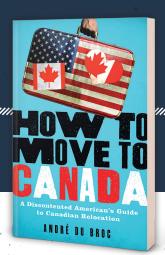


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### SO YOU WANT TO MOVE TO CANADA, EH?

Disillusioned Americans are more likely to threaten to move to Canada this election season than ever before.

So, if you're really ready to plot your escape north of the border, we have the book for you!

How to Move to Canada: A Discontented American's Guide to Canadian Relocation by André du Broc is the perfect resource for planning your exit strategy and collecting crucial information you'll need to know when you arrive.

### MATCH THE CANADIAN WORD TO ITS MEANING

- Toque
- Skookum
- Hooped
- \* Pablum
- Serviette
- Deke

Broken

Knit Cap

Outmaneuvered

Napkin

Great or Powerful

Baby Food

### **DETERMINING YOUR POINT OF ENTRY**



**Sponsored Visa**—Do your mom and dad run a cute little B&B in Winnipeg? Did your kid move to Vancouver to help her boyfriend run his "dispensary"? Did Grandma and Grandpa retire to a clothing-option potato farm on Prince Edward Island? If you have family in Canada, you have found your "in" through family sponsorship.

Work Visa—Is there something you can do better than most Canadians? Bring your mad skills to Canada and apply for a work visa. If you're an entrepreneur, you may be in the lucky position to have provinces competing to help you gain entry with a start-up visa.

**Student Visa**—You could develop your taste for maple syrup and bitter winters by studying among other Canadians. You must convince the immigration office that you will leave when your studies are done, but if this seems like a dead end, don't fret! You can meet potential employers during your studies paving the way for a work visa (see above).

My Country or Yours?—Fall in love and marry a Canadian! Same-sex marriages are also recognized. But don't just marry for citizenship. Canadian immigration has ways of verifying real vs. convenience marriages. One shudders to image how this verification is performed, but there are strict penalties if you're found in violation.

**Refugee Visa/Political Asylum**—You are not a refugee. You are a drama queen.

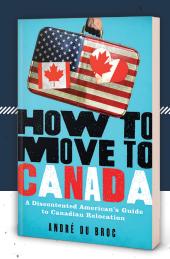




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**Yukon**—The Land of the Midnight Sun boasts three months of daylight in summer followed by three months of darkness in the winter

British Columbia—For West Coast liberals with a hankering for \$6 free-trade, Arabica bean, cold pour, dark roast with a side of high real estate costs and legal narcotics

**Alberta**—For those looking to set up their doomsday compound on affordable flatlands real estate so they can watch their enemy approach for days

**Saskatchewan**—There is wheat here. Lots and lots of wheat. Not for the gluten-intolerant.

Manitoba—For passive-aggressive heartland Americans hankering for snow blowers with odometers and homes that can float with the melted snow in the summer

The Northwest Territories Possibly where Santa lives.

**Nunavut**—Even polar bears question their existence in this frozen tundra.

**Newfoundland and Labrador**—The butt of 95% of Canadian jokes

**Prince Edward Island**—For those who want to live in a quaint little house on a quaint little farm on a quaint little island

**Nova Scotia**—For those with the urge to wear a kilt and get into a bar brawl, beating their opponent with a dead cod, all while being accompanied by a fiddle player

**New Brunswick**—You know, that place with the boats and lobster.

**Quebec**—Do you speak French, hate the world, smoke, and believe Celine Dion is the greatest entertainer of all time? Welcome to Quebec, the land of a Thousand Frowns and a Million Cigarette Butts.

Ontario—Toronto offers all of the amenities of city dwelling with nearly half the excitement.

### A GUIDE TO THE CANADIAN PROVINCES AND TERRITORIES



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