



# The **Mentoring Plus Strategy**

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## **An Invitation:**

**October 2020**

We would like to invite you to become involved with The Mentoring Plus Strategy. This strategy is one of nineteen projects across Canada developed to involve individuals 55+. **The Mentoring Plus Strategy has a focus of Engaging Seniors (55+) with Career Minded Individuals (16-35+) by utilizing the skills and knowledge of retirees with populations ranging from high school to mature learners, focusing on careers and the future of work.**

The strategy is being implemented within the regions of Kings, Colchester, and Pictou Counties. This four-year strategy began on November 1, 2019. During this period and as we began to deal with COVID 19, we have been meeting many individuals and organizations by ZOOM. To date we have been in discussion and conducting assessments on the needs of various sectors as they address the challenges we face economically and socially.

The following is a list of sectors we are developing to date:

- Agriculture
- Police Departments/Crime Prevention
- Literacy/Upgrading programs
- Chambers of Commerce
- Network of non-profit and voluntary sector organization
- Post-Secondary – University and Community College
- Trades
- Tourism
- Health
- Education
- Arts

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With this information in mind if you would like to obtain further information as well as sign-up for a free Orientation Workshop, please contact the Mentoring Plus Coordinator for the Kings region - Mike Cameron, email: [mcameron@kentville.ca](mailto:mcameron@kentville.ca)

Thank You,

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