

## D2: Resident Visa for Independent Professionals or Entrepreneurial Immigrants

Sr. No.	Type of Documents	Remarks	Yes	No
1.	Application Form	Filled out entirely by the applicant and duly signed.		
2.	Valid Passport	The Passport must be valid for at least three months following the duration of the intended stay.		
3.	Passport Photographs	Two identical, current, and in good-condition passport photographs, allowing for proper identification.		
4.	Travel Reservation	Travel arrangements ensure the applicant's return to their country of origin.		
5.	Travel Insurance	Valid travel insurance covers necessary medical expenses, including repatriation and emergency assistance.		
6.	SEF Clearance	Form permitting consultation of the Portuguese criminal record by the Immigration and Border Services known as SEF (Servico de Estrangeiros e Fronteiras).		
7.	Police criminal record certificate (PCC)	Police criminal record from home country, police criminal record from the resident country for more than a year. The Police Clearance Certificate is only effective for three months following the date of issuance. Old, outdated PCCs are not acceptable.		

8.	Evidence of Accommodations (Junta)	Confirmation of a hotel or apartment reservation. Documentation demonstrating that the applicant has adequate accommodation.		
9.	Proof of subsistence, (bank & income)	Evidence of means of sustenance, which may be generated via a term of responsibility issued by the worker hosting body or corporation.		
10.	Documents Required for the Practice of a Professional Activity Independently	As an independent service provider with a work contract, Proof of relevant academic credentials or work experience related to the work contract. Proof that the applicant is qualified to practice the profession and that it is regulated in Portugal.		
11.	Documents required from immigrants who are entrepreneurs or seeking start-up visas.	Document evidencing the applicant's prior investment activity or the possession of the necessary financial resources in Portugal to carry out an operation of this nature. Or A document evidencing the applicant's possession of financial resources in Portugal, including those obtained from a Portuguese financial institution, and the applicant's intent to engage in an investment operation in Portugal – the nature of the investment must be specified. Or A declaration issued by the IAPMEI (Agência para a Competitividade e Inovaco, I.P.) certifying the signing of an incubation contract with a certified incubator, per Article 60 of Ordinance no. 4/2018 of the Minister of Economy, dated February 2, which regulates the Start-up Visa Programs.		

For further information, please don't hesitate to contact the **Zajl** office.