



Global Mobility Visa - UK Expansion Worker



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**Democratizing the pathway
to British Citizenship for
overseas talent.**





ABOUT US

UK Citizenship is the smart gateway to the United Kingdom. We enable individuals, families, and businesses to access the UK through specialised and dedicated routes, which include, investment, business, employment and education. UK Citizenship was launched as an initiative to boost and stimulate the UK economy, post Brexit, we add value to the UK by securing, and introducing, top talent, strategic investment, and beneficial businesses into the country.

We are the pioneers of smart migration. Here at UK Citizenship we value innovation, client experience and efficiency. By integrating smart technology, clever processing systems, and a secure online platform, we are able to make our clients journey to the UK simpler, clearer and faster.

We work hard to understand our clients' plans and objectives. Then we put together the right team, with the right mix of skills, languages and experience, to help our clients get to where they want to be as easily and cost-effectively as possible. We are synonymous with excellence and clear communication is vital to what we do. Our specialists work closely with our clients, to make sure that they always know what's going on and that everything is delivered on time.

We offer a seamless service, ensuring our clients have a clear roadmap of their journey to the UK. Our team is passionate about immigration and brings enthusiasm and commitment to every case they work on. We care about our clients and always go the extra mile to ensure that everything is right.



A MESSAGE FROM OUR MANAGING DIRECTOR

A new era has begun for the UK, and I take great pride in leading UK Citizenship to be at the forefront of the immigration industry. We enable families and businesses from all corners of the globe to live, invest and do business in the United Kingdom. All that we do has a positive impact on the individuals we help and the outcomes we create. We are the pioneers of intelligent migration, and like our clients, we focus on a practical approach, seamless service and impeccable quality.



Alex McGeehin

Managing Director
& Policy Lead at
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Policy Exchange.



THE UNITED KINGDOM IN SUMMARY

The United Kingdom is the fifth largest economy in the world, with one of the highest rankings for education, infrastructure, healthcare and ease of doing business. The UK has a multi cultural, cosmopolitan society, with a rich diversity of cultures, languages and faiths. A new era has begun for the UK and after successfully exiting the European Union, the UK has adopted major changes to its immigration policies. Now EU and non-EU citizens will be seen in an equal light.





KEY BENEFITS OF THE UNITED KINGDOM

- Free Education
- Free Healthcare
- Pathway To Citizenship
- Access To UK Finance
- Ease Of Doing Business
- Strong Currency
- Strong Legal System
- Globalization And Travel
- Personal Freedom
- Human Rights
- Family Security And State Protection
- Infrastructure
- World Class Institutions
- Home To Global Financial Hub, London





WHAT IS THE **GLOBAL MOBILITY VISA?**

It allows eligible businesses in the UK to sponsor an employee, existing senior manager or specialist worker to the UK for a temporary period of time to undertake work related to the expansion of a business in the UK.





KEY BENEFITS OF THE GLOBAL MOBILITY VISA (1)

