

CONFERENCE VISA

LIST OF DOCUMENTS REQUIRED FOR A CONFERENCE VISA

- 1 **Original passport valid for a minimum of 6 months (or for the validity requested, if greater) and having at least 3 blank visa pages (of which 2 must be side by side)** ☐
- 2 **A photocopy of the data page of the passport** ☐
- 3 **Two photographs conforming to Indian Government norms as per specifications mentioned on our website** ☐
 - ☐ Please note photographs available in photo booths in France are not compatible with Indian norms
 - ☐ Photos should be glued to the form: the first on page 1 in the box provided and the second on the bottom right hand corner of page 2
 - ☐ Photo booths complying to the Indian norms are available in our Paris and Marseille offices
- 4 **An Indian Government visa application form duly filled in online** ☐
 - ☐ Your form should be signed in the box under the photograph on page 1. This signature will be scanned and should match the signature on your passport
 - ☐ You should validate the data on your form and accept the declaration on page 2 by signing at the bottom of page 2
- 5 **Original letter of invitation as a delegate to the conference issued by the organisers, showing the name of the applicant, written in English and on official organisation letterhead** ☐
- 6 **If the organiser is: the Indian government (Ministry, State Government, Union territory Administration) or an organisation owned and controlled by the Indian government, a Public Sector Undertaking, a Public Funded University or a Central Educational Institution, the United Nations or one of the specialised agencies** ☐
 - If the organiser is: none of the above or an NGO**
 - ☐ Clearance letter issued by the Ministry of Home Affairs (MHA) ☐
 - ☐ Clearance letter issued by the Ministry of External Affairs ☐
 - ☐ Clearance letter issued by the Nodal Ministry (ex: agriculture, health...) ☐
 - ☐ Clearance letter issued by the State Government or Union Territory Administration of the region hosting the conference ☐
- 7 **Additional documents mentioned below as per your case** ☐

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If the applicant is of Indian origin (born Indian) and has held an Indian passport in the past (one of below document to be provided)

- ☐ A copy of their "Surrender Certificate" (if you do not have this you may refer to our website for details) ☐
- ☐ A copy of their cancelled Indian passport ☐
- ☐ A "Sworn Affidavit" which can be obtained at the Embassy of India ☐

If the applicant is of Indian origin (born in India) and was granted a nationality other than Indian by birth (one of the below documents must be provided)

- ☐ A copy of their first passport (provided that it was delivered in India) ☐
- ☐ A copy of their "Nationality Certificate" specifying that they have obtained their current nationality by filiation/birth. This certificate must specify an address of residency in India ☐
- ☐ A "Sworn Affidavit" which can be obtained at the Embassy of India ☐

If the applicant is holding a non-French passport or having dual nationality

- ☐ Reference Form as per your current nationality ☐
- ☐ If resident in France: copy of your resident card or an EDF/France Télécom bill (optional but recommended) ☐
- ☐ Additional documents as per your current or previous nationality, as applicable ☐

If the applicant is holding a French or non-French passport being of Pakistani origin

- ☐ Reference Form as per your origin ☐
- ☐ Additional documents as per your origin, as applicable ☐

I hereby certify that I have submitted a complete application and that I know and accept the minimum processing times required for my visa application.

Date:

Signature: