before Wednesday April 15, 2020. Why wait for tomorrow when you can apply today!

### pportunity Creator Information:



Stefanie Berube HR advisor

Department: Immigration, Refugees and

Citizenship Canada

Email: stefanie-louise.berube@cic.gc.ca

Phone number: None given

### Participants:

Nobody

### **Applicants:**

Nobody

### Opportunity Details:

**Program area:** Information Technology

Group/level:CS-3

Number of opportunities: 1

Ideal start date: 2020-05-04

Ideal completion date: unknown

Application deadline: 2020-04-15

The opportunity can be completed virtually: No

Is this opportunity only available within? No

Location of opportunity: Ontario

Security level: Reliability

**Skills sought in candidate:** None given

### Language requirements:

None required

### Scheduling requirements:

**Time commitment:** 37.5 hours per week

Time zone: None given

None required



# Applying for an opportunity

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Archive

Please write out the message you wish to send to this opportunity creator. Note that the public portions of your GCcollab profile will be included in the

**Analytics** 

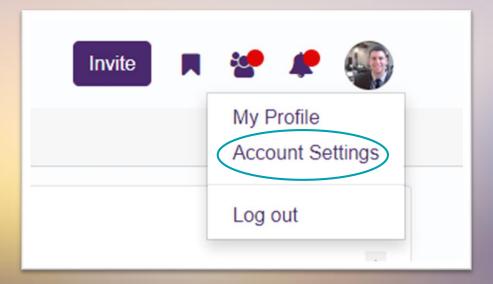
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**Create Opportunity** 



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# Samuel Burke's settings

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**Notifications** 

### Display name

Display name: Samuel Burke

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# Managing notifications

### **Your Subscriptions**

Choose how you want to be notified of GCcollab activities of interest to you. The notifications digest can be used to receive a daily or weekly email that provides a summary of the activities to which you are subscribed. Prefer to receive instant notification? Forgo the digest and select the content for which you want to receive notification in real-time. Please note that email notifications are sent to the email address used in your <u>Account Settings</u>.

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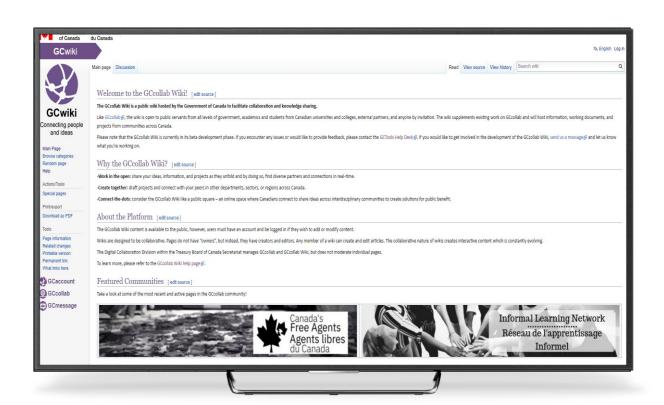
Select all groups (this will not select the group content)



# GCwiki (aka GCcollab wiki)

Co-create pages and share information in this collaborative wiki available to all the public service.

- Pages are visible on the internet
- Anyone can view any page, and create and edit pages while logged in
- Pages are mostly text and images. HTML and CSS coding is restricted.



### **GC**wiki



Connecting people and ideas

Français

Navigation

Main Page Browse categories Random page

Actions/Tools

Special pages

Print/export

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Tools

Page information Related changes Printable version Permanent link







Page Discussion

### Community of Federal Regulators

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**Departments and Agencies Working Together Towards** Regulatory Excellence **Since 2006** 



Our Events



Career Corner



Collaboration



Experimentation

### About the CFR

The Community of Federal Regulators is a Government of Canada inter-departmental community working together to strengthen the capacity of federal regulatory professionals, thereby supporting to build a regulatory community Canadians trust to maintain and strengthen regulations affecting health, safety, security and prosperity in a sustainable society.

The activities of the Community of Federal Regulators are supported and delivered through the CFR Office housed in Health Canada. The primary functions of the Office are to plan/promote regulatory learning and development activities, to identify and facilitate collaborations for innovative ways of working in the regulatory field, and to enable exchange of effective regulatory strategies/tools between regulatory organizations.

