

## INNOVATOR VISA PROGRAM



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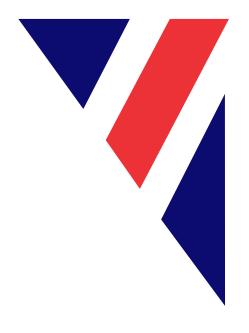
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& businesses make
the journey into the
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#### KEY BENEFITS



- Free education
- Free healthcare
- Pathway to citizenship
- Access to UK finance
- Ease of doing business
- Strong Currency
- Strong legal system
- Globalization and travel freedom
- Personal freedom
- Human rights
- Family security and state protection
- Infrastructure
- World Class Institutions
- Home to global financial hub, London.

### INNOVATOR VISA PROGRAM,

WHAT IS IT?

The Innovator visa is aimed at those who can demonstrate relevant experience in business. It requires an individual to set up or run an existing business in the UK. The applicant must be at least 18 years of age and have at least GBP 50,000 in investment funds if they want to set up a new business. They do not need funds if their business is already established and has been endorsed for an earlier visa. The funding can come from any source. Before one applies, one needs to have one's business or business idea assessed by a Home office-approved endorsing body. They will assess the viability of the business or business idea and, if approved, provide an endorsement letter to submit with the application.

### ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA



Before you apply you need to have your business or business idea assessed by an endorsing body, who UK Citizenship will introduce to an applicant if we deem their idea viable. They will provide you with an endorsement letter if your business is eligible. You must also:

- Meet the English language requirement
- Must be at least 18 years old
- Must be able to prove that you have enough personal savings to support yourself while you're in the UK. Have at least GBP 50,000 in investment funds to apply for an Innovator visa if you want to set up a new business
- Must have proof of source of funds

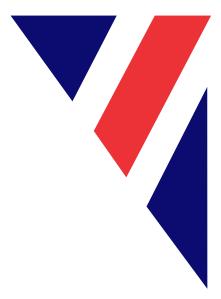
#### THE PROCESS



Initial consultation to explain the program and conduct an eligibility check. Applicants' information is forwarded to our Legal Team who advise on eligibility within 48 hours. If applicant is eligible, 50% deposit is paid and we begin the on-boarding process. The following requirements and stages will commence the process:

- Applicant documents are collected, and business plan fact find is completed
- Business plan for new UK
   Company is completed by UK
   Citizenship and approved by applicant (Week 4)
- 25% payment is made
- Endorsement granted by Government partnering endorsing body

### THE PROCESS



- Case structuring is completed by UK Citizenships Legal Team (Week 5) • Case reviewed by UK Citizenship's Case Management team (Week 6)
- Application submitted (Week6)
- Approval from UK Government (Week 7-12)
- Final 25% payment is made
- Application for Permanent Residency can be made after 3 years (Indefinite Leave to Remain), depending on the company's performance
- Application for British
  Citizenship in Year 6 (applicant
  must be in the UK for 180 days
  or more per year to be eligible
  to apply for citizenship during
  the five years preceding their
  application).

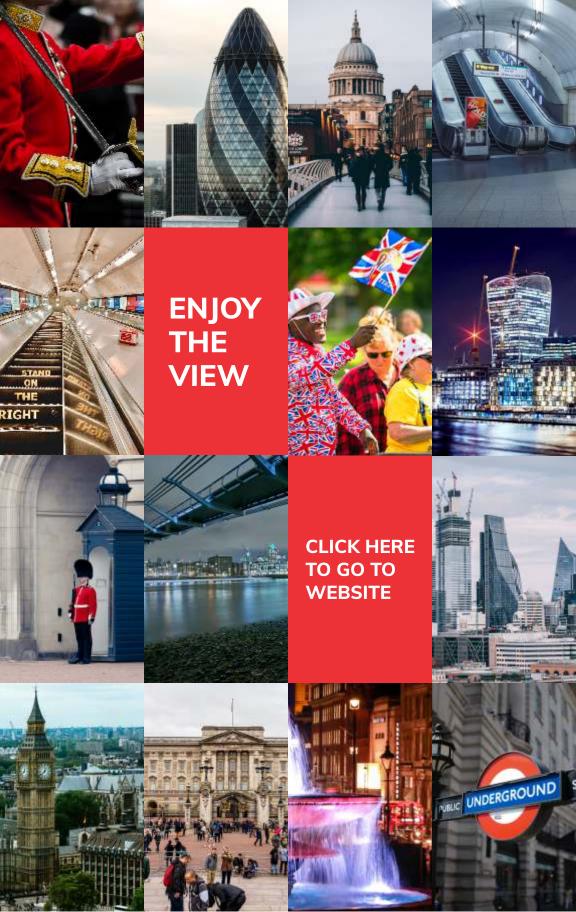




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