

ACCC/Canadian Forces

CF College Opportunities Programme (CFCOP)



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Introduction



Aim

1. Outline the ACCC/CF Partnership.
2. Highlight opportunities for Canadian colleges*.

* College is a generic term used to represent colleges, institutes of technology, polytechnics, cégeps and university colleges.



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Outline



Canadian Forces College Opportunities Programme:

- **Background**
 - The CF Training Need
- **Why Canadian Colleges?**
 - Assumptions
 - The case for change
- **The CF Trials**
 - Alternative Delivery
 - Non-Commissioned Member – Subsidized Education Plan (NCM-SEP) Opportunities
- **The ACCC/CF Partnership**
- **The CF requirements**





Background



The Training Needs

- Over 100 occupations
- Over 2500 qualifications
- Recruiting intake target: 6000+ annually





Why Colleges?



Assumptions: *Times have changed*



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Why Colleges?



Assumptions: *Times have changed*

1. Colleges provide quality training that can satisfy CF training requirements.
2. Colleges are client focused and responsive to the needs of industry partners.



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Why Colleges?



25 Years of Partnerships

Canadore College
La Cité collégiale

Marine Institute

NSEC

Justice Institute of BC

St Lawrence College

NAIT

Collège Édouard Montpetit
Georgian College



SAIT

Camosun College
Collège Ahuntsic

CONA

Algonquin College



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Why Colleges?



The Need for Change

- Expanding the Force
- Canada's Commitments
- Focus on the core mission



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Canada's Commitments



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CF/College Trials



Today: Tuition-based Programmes

- Cook: La Cité collégiale 12 + 5
- Cook: Georgian College 10 + 13
- Cook: College of the North Atlantic 14
- Vehicle Tech: Algonquin College 44
- Vehicle Tech: College of the North Atlantic 16
- Vehicle Tech: La Cité collégiale 38
- Fire Fighters: Marine Institute/SERTC 40

Nearly 200 personnel enrolled



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Opportunities



Today: Tuition-based Programmes

Applicants to the Regular Force:

- **Apply and receive a letter of acceptance from a Canadian College (as per college process).**
- **College programmes must be recognised by the CF.**
- **Benefits:**
 - Fully paid tuition and other training expenses for up to three years.
 - Paid salary while completing the college programme.

Non-Commissioned Member Subsidized Education Plan (NCM-SEP)



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CF-ACCC Partnership



Today: The Intent

The ACCC: a coordinating agency assisting the Canadian Forces with the accreditation of college programmes:

- 1. Identify institutions meeting Canadian Forces occupation training requirements in support of:**
 - Non-Commissioned Member – Subsidized Education Plans (NCM-SEP); and
 - other potential college delivery initiatives.
- 2. Ease transition and provide advanced placement for college programme graduates in the Canadian Forces.**



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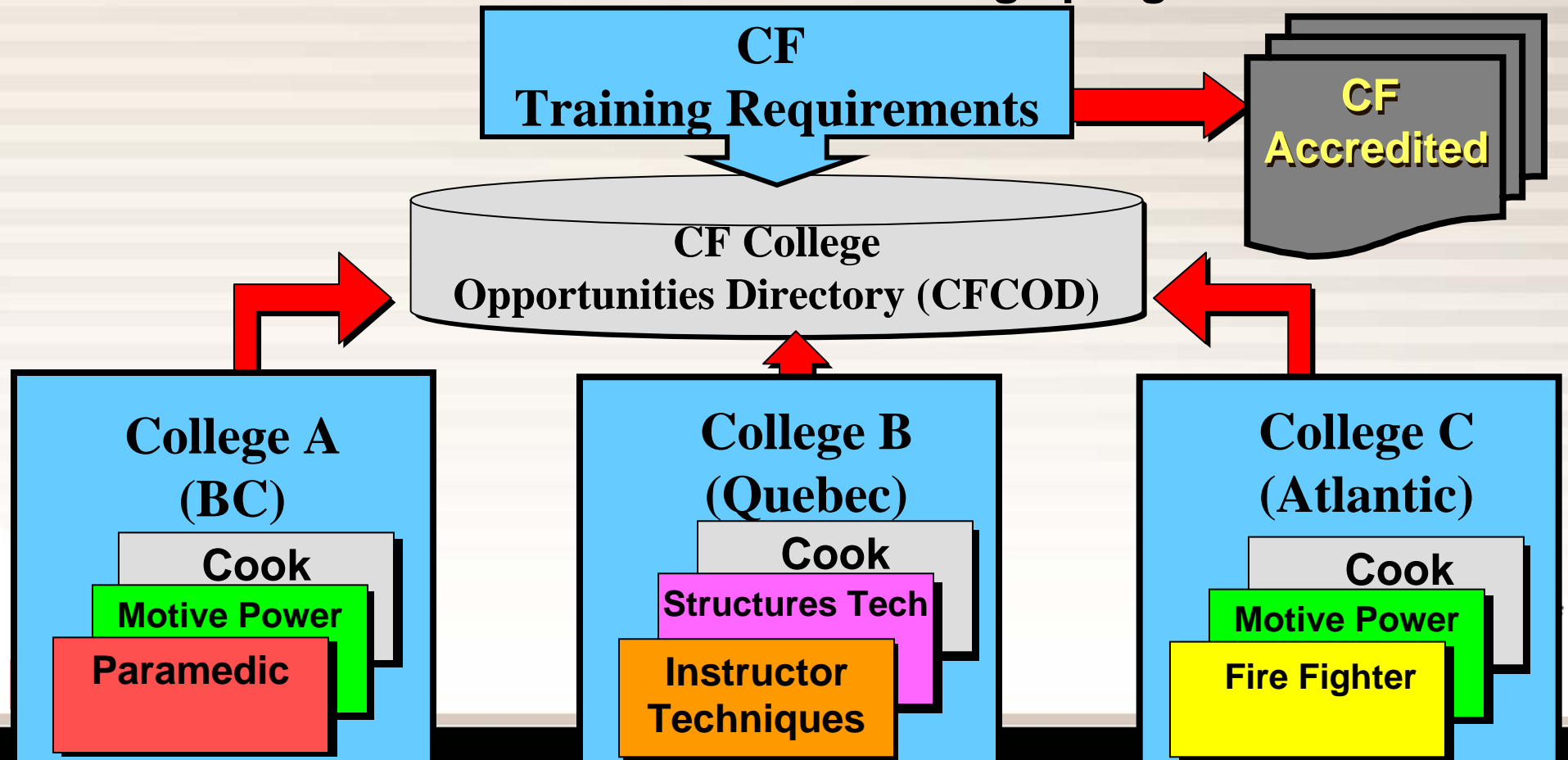


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The CF Requirements



What the CF is looking for?

- College programmes/courses that align with CF requirements.
- **Ability to train personnel in a more timely manner:**
 - Compressed college programmes
 - Recognition of CF training and prior learning
- **Acquire occupation training in line with CF recruitment:**
 - Multiple start options
- **Portability and transferability of credits.**





Summary



What Colleges can do?

CF is looking to work with colleges:

- Engage the CF/CCOP Steering Committee.
- Learn more about the requirements of the Canadian Forces and NCM-SEP.



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Your Questions



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