### Vision

To enhance and sustain the capacity of the federal regulatory community through learning, partnerships and best practices

### Mission

A regulatory community Canadians trust to maintain and strengthen their health, safety, security and prosperity in a sustainable society

### **CFR Governance Structure**

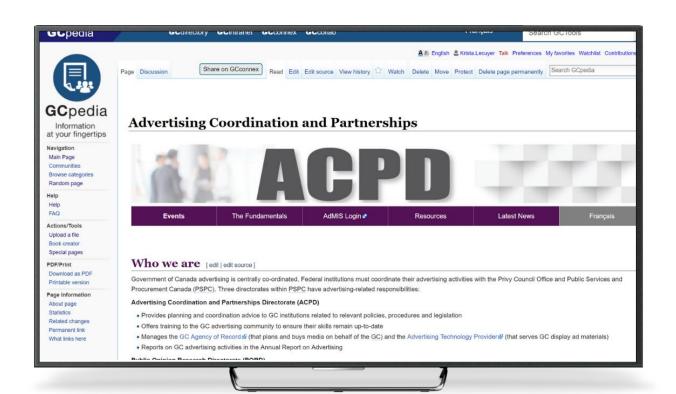
The CFR is championed by the President of the Public Health Agency of Canada, Dr. Siddika Mithani. Also supporting the community and providing direction to the CFR Office are two Assistant Deputy Minister Co-Champions: Tina Green (Assistant Secretary, Regulatory Affairs Sector at the Treasury Board of Canada Secretariat) and Stefania Trombetti (A/Assistant Deputy Minister, Regulatory Operations and Regions Branch, Health Canada).



# **GCpedia**

Co-create pages and share information in this collaborative wiki available to all the public service.

- Internal to the Government of Canada
- Public servants can view any page, and create and edit pages while logged in
- Optional HTML and CSS coding, otherwise WYSIWYG/MediaWiki



# Policies & Guidelines



# What's next?

Create your account

Complete your profile and add a picture

Add colleagues

Join or create groups

Post on the Wire

Explore the career section

Manage your notifications

Check out the help resources

Invite your team or network

Collaborate and share content

# Thank you!

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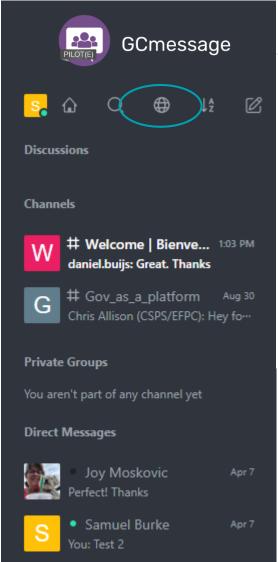




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# **GCmessage**



### Directory

Channels Users

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# a11y-feedback A place to provide your accessibility feedback about Rocket.Chat   Une place pour rec	31 cu	March 19, 2018	November 17, 2018
# aafc-bioinformatics-meeting-2019	4	September 17, 2019	September 30, 2019
# accessibility - A11y Accessibility, A11y	53	March 15, 2018	April 23, 2020
A # AccessibilityForDigital	3	November 8, 2018	
A # ACV Gateway	4	August 30, 2018	September 6, 2018
A # agile	31	March 29, 2018	March 14, 2020
A # all-staff	1	October 16, 2019	
# amazon-alexa Designing and developing for the Amazon Alexa platform	30	October 17, 2018	April 26, 2019
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A # API Store	51	May 16, 2018	March 27, 2020
A # ARCHIBUS	2	July 26, 2019	July 31, 2019
A # ArtificialIntelligence	146	June 10, 2018	April 9, 2020

# #feedback-rétroaction



### # feedback-rétroaction

A place to provide your feedback about Message (Rocket.Chat pilot) | Une place pour recueillir vos commentaires au sujet de Message (pilote de Rocket.Chat)







This channel is a place to collect your feedback about Message (Rocket.Chat) | Cette chaîne est une place pour recueillir vos commentaires au sujet de Message (Rocket.C Peter Silva @peter.silva 8:05 AM We have a blessed certificate provider that we are supposed to use... Michel Pilon got his renewal in 25 minutes when he asked for one last week. There is a long standing gov. contract with

Stéphane Thévenot @stt002 8:19 AM

Yes entrust is best for Corp and gov and good services and also by paying for a cert there is a warranty, some product give 100k warranty ect

Joanna Langley van der Veer @joanna.langley.van.der.veer 1:54 PM Has left the channel.

April 7, 2020

Winston Ly @winston.ly 4:08 PM Has left the channel.

April 10, 2020



Colan Schwartz, Enterprise Cloud Architect & SaaS/PaaS/laaS Consultant @colan.schwartz 11:17 AM

Stéphane Thévenot Peter Silva We should probably continue this conversation in #httpseverywhere-httpspartout (feel free to respond in there), but I don't see what value Entrust provides anymore, even with the warranty. LE can now do wildcard certs so that pretty much covers it. Just like anything else, you need to stay on top of it (e.g. send alarms if certs aren't automatically renewed within 30 days of expiry).



April 11, 2020



Ilia Salem @ilia Admin 8:26 AM

in about 30min - an hour gccollab, account, and wiki will be going down for maintenance

message will still be up, it had its turn last week, but there may be login issues with account unavailable



Ilia Salem @ilia | Admin | 11:15 AM

account and collab are back up, just wiki left



Ilia Salem @ilia Admin 11:35 AM 🎤

and wiki's up to, so that's everything back up!



Geoff Shapiro @geoff 12:00 PM







