## Study Visa (Short stay)

For people who are going to study in Belgium for less than 90days.

## IMPORTANT INFORMATION:

The duration of the presented flight reservation and insurance must always correspond.

In case of different or contradictory information, the embassy will issue a visa with a validity based on the shortest period of these 2 documents.

Starting date of the validity of the visa will always be the starting date of the initially presented flight reservation.

Documents in Farsi language only are not accepted for the treatment of your visa file; only translated documents will be taken into account.

The Farsi documents need to be translated by a sworn translator into one of our national languages or into English.

In case the authorization to issue the visa arrives after the initially planned departure date, you will be contacted by the embassy.

| Document                          | Description  | Remarks    |
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|                                   | Main documents   |            |
| Original of<br>passport           | -Passport which must be valid for at least 3 months from the date<br>on which you intend to leave the SCHENGEN territory, or, in the<br>case of multiple journeys, the date on which you intend to leave it<br>for the last time.                                    | 🗌 Yes 🗌 No |
|                                   | -Issued within the previous 10 years. It is advisable that your<br>passport contains at least one double blank page reserved for visas<br>(blank front and back) for each. Passport should be signed by the<br>applicant.  | 🗌 Yes 🗌 No |
| Schengen<br>application form      | -Duly completed (in German, Dutch, French or English), dated and<br>signed by the applicant in person. The form with a bar code is<br>available once the registration on <u>Visa-On-Web</u> is completed online.<br>Print out the form and add it to your documents. | 🗌 Yes 🗌 No |
|                                   | -For family members or group applications each individual must have a separate VOW application form.   | 🗌 Yes 🗌 No |
|                                   | -In case of minors (below the age of 18), the application form needs to be signed by parents or person exercising legal guardianship.  | 🔄 Yes 🗌 No |
| 2 photos                          | 2 recent photographs in accordance to the Schengen photo requirements.   | 🖂 Yes 🖂 No |
| Proof of                          | purpose of stay and accommodation  |            |
| Invitation letter                 | Confirmation of booked courses or matriculation letter from the school or university.  | 🖂 Yes 🖂 No |
| Confirmation of tuition and other | -It is mandatory to provide, if not already mentioned in the   |            |

| fees payment or<br>statement of<br>sponsorship or<br>other proof of<br>financial means | confirmation of the booked courses(Invitation letter from School)  | □ Yes □No  |
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| Employ   | ment and solvency proof of applicant   |            |
| Linpidy  | -Documents attesting your professional situation in Iran.  | 🗌 Yes 🗌 No |
|  | <u>For employees:</u><br>-Work certificate: a signed, dated and stamped certificate on<br>company letterhead with contact information. Must state<br>applicant's name, position, salary and years of employment. | 🗆 Yes 🗌 No |
|  | -Holiday authorization from employer   | 🗌 Yes 🗌 No |
|  | -Salary slips of last 3 months   | 🗌 Yes 🗌 No |
| Evidence of<br>employment and<br>solvency  | -Proof of payment of Social Security (list-e-bimeh)  | 🗌 Yes 🗌 No |
|  | -Personal bank account statement of the applicant for the last 6 months : underline the transfer of salary on the account statement  | 🗀 Yes 🗀 No |
|  | For business owners, liberal professions, self-employed<br>-Valid business registration certificate / exploitation permit  | 🗆 Yes 🗌 No |
|  | -Gazette of the company  | 🖂 Yes 🗌 No |
|  | -Proof of payment of Social Security (list-e-bimeh)  | 🗆 Yes 🗌 No |
|  | -Personal bank account statements of the applicant for the last 6<br>months: underline the transfer of income on the account<br>statement  | 🗆 Yes 🗌 No |
|  | -Last tax payment receipt  | 🗆 Yes 🗌 No |
|  | For retired persons:<br>-Receipt of retirement issued by the competent authorities   | 🗆 Yes 🗌 No |

|   | -Personal bank account statements of the applicant for the last 6<br>months: underline the transfer of income on the account<br>statement  | 🗆 Yes 🗆 No |
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|   | <u>For accompanying persons, if unemployed:</u><br>-Spouse: Shenasnameh  | 🗆 Yes 🗔 No |
|   | <u>Children:</u>   | 🗆 Yes 🗆 No |
|   | -Proof of family relationship by birth certificate ( translated shenasnameh – of the father is sufficient for the whole family)  | 🗆 Yes 🗌 No |
|   | -School attestation (depending of the age of the child)  | 🗆 Yes 🗆 No |
|   | -Minor travelling alone: authorization by both parents   | 🗆 Yes 🗆 No |
|   | - Minor travelling with one of the parents: authorization from the other parent  | 🗆 Yes 🗌 No |
|   | <u>For students/pupils:</u><br>-attestation from the University/school with information about<br>vacation time or permission to leave school for the planned trip  | 🗆 Yes 🗔 No |
|   | -if the employer/University will be covering the costs involved<br>with the trip, it has to be mentioned in the letter.  | 🗆 Yes 🗔 No |
|   | -proof of their studies in the home country + proof of solvency<br>(see point of employment and solvency) of the person who will<br>cover all the costs in case the studies will not be covered by a<br>grant. | 🗆 Yes 🗔 No |
| Doc   | ument for the minor (s)  |            |
| Copy of birth<br>certificate                              | Translated Shenasnameh   | 🖂 Yes 🗌 No |
| Consent of the<br>parental authority<br>or legal guardian | If a child travels alone or is only accompanied by one parent: an<br>authorization signed in front of a notary public by the<br>parents/the parent who is not travelling, is required (original and<br>copy).  | 🔄 Yes 🔄 No |
|   | Other documents  |            |
| Attachment to Iran  | Proof of attachment to Iran  | 🗌 Yes 🔄 No |
| Old passport  | If you have Schengen visas in the old passport, it is recommended  |            |

|                             | to submit either the annulled/old passport or copies Schengen visas<br>and the page with the personal data of that passport with your<br>application.<br>Also we request the copy of the current passport: 1 <sup>st</sup> page with<br>personal information + all the pages that have stamps and/or visa on<br>it.                         | <ul> <li>Yes □ No</li> <li>□ □</li> </ul> |
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| Medical insurance<br>policy | <ul> <li>-The travel insurance should be valid for Schengen area if you apply for short stay visa.</li> <li>-The insurance must cover the minimum amount of 30,000.00 Euro (coverage: repatriation for medical reasons, urgent medical attention, emergency hospital treatment and transportation of the body in case of death).</li> </ul> | Yes No<br>Yes No                          |
|                             | -The insurance should cover the whole period of your stay in<br>Schengen area. If the visa is requested with a longer validity and<br>multiple entries, the travel insurance only needs to cover the firs t<br>trip.  | Yes No                                    |