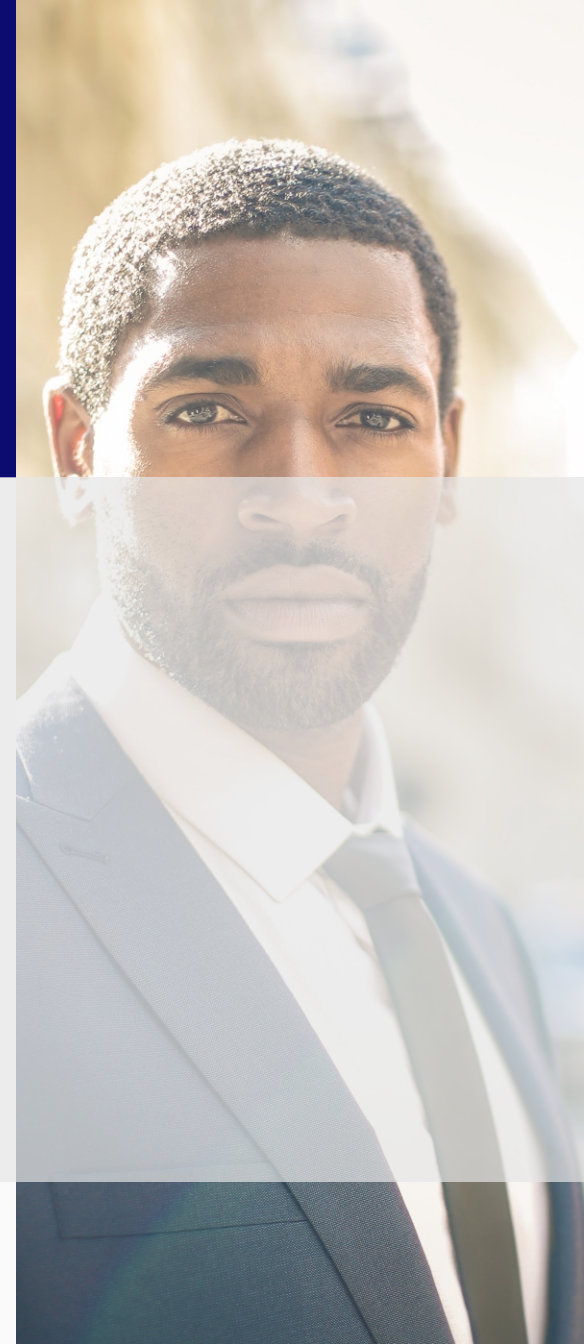
As the visa-holder you will be allowed to work in the UK in the job for which you have been sponsored. You will also be permitted to undertake voluntary work and study in the UK.





KEY BENEFITS OF THE GLOBAL MOBILITY VISA (2)

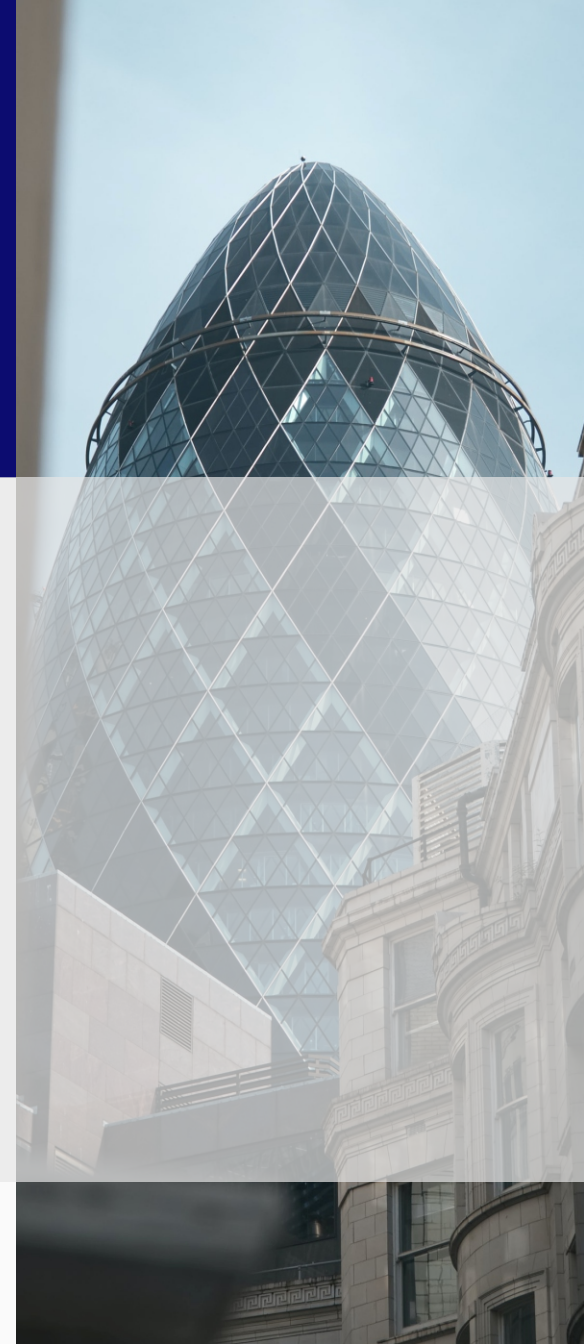
You can be accompanied or joined by a partner and dependent children if they meet the relevant requirements for dependants. The applicant and their family will also be able to travel in and out of the UK for so long as their visas remain valid.





