



CIBC Candidate Privacy Notice (Hong Kong)

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Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce ("CIBC") is dedicated to protecting your personal data¹.

The CIBC Candidate Privacy Notice ("Privacy Notice") outlines how we collect, use and share your personal data throughout the recruitment, selection, and hiring process including via recruiters and online platforms. This Privacy Notice is applicable to individuals applying for employment with CIBC in Hong Kong.

We collect, use and share your personal data strictly in accordance with this Privacy Notice unless otherwise required or permitted by applicable law. We are committed to ensuring that the personal data we collect is accurate, complete, and up-to-date as necessary.

Personal data we collect about you and how

Depending on the role and recruitment stage, CIBC may collect:

- name, contact name, contact details, Hong Kong ID/passport (where necessary), right-to-work status;
- CV/resume, employment/education history, qualifications, interview notes, assessment results;
- referee details and reference feedback;
- background screening results where relevant and lawful;
- any information you voluntarily provide (e.g., accessibility needs).

CIBC collects information from and of the following sources and means, as applicable to individual circumstances:

- you (applications, interviews, forms);
- referees you nominate;
- recruiters and job platforms (you might have used);
- background check providers (where you have been notified and/or consented as required);
- publicly available professional sources (e.g., LinkedIn), where appropriate.

Why we collect, use and disclose your personal data

CIBC uses your information to:

- assess your suitability for roles;
- communicate with you about your application;
- verify your information and conduct checks (where relevant);

¹ In this Privacy Notice, "personal data" or "data" means any data or information about an identifiable individual.

- make hiring decisions and prepare an offer (if successful);
- meet legal and regulatory obligations (e.g., work rights, record-keeping);
- protect our business (fraud prevention, security, defending legal claims);
- improve our recruitment processes.

CIBC may disclose your information to:

- group companies and hiring managers involved in recruitment;
- recruiters engaged by us;
- service providers (HR systems, assessment tools, background check providers, IT support);
- professional advisers (legal/audit) and regulators/law enforcement where required.

How we protect your personal data

At CIBC, we take the protection of your personal data seriously. We make reasonable efforts to prevent unauthorized use, sharing, lost and theft of data. We regularly audit our security measures and assess that they remain effective and appropriate. Team members who have access to your data are aware of the importance of keeping it confidential. Data may be shared with or accessed by our service providers so that they can perform services on our behalf. We are careful when selecting our service providers and require them to have privacy and security standards that meet CIBC's requirements. We use contracts and other measures with our service providers to maintain the privacy of your data and to prevent it from being used for any other purpose other than that for which it was intended.

CIBC, service providers and other third parties, with whom we share data under this Privacy Notice, may perform activities outside of Hong Kong. Where we disclose personal data overseas, we take steps to ensure it is handled in a way consistent with Hong Kong privacy requirements, including contractual and security measures.

Your rights and choices

It is important that personal data CIBC holds about you is accurate, complete and as up to date as necessary. Please keep us informed if your data changes during the application and recruitment process with CIBC.

- Access your personal data subject to any data that may or must be withheld or redacted in accordance with applicable law. Access may be in the form of listen only, view only, or receiving a copy.
- Correct and/or update your personal data.
- If you wish to update, correct, or request access to your personal data, please contact mailbox.DPO@cibc.com. If you are not satisfied with our response, you may submit a complaint to the [Office of the Privacy Commissioner for Personal Data \(PCPD\)](#).

Retention

We retain application data only as long as needed for recruitment and related purposes, unless a longer period is required or permitted by law (e.g. to manage complaints or legal claims).

Changes to this Privacy Notice

We reserve the right to modify or amend this Privacy Notice at our discretion. We will post the revised version of this Privacy Notice on our CIBC Careers website or use other methods as appropriate. The amended Privacy Notice will apply to you and your data as of the revision date on the document.