

RESIDENCE VISA FOR EMPLOYMENT

Applicant's name(s) and surname(s):		
Email address:		
Direct phone number:		
Purpose for travelling to Portugal:		
GENERAL REQUIREMENTS		
	YES	NO
National Visa application form filled in and duly signed by the applicant; 2 identical passport-sized photographs , recent and in good condition to identify the applicant (1 attached to the form). (The photograph must feature a white background, a neutral facial expression, and be framed from the shoulders to the top of the head, with the ears visible.)	☐ ☐	☐ ☐
Passport or other travel document, valid for at least 3 months beyond the intended period of stay ;	☐	☐
Proof of regular status - Applicants of a nationality different from that of the country of application must provide proof of lawful residence, valid beyond the expiration date of the requested visa.	☐	☐
Proof of Address in the USA: Copy of Lease agreement and/or copy of driver's license (for jurisdiction confirmation purposes).	☐	☐
Valid travel insurance , covering necessary medical expenses, including urgent medical assistance and possible repatriation.	☐	☐
Police clearance certificate issued less than 90 days before the submission of the visa application, by the competent authority of the applicant's country of nationality or the country where the applicant has resided for over a year, with the Hague Apostille. If the applicant has resided in the USA for over a year, the police clearance certificate must be issued by the FBI, duly apostilled (Hague Apostille) and issued less than 90 days before the submission of the visa application.	☐	☐
Personal Statement: Statement signed by applicant specifying reason for settling in Portugal, intended area of residency and type of accommodations (rental, purchase of private property, or family home).	☐	☐
Proof of means of support For the purposes of proof of means of support, the following must be considered: - The means derived from an employment contract or a promise of an employment contract; or - The presentation of a sponsorship letter, with a legalized signature, issued by the entity responsible for lodging and boarding the worker.	☐	☐

SPECIFIC DOCUMENTS		
• Employment contract or promise of an employment contract or individualized expression of interest by the employer; and	☐	☐
• Proof of professional qualification when such profession is regulated in Portugal (if applicable).	☐	☐
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CPLP citizens are exempt from presenting: • Travel insurance; • Return transport ticket; and, • Means of support, upon presentation of a sponsorship letter, with a legalised signature, issued by the host entity/employer.	☐	☐

Note:

- Consult the legislation in force in <https://vistos.mne.gov.pt/en/national-visas/national-legislation>

DECLARATION

(Applicant's name(s) and surname(s)),

Declare that:

☐ I intend to have my visa application examined by the Consular Service with the missing documents marked in the attached checklist;

☐ I hereby acknowledge that:

- The Skilled Job Seeker Visa does not provide the possibility to apply for a family member accompanying visa.

- Failure to submit all the necessary documents may lead to the rejection of the visa application.

- The Consular Service reserves the right to request supplementary documents if necessary.

- If the Consular Service requests additional documents or missing documents to the applicant, the examination of the application is suspended until its submission.

- Even if all the requested documents are submitted, it does not imply that a visa will automatically be granted. The visa fee is not refunded if the visa is refused.

- **Any false statement will result in the refusal of the visa application or the annulment of a visa that has already been granted and may subject me to legal action under Portuguese law.**

- All communications and notifications regarding the visa application may be sent to the electronic address indicated in field 19 of the visa application form, and shall be considered to have been made, pursuant to and for the purposes of article 113 (5 and 6) of the Code of Administrative Procedure, in the moment the applicant access to the specific mail sent or, in the event of no access to the electronic mailbox, on the fifth working day after it is sent.

Date: ____/____/____

Signature: _____