

Portugal – StartUPVisa - Checklist for Long Stay (type D)

Entrepreneurs that intend to develop projects capable to generate “startups”, built on new ideas and business models, thus contributing to attract highly qualified professionals

No	Requirements	YES	NO
1	1 Visa applications completely filled and duly signed by applicant (Notarized if sent by mail)		
2	2 recent color photograph (2X2) must accompany the application form		
3	Notarized copies of passport or official travel document valid for at least 3 months beyond date of intended stay in Portugal. The original passport must be submitted once the visa is approved		
4	If not a US citizen, proof of legal status <u>copy front and back</u> (green card, US visa, advance parole etc.). Specify: _____		
5	Proof of subsistence means can be made through a statement of responsibility, signed by a Portuguese national or by a foreign national legally resident in Portugal		
6	Confirmed Accommodation: for the first 6 months from the inviting institution if on campus or confirmed hotel reservations, stating name, address and telephone number of the hotel, including confirmation number		
7	Independent Professional Activity: Contract or written service provider proposal for liberal professions; and, if applicable, declaration by competent authorities certifying professional competence for the referred activity.		
8	<p>Migrants Entrepreneurs:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Investment operations executed; • Proof of financial means available in Portugal, including those obtain through a financial institution in Portugal, and proof, by any means, of intention to invest in Portuguese territory; or, • Declaration issued by the Agency for Competition and Innovation (IAPMEI), certifying the signing of an incubation contract with a certified incubator, in accordance with Article 6º of Normative Order n.º 4/2018 of the Minister of Economy, of 2 February that regulates the «Startup Visa» Program. 		
9	Proof of financial support; las 3 months of Bank statements (electronic print outs are accepted);		
10	FBI Criminal Record Certificate (for applicants older than 15). This document must be requested with an apostille or remain unopened in original sealed envelope.		
11	Permission to the Department of Borders and Customs to obtain criminal record from Portugal		
12	Proof of Health Insurance that covers medical expenses in Portugal through the duration of stay (insurance must not exclude COVID19)		

VFS Officer Remarks/ Additional documentations:

Place and Date

Applicants Signature

VFS Officer Name and agent #