WHO IS ELIGIBLE FOR A UK GLOBAL MOBILITY VISA?

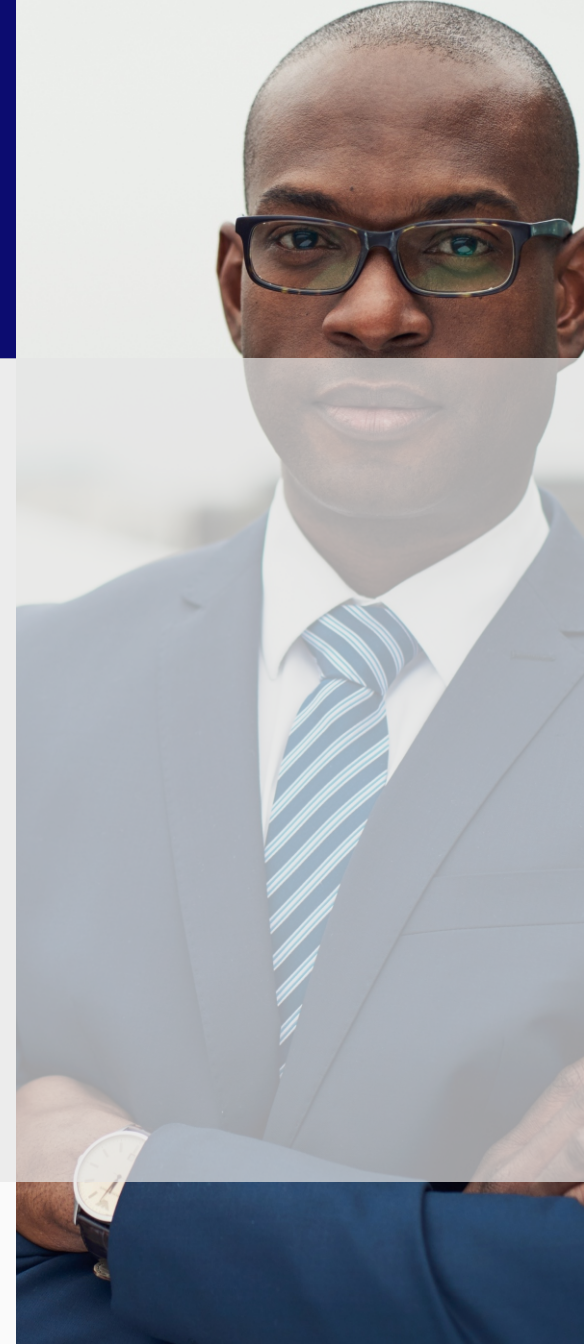
Applicants must be at least 18 to qualify for a UK Global Mobility Visa. The applicant must also already be employed or working for a linked overseas business on the date of application and, unless they fall within an exception, have worked for that business for a prescribed minimum period.





