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ABOUT US

CANZUK International is a global advocacy organization committed to the introduction of facilitated migration, free trade and coordinated foreign policy between Canada, Australia, New Zealand and the United Kingdom - the "CANZUK" countries.

Founded in January 2015, we have campaigned for greater cooperation between the CANZUK countries with significant public, organisational and political support. Today, we comprise of staff in all four countries dedicated to advancing our objectives for the benefit of travel, business and employment opportunities for CANZUK citizens.

We are frequently featured in mainstream media broadcasts around the world and have received endorsements from senior political representatives in all four countries. Our campaign has engaged millions of citizens to advocate for our proposals via online petitions, community outreach and political advocacy, and to date, is one of the fastest growing campaigns in international politics.

Furthermore, we engage with international policy institutes, think tanks and non-governmental organisations who support our proposals and frequently host senior members of parliament and diplomats for discussions regarding the CANZUK initiative.





The Problem

A Diminshing Relationship

Despite the existence of close historical and ancestral ties between Canada, Australia, New Zealand & the United Kingdom (the CANZUK countries), diplomacy between these nations has gradually diminished since the UK's membership of the European Union in 1973.



Travel & Mobility

Where citizens could once live, work and travel freely between the CANZUK countries, they are now subject to timely and costly visas, work permits and sponsorship requirements.



Trade

Trading priorities between the CANZUK countries have diminished since 1973, resulting in reduced economic growth and the implementation of tariffs.



Foreign Policy

Reduced emphasis has been placed on cooperation between the CANZUK countries with respect to intelligence, defence and education, despite their common goals.

Our proposals aim to rectify these issues and capitalise on the friendship, kinship and aspirations that exist between Canada, Australia, New Zealand and the UK...



Our Proposals

Facilitated Migration

Canada and the United Kingdom join the existing Trans-Tasman Travel Agreement between Australia and New Zealand, allowing citizens to live, work and reside in any of the four countries without the requirements of visas or work permits. This would provide increased travel opportunities for citizens while preserving national security.



Free Trade

Canada and the United Kingdom join the existing Closer Economic Relations Trade Agreement between Australia and New Zealand, thereby removing tariffs on goods traded between the countries and granting mutual skills recognition for qualified professionals. This would further economic growth, prosperity and business opportunities.



Foreign Policy Cooperation

The CANZUK countries further their existing relationship through the Five Eyes Intelligence Alliance to create a comprehensive defence association, complimenting the work of NATO and the United Nations Security Council. These countries would work together to promote peace and security on the international stage.

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Why Support Us?

In the evolving world of international diplomacy, the need for closer collaboration between like-minded countries has never been so important.

CANZUK International was founded in 2015 with one belief in mind - that Canada, Australia, New Zealand and the United Kingdom can provide opportunity, prosperity and security for their citizens through mutual migration, trade and foreign affairs policies.

Through effective advocacy efforts, we have successfully changed federal party policy, interviewed with major news broadcasters across the world and built a campaign that is recognized by millions of people throughout the CANZUK countries.

Our campaign relies on supporters like you!

We are an organization that is committed to benefiting you, your business and future generations via progressive and common-sense policy proposals...



Facilitated migration will provide citizens the opportunity to live, work and travel within CANZUK countries without the cost or delay of immigration applications and lengthy paperwork

Businesses will be able to hire talent from a highly skilled labour market pool without the cost or delay of sponsorship applications and time-sensitive visas





Facilitated migration will be based on an existing travel agreement between Australia & New Zealand, prohibiting travel to those with criminal records or infectious health conditions



Free trade between the CANZUK countries would total \$3.5 trillion (USD), providing for the removal of tariffs and benefiting consumers, small businesses and corporations



Professionals can benefit from mutual skills recognition, eliminating the cost and time associated with re-training and skills testing when relocating to a CANZUK country for work



Closer security cooperation between the CANZUK countries can compliment their membership of the Five Eyes Intelligence Alliance and enhance global peace and national security efforts

Political Support

"A one-page deal for full mutual recognition of credentials, and free movement of people...would be a rare win for economic common sense."

Tony Abbott - Former Prime Minister of Australia

"Its time to be bold. Canada should propose a CANZUK deal to bring closer ties with our traditional friends; the UK, Australia & New Zealand."

Erin O'Toole - Conservative Party of Canada Leadership Candidate

"We support a [CANZUK] free movement deal. The government should be doing everything it can to get this on the agenda as soon as possible."

Simon Bridges - Former Leader of the Opposition in New Zealand

"If we can do something better with Australia, Canada & New Zealand, we should...we share similar interests and a uniquely shared set of values."

Boris Johnson - Prime Minister of the United Kingdom

Achievements...



Policy adoption at Conservative Party of Canada Convention

CANZUK International was successful in lobbying MPs and delegates at the 2018 party convention in Halifax, Nova Scotia. Our proposals for facilitated migration, trade and foreign policy cooperation between the CANZUK countries were adopted with over 97% party support.



Formation of CANZUK All-Party Parliamentary Group

In 2019, we were successful in assisting MPs establish an All-Party Parliamentary Group (APPG) in the United Kingdom, specifically for enhancing CANZUK relations. To date, the APPG comprises of members from major parties and continues to grow in membership.

Public Support

CANZUK International commissioned a survey in 2018 to poll support and opposition towards introducing facilitated migration between Canada, Australia, New Zealand and the United Kingdom. The results indicated overwhelming support for our proposals in each country.

In favour of introducing facilitated migration between the CANZUK countries...



76%

14% opposed

73%

17% opposed



82%

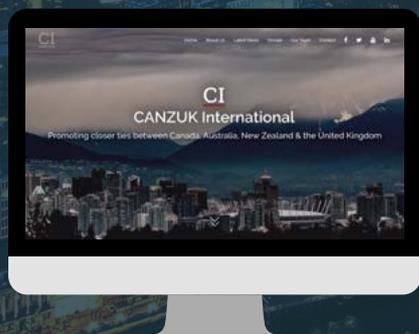
10% opposed

68%

19% opposed



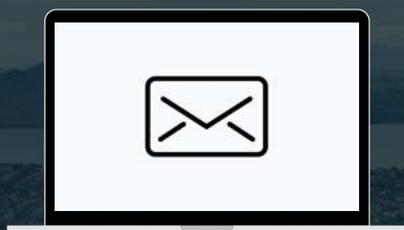
Our public support has continued to grow, with over...



2 Million +
online engagements per year



300,000 +
signatories for our online petition
advocating CANZUK facilitated migration



120,000 +
email subscribers



33,000 +
followers on social media



Get Involved

Join our campaign today...

If you support our organization and are interested in advocating for our proposals, there are plenty of ways you can help.



Use our free letter/email template to contact your local MP and request their support for CANZUK



Add your name to our online petition advocating facilitated migration between the CANZUK countries



Become a local or regional ambassador in your area and organize meet-ups and events



Donate to our campaign and help us continue our work among the public and political representatives

Visit us at canzuk.com to learn more and get involved today!

The background of the image features three national flags flying on poles against a backdrop of green foliage. From left to right, the flags are the Australian flag (blue field with white stars and a red cross), the Canadian flag (red field with a white maple leaf), and the United Kingdom flag (Union Jack).

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