Educational Credential Assessment (ECA) Applications Highlights

CACB CCCA

CANADIAN ARCHITECTURAL CERTIFICATION BOARD

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Since May 20, 2024

The Canadian Architectural Certification Board (CACB) is officially designated by Immigration, Refugees, and Citizenship Canada (IRCC) as the sole organization authorized to conduct Educational Credential Assessments (ECA) for architects seeking immigration to Canada.

The CACB accepts ECA applications from individuals applying under the 'Express Entry for the Federal Skilled Worker Program (FSWP)' for immigration to Canada, with architecture as the primary occupation for their application.

The CACB-ECA Report recognizes the applicant's architectural degree as a professional qualification in the country of their institution, making it eligible to pursuing the pathway to becoming a licensed architect in Canada through either:

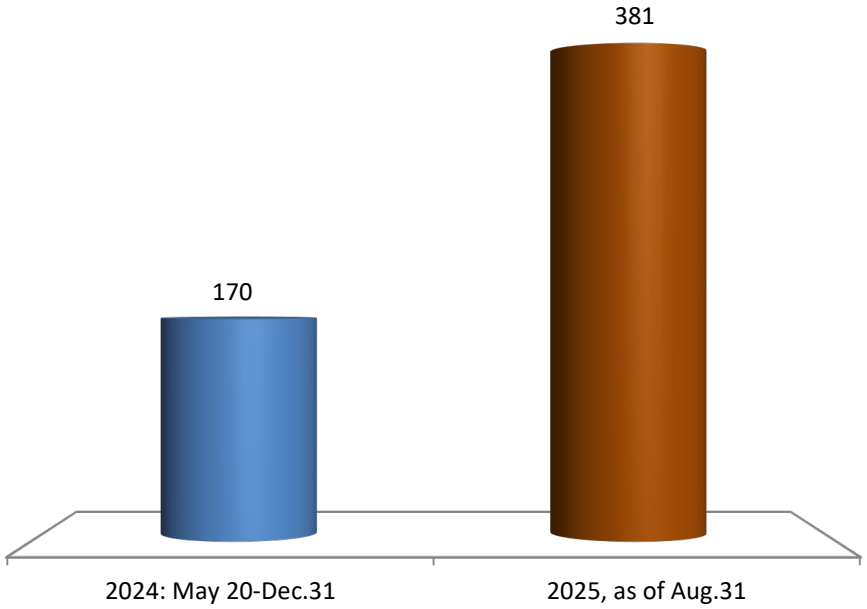
- The Academic Certification Program, the initial step in the licensure process, followed by registration with the Internship in Architecture Program (IAP) and completion of the Examination for Architects in Canada (ExAC); or

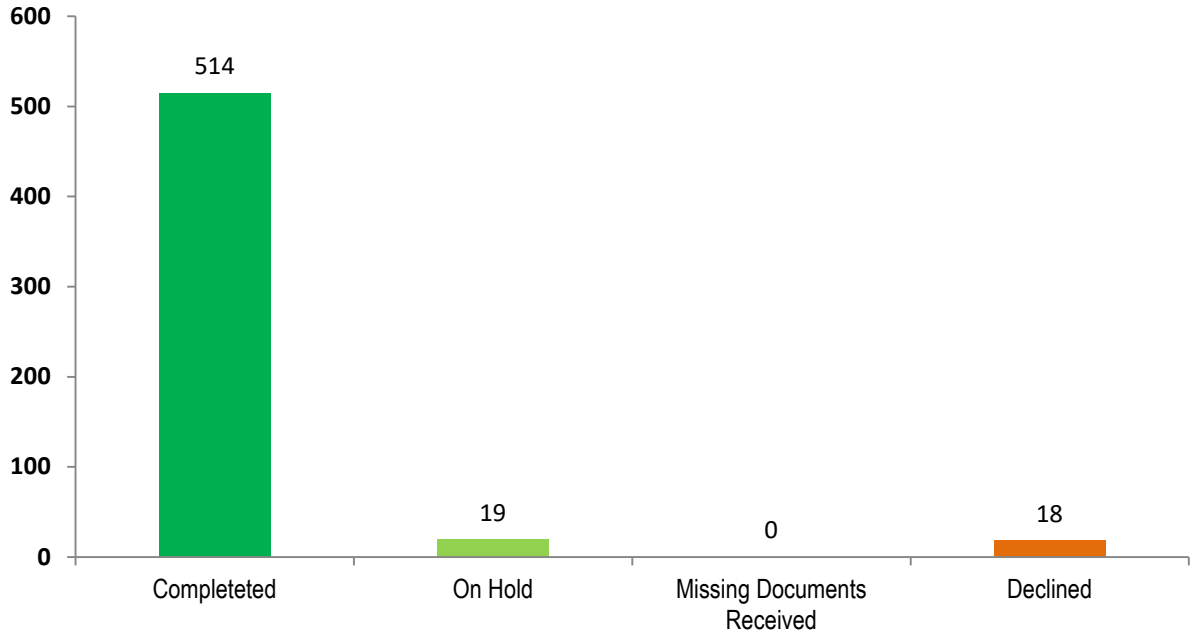
- The Broadly Experienced Foreign Architects (BEFA) Program if they are licensed architects in their country and have at least seven years of post-licensure experience.

