

UNITED KINGDOM Skilled Worker Self-Sponsorship





UK Business Landscape

The United Kingdom has become a top destination for investors, offering a stable and favourable environment for business expansion and investment. The UK's ranking among the top 5 countries in the Global Innovation Index is largely due to its highly skilled workforce.. To attract foreign investment, the UK government has introduced various business immigration routes, welcoming entrepreneurs, investors, and skilled workers to contribute to the country's thriving economy.

Additionally, the UK's strategic location, with easy access to European and global markets, makes it an ideal hub for international trade and investment. The country's diverse economy, rich in industries such as finance, technology, and healthcare, also provides a wide range of opportunities for investors and entrepreneurs.

Country Overview

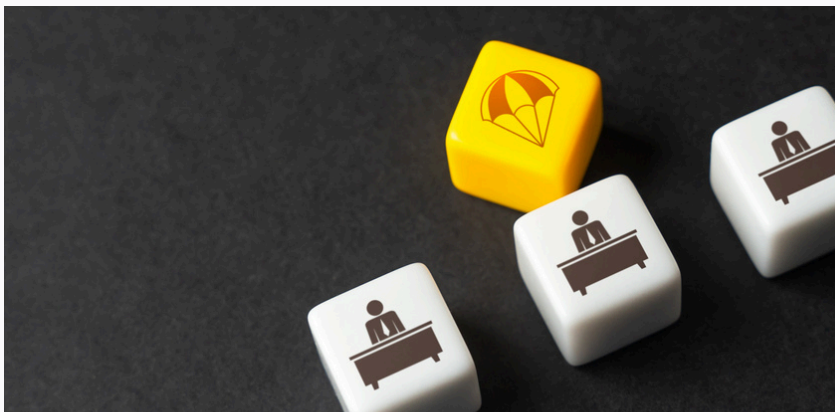
- Location: Northwest Europe
- Capital: London
- Area: 243,610 sq. km (93,625 sq. mi)
- Population: approximately 67 million
- Official Language: English
- Currency: Pound Sterling (GBP)
- Organizations: Commonwealth, G7, G20, NATO, OECD, and UN Security Council



About the Program

The Skilled Worker - Self-Sponsorship Visa offers a unique opportunity for entrepreneurs outside the UK to live and work in the region. This self-sponsorship visa allows individuals to work in eligible job roles with approved organisations.

The visa provides several benefits. Initially, individuals can apply for a 5-year visa to live and work in the UK. Furthermore, the visa can be renewed an unlimited number of times, provided the individual continues to meet the relevant requirements. After 5 years, individuals may be eligible for Permanent Residency (PR) in the UK, offering a pathway to long-term settlement in the country.



Program Benefits

01

Secure a 5-year visa to live and work in the UK, with the option to renew indefinitely.

02

After 5 years, become eligible for Permanent Residency (PR) in the UK, offering a pathway to long-term settlement.

03

As a self-sponsored visa holder, you have the freedom to work in an eligible job role with an approved organisation, without the need for employer sponsorship.

04

Leverage the UK's strategic location and business-friendly environment to expand your professional network and access new markets.

05

Enhance your career prospects, develop new skills, and experience the cultural and economic diversity of the UK.

06

Eligibility to bring dependents, including spouse and children, to live with you in the UK, providing opportunity for family reunification



ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

1. **Genuine and Active UK Company:** The applicant must establish a legally registered and compliant business in the UK.
2. **Sponsor License:** The company must obtain a Skilled Worker sponsor license from the UK Home Office.
3. **Certificate of Sponsorship (CoS):** The company must assign you a valid CoS for the specific job role.
4. **Financial Self-Sufficiency:** The applicant must demonstrate sufficient funds to support yourself without relying on public funds.
5. **Genuine UK Business:** The applicant's UK business must be a genuine business operating lawfully in the UK.
6. **Sponsor Duties:** The applicant's UK business must be capable of carrying out its sponsor duties effectively.

PROCESS

Stage 1
Establish a UK Business

Set up a UK-based company that meets the requirements for a sponsor license, ensuring legitimacy and genuine employment

Stage 2
Apply for a Sponsor License:

Submit an application to the UK Visas and Immigration (UKVI) and wait for processing.



Stage 3
Certificate of Sponsorship (CoS)

Once the sponsor license is granted, a CoS is issued with a unique reference number.

Stage 4
Prepare Visa Application

Gather and prepare supporting documents, such as proof of financial stability and English language proficiency.



Stage 5
Submit Visa Application

Apply for the Skilled Worker visa using the CoS and wait for processing.

Stage 6
Receive Visa Decision

Receive the outcome of the visa application, which may be subject to additional time depending on individual circumstances.



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