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WORKSHOP SERIES

**Newcomer Families in Canada: Contributions,
Community Support & Belonging**



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2:00 PM – 5:00 PM



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**Sheridan College
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Meet the facilitator:

Dr. Sudeshna Roy is a social scientist with over a decade of experience in research, consulting, academic publishing and teaching. She has worked with universities, international organisations, development agencies and research institutes.

What You Will Learn:

- Differences and similarities between newcomers**
- Contributions newcomers make in Canada**
- Understand newcomer family needs**
- Avenues of settlement support and how to build belonging**



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