



Visa Branch
U.S. Embassy London
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Documents Required in Support of an I Visa Application

You are required to furnish the following in support of your visa application:

- Confirmation page of the online nonimmigrant visa application form DS-160;
- Appointment confirmation page (if relevant)
- A passport or other travel document valid for at least six months beyond your period of stay in the United States with at least one blank page - the six-month requirement does not apply to United Kingdom passports. For other nationalities, please see <http://dld.bz/ah29g> Note: If the passport is damaged, we recommend that you obtain a new passport before applying for the visa to avoid any delay in the processing of your application;
- One 5 x 5 cm (2" by 2") color photograph taken within the last six months – for further information click here and see our [Slideshare presentation](#);
- Evidence of your status in the United Kingdom if not a U.K. or EU passport holder;
- Evidence of previously issued U.S. visas if not contained in the current passport;
- Staff Journalist** – a letter from the employer which gives the following information: name; position held within the company and purpose and length of stay in the United States.
Freelance Journalist under contract to a media organization - a letter from the organization that gives the following information: name; purpose and length of stay in the U.S. and duration of contract.
Media Film Crew - a letter from the employer which gives the following information: name; position held within company; title and brief description of the program being filmed and period of time required for filming in the United States.
Independent Production Company - a letter from the employer which gives the following information: name; position held within company; title and brief description of the program being filmed and period of time required for filming in the United States.
- If you have ever been [arrested and/or have a criminal conviction](#), have [a medical ineligibility](#), or have been [denied entry into or deported](#) from the United States the documents relating to your situation. Please click on the relevant links for further information.
- If you are a professional or academic in the area of science and technology, please [click here](#) for additional information.

If your application is successful, you should allow approximately **five workdays** for the visa to be processed at the end of which, the passport will be handed to the courier company for delivery. Once the courier company is in receipt of your passport, you will be able to track the delivery by going to <http://usvisa-info.com> and signing-in with your user account id.

Reminder: We always recommend that individuals apply for visas well in advance of their proposed date of travel. No assurances regarding the issuance of visas can be given in advance. Therefore, final travel plans or the purchase of non refundable ticket should not be made until a visa has been issued and you are in receipt of the passport.