

List of supporting documents to be submitted by applicants for short stay visas in Brazil

I. Supporting documents to be submitted by all applicants

- Residence permit

Non-Brazilian nationals residing in Brazil: a residence permit issued by the Brazilian authorities (visa, 'Registro nacional de estrangeiros', 'RNE/Cédula de Identidade de Estrangeiro', 'protocolo' etc.), valid for at least three months after the intended date of departure from the territory of the Member State.

- Ticket reservation for return trip to Brazil or to the country of final destination.
- Other requirements

Proof of financial resources in Brazil and proof of integration into the country (for example, proof of employment, property ownership, family ties).

- Additional requirements for minors (under 18)

The consent of a parent or legal guardian is required only if the minor is going to travel alone or with only one of the parents. Exceptions will be made if the minor travels with the person who has exclusive parental authority.

II. Additional supporting documents depending on the purpose of the journey

1. Airport transit

Permission to enter the country of final destination: proof of legal permission (visa, if necessary) to enter the country of final destination.

2. Tourism

- Accommodation: copy of a hotel reservation or proof of other accommodation for the whole period of stay in the country concerned.
- Travel schedule: itinerary issued by travel agency, if applicable.
- Means of subsistence:

- bank statements for the last three months;
- proof of payment for package holiday, if applicable;
- proof of sufficient financial means to cover expenses of stay (credit card valid abroad and accompanied by a bank statement confirming card ownership and funds available; travellers' cheques; access to current account from abroad, etc.).

3. Visit to relatives/friends

- Invitation from relative or friend in the country of destination
Official invitation from a relative or friend approved by the competent local authorities of the country of destination. Some Member States may also require proof of sponsorship and/or private accommodation by means of a national form (check the website of the Member State concerned).
- Means of subsistence:

- bank statements for the last three months;

– proof of sufficient financial means to cover expenses of stay (credit card valid abroad and accompanied by a bank statement confirming card ownership and funds available; travellers' cheques; access to current account from abroad; official document from relative/friend mentioning availability of financial means to cover applicant's expenses, etc.).

Accommodation

If the applicant does not stay with the person issuing the invitation, a copy of a hotel reservation or proof of other accommodation for the whole period of stay in the Member State of destination.

4. Business trip

Accommodation: copy of a hotel reservation or proof of other accommodation for the whole period of stay in the Member State of destination.

Company document: official document confirming the applicant's mission and employment status, issued by the local company or institution and/or the company or institution in the Member State of destination, stamped and signed.

Means of subsistence

Document or letter from organiser if organiser is paying the travel and subsistence costs (otherwise proof of sufficient means of subsistence).

5. Trip for cultural, sports, vocational training, educational or research purpose

Accommodation: copy of a valid hotel reservation or proof of other accommodation for the whole period of stay in the Member State of destination.

Official invitation from organiser: official document or letter of invitation from organiser of cultural, sports, vocational training, educational or research event, or letter of acceptance from university or institution in the Member State of destination, stamped and signed.

– Means of subsistence: document or letter from organiser if organiser pays the travel and subsistence costs (national forms for proof of sponsorship and/or private accommodation); otherwise proof of sufficient means of subsistence, see points I, third indent and II, 2, 3 and 4.

6. Medical treatment

Medical certificate confirming need for treatment.

Official document of the host medical institution confirming date and duration of the medical treatment.

Proof of sufficient financial means to pay for the medical treatment or proof of pre-payment for medical treatment and proof of sufficient means of subsistence, see points I, third indent and II, 2, 3 and 4.