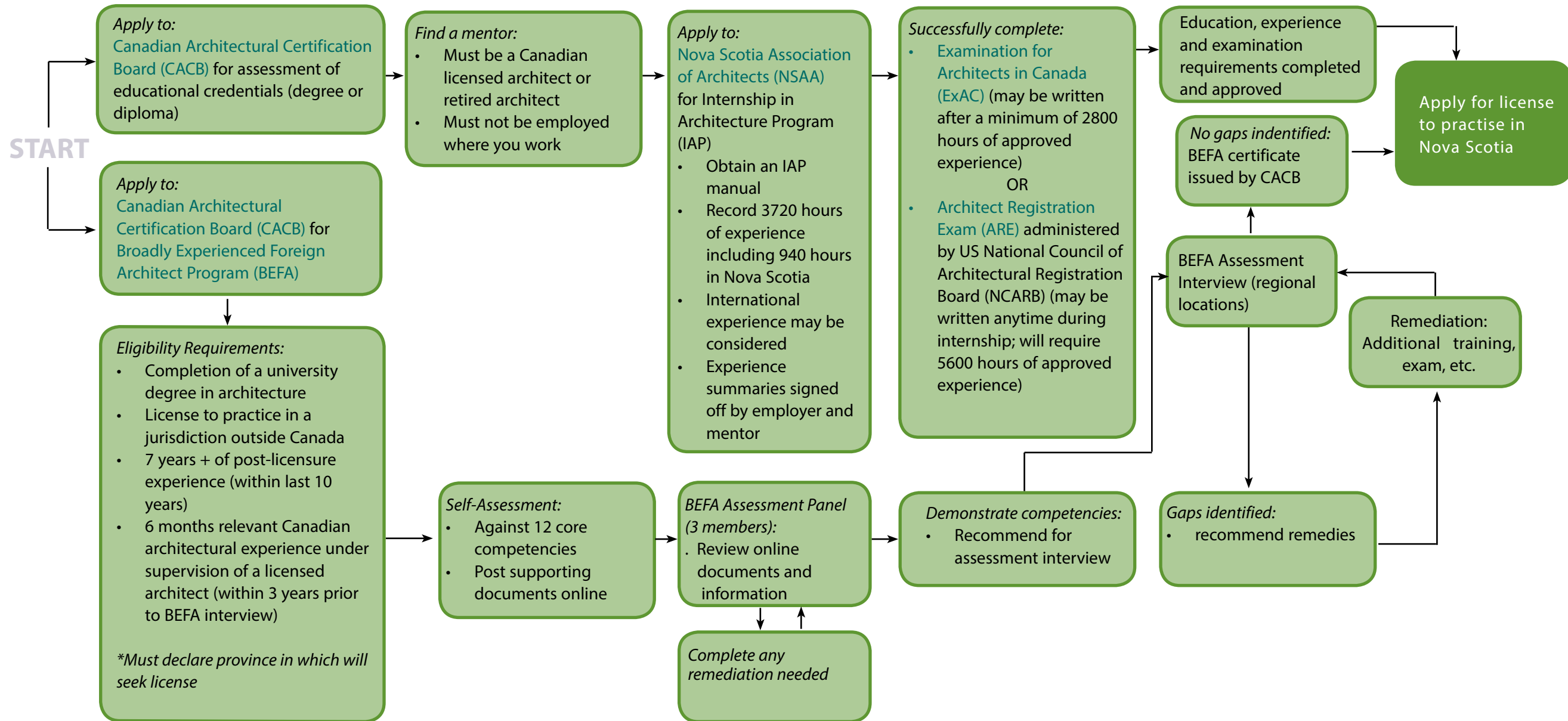


Pathways to Licensure ARCHITECT

Welcome to Nova Scotia for
Internationally Educated Architects



Immigrant Services Association of Nova Scotia (ISANS) 6960 Mumford Road, Suite 2120

Halifax NS B3L 4P1

Phone: (902) 423-3607

Fax: (902) 423-3152

employment_services@isans.ca

www.isans.ca

ISANS Provides:

- Employment Counselling/Coaching onsite & distance
- Assistance with navigating the pathway to licensure
- Job Search workshops online & onsite
- Orientation & Communication Skills for Engineers
- Professional mentoring
- Work placement in related field
- IELTS preparation

Career Pathway Loan Fund (CPLF):

The Career Pathway Loan Fund is a community-based partnership that assists internationally trained immigrants with microloans to overcome financial barriers in becoming licensed to practice and entering the workforce in their occupations or related fields. For more information please contact your Employment Specialist at ISANS.

Website: www.isans.ca/cplf

Canadian Architectural Certification Board (CACB)

1 Nicholas Street, Suite 710

Ottawa ON K1N 7B7

Phone: (613) 5241-8399

www.cacb.ca

The CACB is the body which assesses all degrees and diplomas in Architecture. You will need to contact the CACB to have your education assessed. This is the first step to licensure.

There is a competency based assessment program for internationally trained architects. The Broadly Experienced Foreign Architects Program (BEFA) includes a self-assessment which can be done before arrival.

Architecture Canada/Royal Architectural Institute of Canada (RAIC)

330-55 Murray Street

Ottawa ON K1N 5M3

Phone: (613) 526-3424

Fax: (613) 241-3600

info@raic.org

www.raic.org

This organization is the leading voice of architecture in Canada. It seeks to “build awareness and appreciation of the contribution of architecture to the physical and cultural well-being of Canadians”.

- The RAIC website has useful information and many resources
- Internationally educated architects may apply for membership

Nova Scotia Association of Architects (NSAA)

1361 Barrington Street

Halifax NS B3J 1Y9

Phone: (902) 423-7607

www.nsaa.ns.ca

The NSAA is the provincial licensing body. To practice as an Architect in Nova Scotia, you must have a NSAA license.

Dalhousie Faculty of Architecture and Planning School of Architecture

5410 Spring Garden Road

PO Box 15000, Halifax NS B3H 4H2

www.architectureandplanning.dal.ca

This website includes an online newsletter and events update

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES/LINKS:

Internship in Architecture Program (IAP)

www.nsaa.ns.ca/about/join/become-intern-arch

Study Resources

www.raic.org/node/67930