More information is provided by contacting eca-ede@cacb.ca

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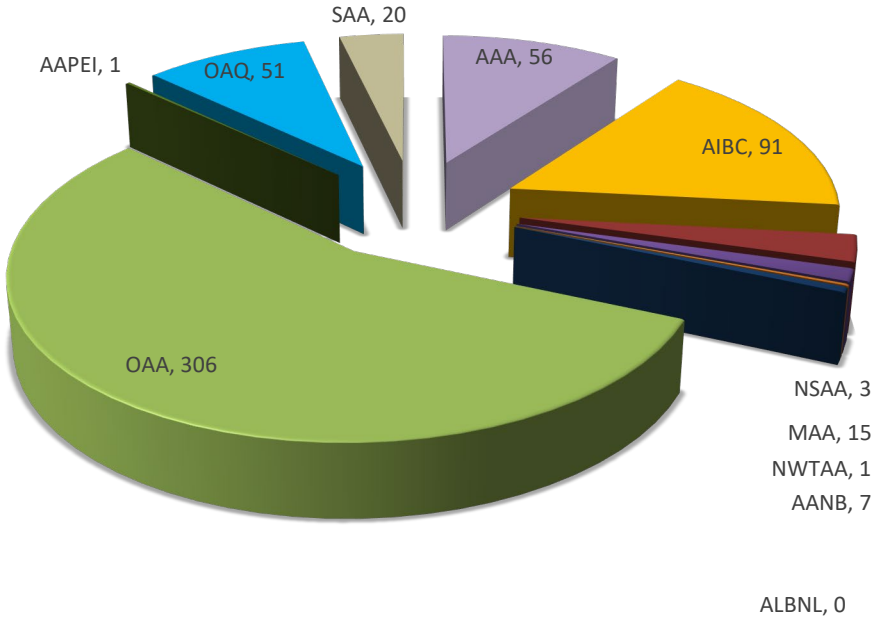
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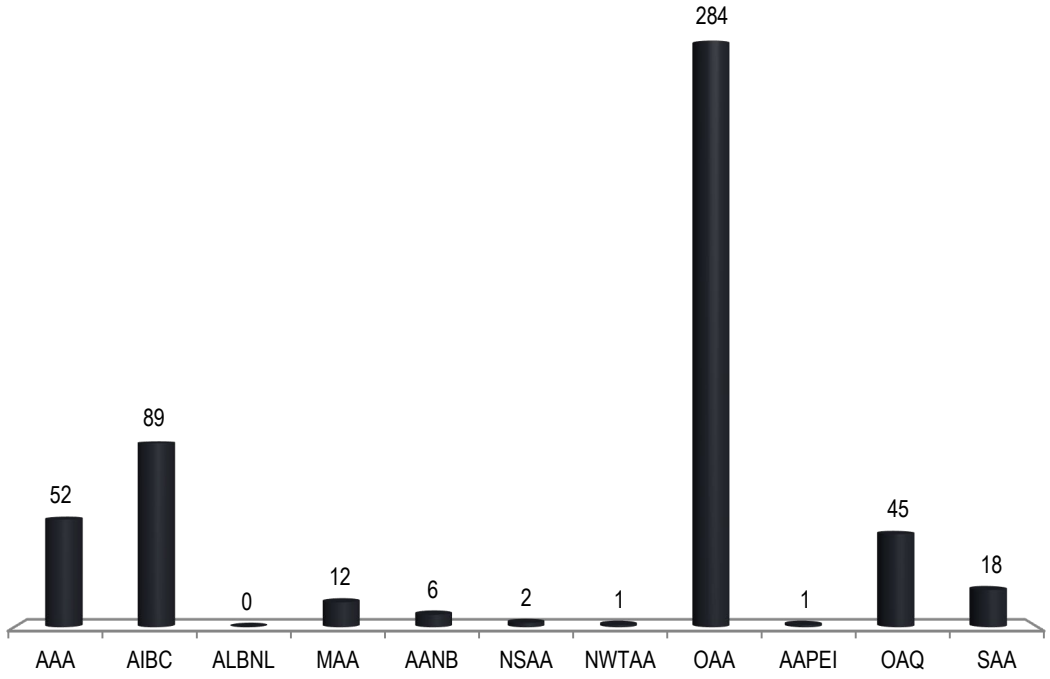


