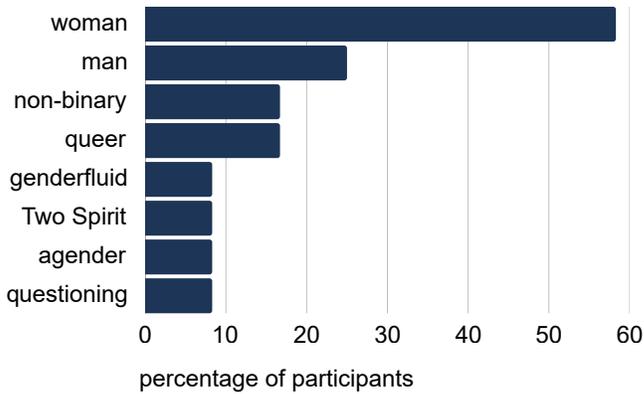
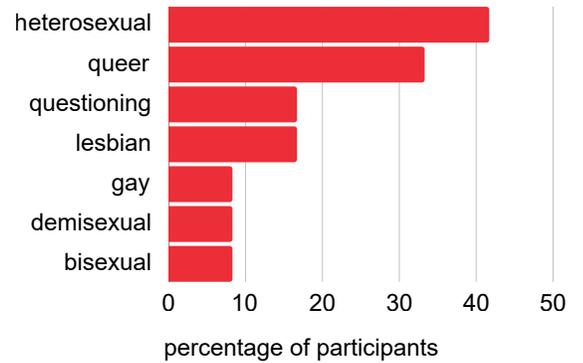


This visual breakdown offers an in-depth look at the identity of individuals in Prince Edward Island who participated in the Queer Atlantic Business Hub community survey. It also highlights a regional perspective of participants' challenges and their desired offerings from the Hub.

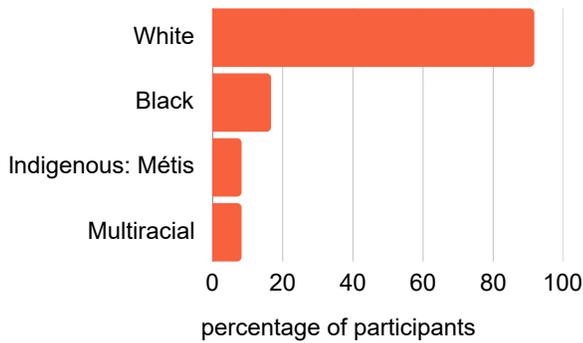
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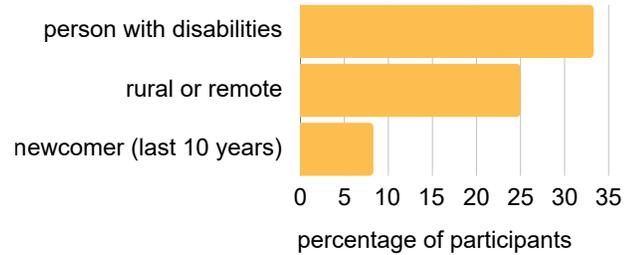
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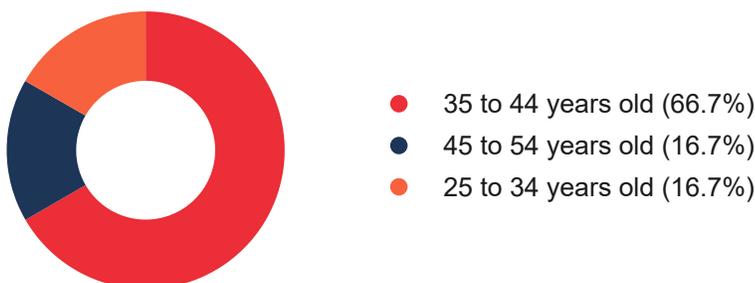
### Racial identity



### Other identities



### Age



## Challenges and barriers

When asked to identify challenges or barriers faced as a 2SLGBTQIA+ entrepreneur or aspiring business owner, here are the top responses among participants in Prince Edward Island:

**1**  **Financial literacy, accounting, or bookkeeping challenges**  
identified by 66.7% of participants

 **Lack of legal support or knowledge**  
identified by 66.7% of participants

**2**  **Difficulty accessing funding or investment**  
identified by 58.3% of participants

**3**  **Mental health or burnout**  
identified by 50% of participants

**4**  **Lack of mentorship or guidance**  
identified by 32.5% of participants

**Other responses:** Bias, discrimination, or exclusion (25%), lack of visibility or trouble reaching customers (25%), gaps in business skills or experience (16.7%), limited access to networking opportunities (16.7%)

## Desired offerings from the Queer Atlantic Business Hub

When asked to identify what they would want a new Atlantic 2SLGBTQIA+ business resource hub to offer, here are the responses in order of priority among participants in Prince Edward Island:



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