SPONSOR REQUIREMENTS FOR GLOBAL MOBILITY VISA WORKERS

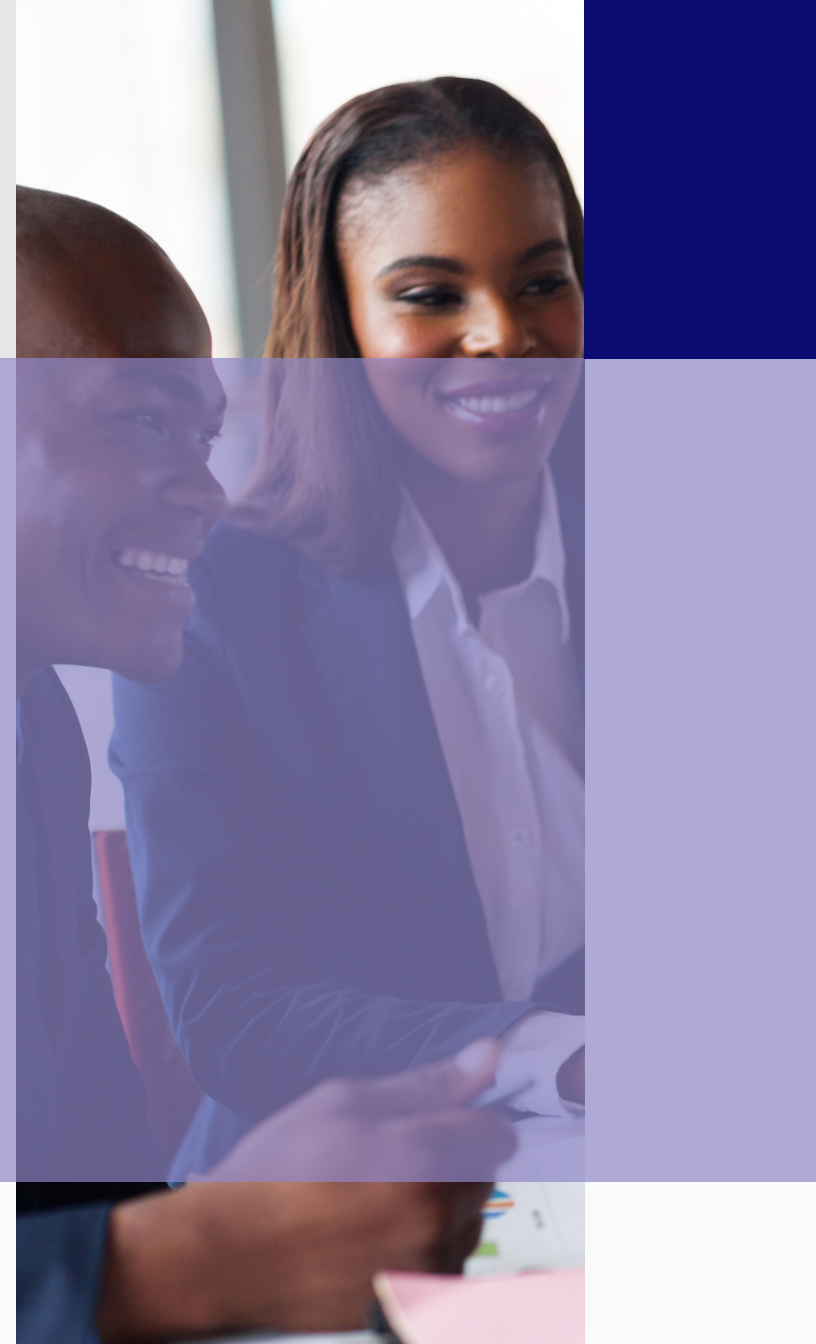
- **The employing organization must be a branch or wholly-owned subsidiary of an established business in the UK.**
- **When sponsoring a Global Mobility applicant, the sponsor must hold a valid licence for this category of worker, and ensure that the employment on offer in the UK meets the relevant skill and salary requirements.**



APPLICATION PROCESS

In addition to the points-based requirements, a Global Mobility Visa applicant from a listed country must provide:

- A valid TB test certificate.
- Those applying for either entry clearance or leave to remain, where they have been in the UK for less than 12 months, must also satisfy a financial requirement.
- The financial requirement must be met by showing proof of funds of at least £1,270, where the sponsor is unable to certify maintenance under this route.





APPLICATION PROCESS

The applicant must have:

- A valid CoS from a UK licensed sponsor.
- A passport or other travel document showing their identity and nationality.
- Evidence that they have worked for their employer outside the UK for a period of at least 12 months, where applicable.
- Proof of funds, where applicable.
- Valid tuberculosis test certificate, if from a listed country.





APPLICATION PROCESS

The applicant will need to complete an online application, using their **CoS reference number**. They can apply for a visa up to 3 months before the day that they're due to start work in the UK, as listed on the sponsorship certificate.

