The Technology Inflow Program (TIP) can help you to develop new products, processes and services through the transfer of foreign technology into Canada. TIP's network of officers abroad can advise you on technology sourcing, licensing and strategic partnerships, as well as provide visitor services and other assistance for working visits.

Contact: The Industrial Research Assistance Program

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The Canadian Technology Network (CTN) of experts can help you solve your technology problems by providing easy, userfriendly access to technology expertise.

Contact: The Industrial Research Assistance Program or a Canada Business Service Centre Internet: http://ctn.nrc.ca



## TRAINING PROGRAMS AND SERVICES

You can improve your competitiveness in international markets by taking advantage of government-sponsored training programs and services. Whether you are exporting for the first time or looking for tools to help you increase your market share, there is a support service with your firm in mind.

A diverse alliance of Canada's business and labour communities, the Forum for International Trade Training (FITT) can help you acquire the practical skills and tools you need to compete in international markets. FITT's programs and services include: a comprehensive package of courses designed specifically for business and operations professionals interested in exploring foreign markets; a series of intensive workshops focussing on specific international markets; and custom-designed training services tailored to suit individual business needs.