

ECOEQUITABLE

OTTAWA, CANADA

ANNUAL REPORT 2016

EcoEquitable is a charity and social enterprise that provides a bridge to social and economic integration for people in need, particularly immigrant women, while greening our community

\$297K GROSS REVENUES (2016)



1.8K VOLUNTEER HOURS

7K POUNDS OF FABRIC DIVERTED FROM LANDFILLS



ECOEQUITABLE AS A SOCIAL ENTERPRISE
EcoEquitable operates three revenue generating activities in order to support our charitable work. In 2016:

- We hosted 13 public sewing courses
- We generated \$49k in sewing related production revenue (mostly conference bags!)
- We diverted over 7k lbs of fabrics from landfill which was sold and donated to the community

SEWING FOR JOBS

83%

Participants found employment or continued their education

100%

Participants described an increased in confidence

78%

Graduates feel prepared for employment

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METAMORPHOSIS

This event took place on October 26th and showcased environmentally-minded emerging fashion designers in the Ottawa area. Cutting-edge eco-friendly fashion took to the runway and the exclusive night time marketplace, bringing together a community of eco-fashionistas.

22 DESIGNERS



220+ ATTENDEES



STAFF

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"I DON'T HAVE ANY CLOSE FRIENDS AND I LIVE IN A SMALL APARTMENT, BUT I HAVE MORE AND BETTER FRIENDS THAN I'VE EVER HAD IN THIS COUNTRY...MANY OF MY DREAMS (UNIVERSITY, EMPLOYMENT, COMMUNITY, ART PROJECTS) LOOK MORE REACHABLE THAN EVER."
- 2016 SFJ PARTICIPANT

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