As part of your application, you will need to prove your identity and provide any documents in support. You may also need to attend an appointment to do this and to provide biometric information. You will be told if an appointment is needed when you apply.



APPLICATION COSTS

To apply for the Global Mobility Visa, there are various costs involved. In addition to needing funds of at least £1,270, where applicable, the applicant will need to pay an application fee of £259 and the annual immigration health surcharge of £624.

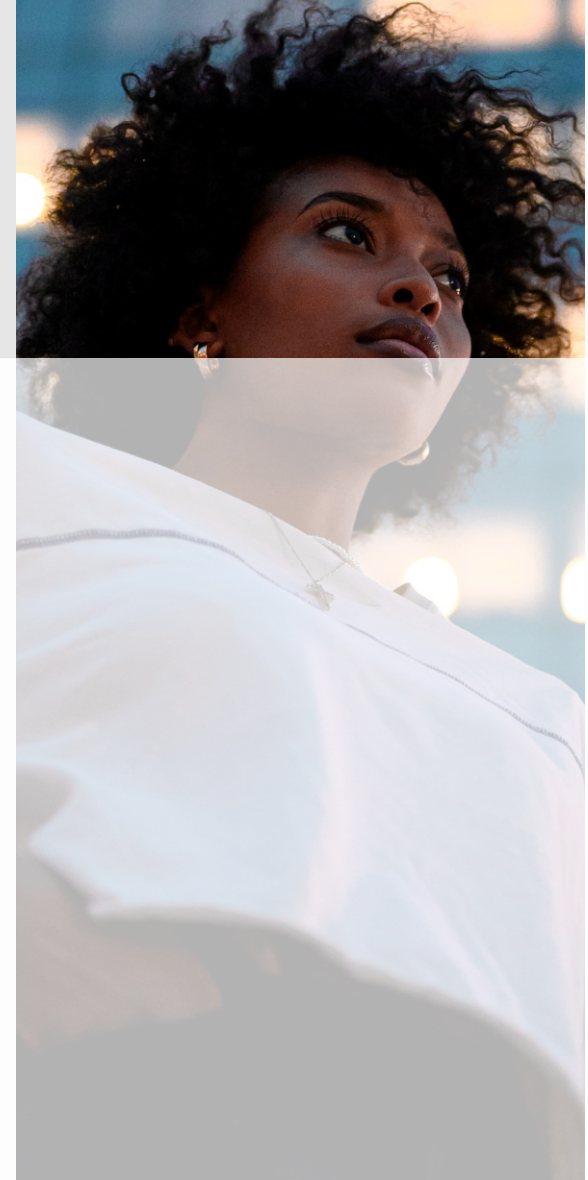
The business will also need to factor in the cost of applying for sponsorship, plus a fee for issuing each CoS. The fee will be the standard fee for a sponsor licence of £536, regardless of the size or charitable status of the sponsor. The fee for issuing a CoS is £21.



HOW LONG DOES A GLOBAL MOBILITY LAST?

When your application for a Global Business Mobility – UK Expansion Worker Visa is approved, you will be granted entry clearance for one year. If you want to stay longer in the UK, you will be able to apply to extend your visa for a further 12 months.

The Visa does not lead directly to settlement in the UK. However, once in the UK, we assist our clients with switching into another immigration route which does lead to settlement, such as the Skilled Worker route or the Start-up route when combined with the Innovator route.





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speak to our experts.**





OUR PROCESS

- 1**
Initial Consultation
- 2**
Client Onboarding
- 3**
Start Case Structuring
- 4**
Complete Business Plan
- 5**
UK Company Formation
- 6**
Apply For Sponsor License
- 7**
Sponsorship License Granted
- 8**
Case Structuring For Visa Application
- 9**
Visa Application For Main Applicants And Their Dependants
- 10**
Visas Granted
- 11**
Resident Permit Collection
- 12**
Business Bank Account Opening
- 13**
Secure Virtual or Physical Office
- 14**
Post Approval Guidance



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Take your business to the next level and secure your families future in the United Kingdom with the Global Mobility Visa.



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