

Canada's comeback

Turning the skills crisis into a competitive advantage

Canadian executives see many opportunities for the economy – and all will require a skilled workforce

44% said

Being a technology innovator to meet the needs of global markets

44% said

Being a global leader in R&D

40% said

Being a leading producer of higher-value-added products and services

39% said

Being a leader in sustainability initiatives and helping other countries

Technology and industry changes and globalization are creating a perfect storm that is impacting skills



68% Advances in general technology



59% Economic globalization and changing competitive pressures



67% Advances in industry-specific technology



58% Changes in industry business/operating models



61% Expanded trade and global economic specialization

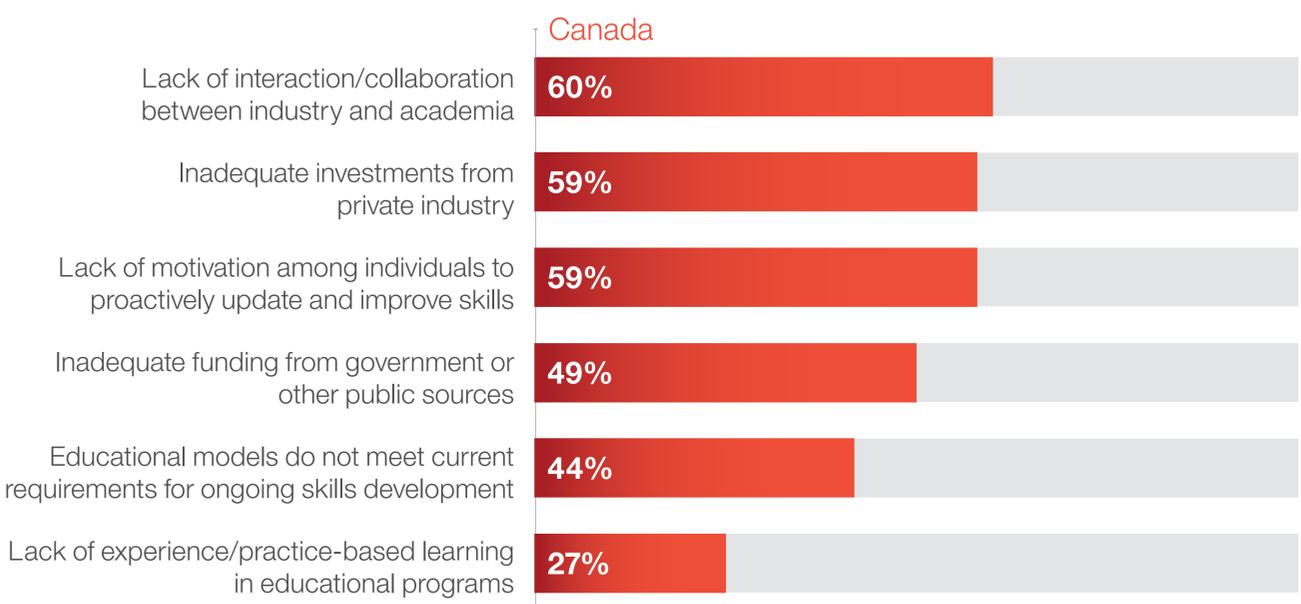


58% Changes in regulatory requirements



52% Artificial intelligence and cognitive computing

Canadian executives cite many challenges in addressing skill development issues



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