

VFS Global Launches Brazil Visa Services in China with State-of-the-Art Application Centres

- VFS Global has officially signed a contract to manage the acceptance of Brazilian visa applications in China through four Visa Application Centres in Beijing, Shanghai, Guangzhou, and Chengdu
- The newly launched centres officially commenced operations on November 10, 2025, providing professional services for visa applicants.

BEIJING, CHINA - VFS Global, the world's leading provider of technological services for governments and diplomatic missions, has signed a new contract with the Government of Brazil to manage its visa application services in China. The contract was signed on 22 October 2025 by His Excellency the Ambassador of the Federative Republic of Brazil to China and Mr. Kishen Singh, Chief Operating Officer for China and Mongolia at VFS Global.

Effective November 10, 2025, applicants can submit Brazilian visa applications at VFS Global's designated visa centres in Beijing, Shanghai, Guangzhou, and Chengdu.

In recent years, demand for travel to Brazil among Chinese citizens has continued to grow, with annual visa applications now exceeding 75,000 and maintaining a strong upward trend. To better accommodate this growth, our newly established visa centres combine modern, spacious facilities with streamlined processes to enhance service efficiency. We are committed to providing high-quality visa services that effectively support the increasingly diverse travel needs of Chinese citizens visiting Brazil for business, tourism, cultural exchanges, and other purposes.

Our newly established centres are designed to enhance service efficiency by integrating modern, spacious facilities with streamlined processes. They feature a dedicated global online appointment system and unified security protocols to ensure a smooth, efficient, and secure application process, with robust protection of applicant data. As an enterprise continually transforming its service model through secure and efficient technology, VFS Global will also integrate advanced solutions like AI and analytics to optimize operations and further facilitate cross-border mobility for applicants.

Mr. Kishen Singh, Chief Operating Officer for China and Mongolia at VFS Global, stated: "We are honoured to be selected as the trusted partner by the Government of Brazil. This collaboration marks a significant milestone in our commitment to delivering exceptional visa services. As the visa application centre serves as the first touchpoint where Chinese travellers begin to experience Brazil, we recognize our important role in fostering cultural connections. Through our dedicated application centres and leveraging our global expertise, we are establishing new standards of service excellence to meet the growing demand. We are committed to revolutionizing the visa application experience through professional services and streamlined processes, delivering exceptional efficiency as well as secure and seamless service that will further strengthen the dynamic partnership between China and Brazil."

The newly launched Visa Application Centres will be equipped with modern amenities and staffed by well-trained professionals. Applicants can access a range of optional, value-added services designed for enhanced convenience, including the exclusive Premium Lounge for a private and

comfortable experience, alongside document courier return and real-time SMS application alerts.

VFS Global's role in the visa application process is limited to front-end administrative tasks only, which include scheduling appointments, collecting visa application forms and the required documentation as per the checklists provided by the Brazilian government. VFS Global has no role in the decision-making process of granting or refusing a visa. Decision-making on the granting or refusal of a visa is the sole prerogative and responsibility of the consular authorities of Brazil.

Brazil Visa Application Centres in China:

- *Beijing: Room 303, 3rd floor, Tower D, SOHO 2, Guanghua road, Chaoyang, Beijing, China*
- *Shanghai: 4th Floor, Jiushi Commercial Building, No.213, Middle Sichuan Road, Huangpu, Shanghai*
- *Guangzhou: Room 804, 8th Floor, GAL Tower, No. 78, Pazhou Avenue, Haizhu District, Guangzhou*
- *Chengdu: Room 3205, 32F, NO.19, Maoye Plaza, Dongyu Street, Jinjiang District, Chengdu*

Business hours: Monday to Friday, from 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM.

For more information or to make an appointment, please visit <https://visa.vfsglobal.com/chn/en/bra/>

About VFS Global

As the global leader in trusted technology services, empowering secure mobility for governments and citizens, VFS Global embraces technological innovation including AI to support governments and diplomatic missions worldwide. The company manages non-judgmental and administrative tasks related to applications for visa, passport, and consular services for its client governments, increasing productivity and enabling them to focus entirely on the critical task of assessment.

With a responsible approach to technology development, adoption and integration, the company prioritizes ethical practices and sustainability while serving as the trusted partner to 69 client governments. Operating over 3,900 Application Centres in 165 countries, VFS Global has efficiently processed more than 514 million transactions* since 2001.

**Comprised of 325 million transactions by VFS Global and 189 million transactions by CiX Citizen Experience*