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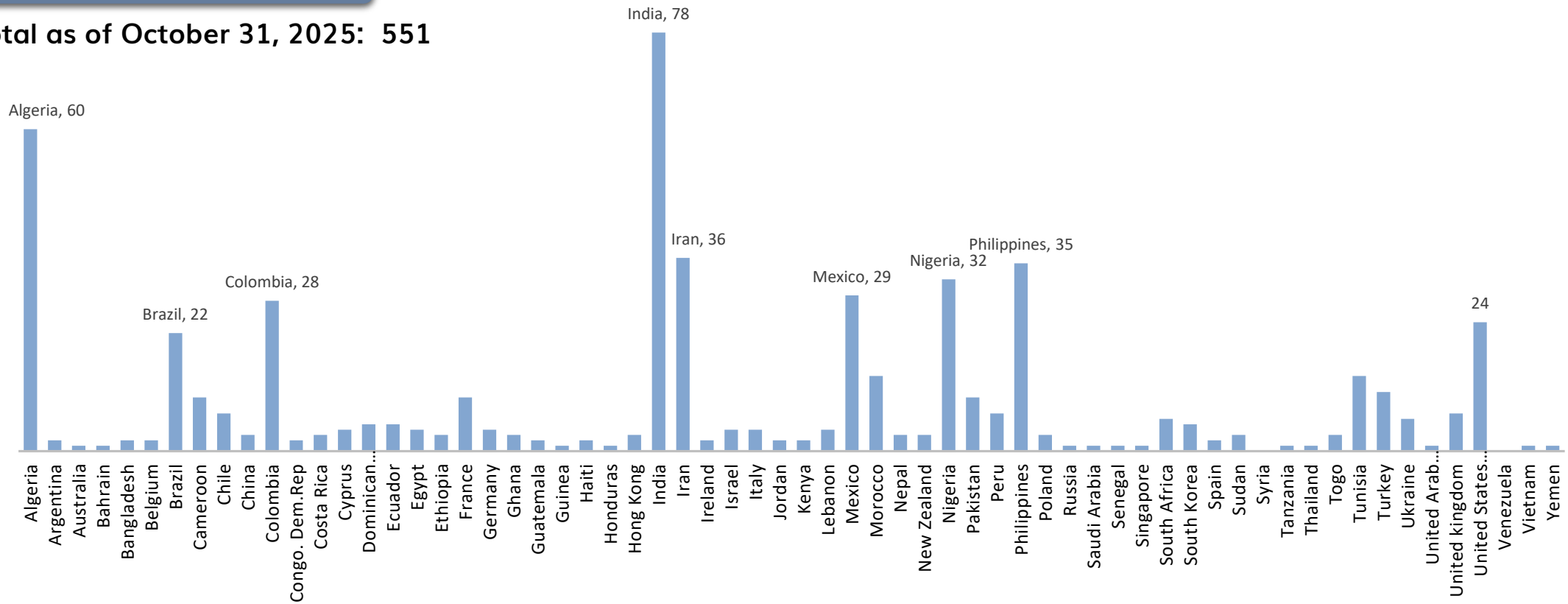
Desired Jurisdiction for Registration



ECA Completed by Jurisdiction

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