

NON-IMMIGRANT VISA CATEGORIES

Visa Category	Visa Type	Description
Official Government Travel	A-1	Official foreign government (ambassador, public minister, career diplomat)
	A-2	Official foreign government (other foreign government official, military)
	A-3	Employee of A
	Eligible Dependent of A-1, A-2 or A-3	Eligible Dependent of A-1, A-2 or A-3
Visitor Visa	B-1	Business Visitor
	B-2	Pleasure, tourism, medical treatment visitor
	B-1/B-2	Business and pleasure visitor
	BCC	Border crossing card: Mexico
Transit Visa	C-1	Transit to the U.S.
	C-2	Transit to the United Nations
	C-3	Transit to the U.S. (Foreign Gov't officials)
	C-4	Transit – Department of Homeland Security
Crewmember Visa	C-1/D	Transit/certified crew member combination
	D-1	Certified crew member – sea or air
	D-2	Certified crew member – fishing vessel
Trade Treaty Work Visa	E-1	Treaty trader – employee, spouse, and/or child
	E-2	Treaty investor – employee, spouse, and/or child
	E-3	“Specialty occupation” – Australia
	Eligible Dependent of E-1, E-2, or E-3	Eligible Dependent of E-1, E-2 or E-3
Student Visa	F-1	Academic student
	F-2	Spouse or child of an F-1
	F-3	Academic commuter – Canada or Mexico
	GB	Business visitor – Guam
Employees of International Organizations and NATO	G-1	Mission member – designated international organization
	G-2	Representative of a recognized or member foreign government
	G-3	Representative of non-recognized or non-member government
	G-4	Appointment – designated international organization
	G-5	Employee of G
	Eligible Dependent of G-1, G-2, G-3, G-4, or G-5	Eligible Dependent of G-1, G-2, G-3, G-4, or G-5
Temporary Work Visa (All H-1 Visas should annotate the Borrowers current employer as reflected on the 1003)	H-1	Worker of distinguished merit and ability
	H-1A	Registered Nurse
	H-1B	Specialty Occupation
	H-1B1	Specialty Occupation – Chile or Singapore
	H-1B2	Specialty Occupation – U.S. Department of Defense
	H-1B3	Fashion model of distinguished merit and ability
	H-1C	Registered nurse – U.S. Department of Labor

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	H-2	Worker performing services unavailable in U.S.
	H-2A	Temporary or seasonal agricultural worker
	H-2B	Non-agricultural worker
	H-3	Trainee other than medical or academic
	H-4	Spouse or child of H
Media Work Visa	I	Foreign media outlet (press, radio, film, or other)
Immigrant Visa for Spouse of a U.S. Citizen	IR1	Spouse of a U.S. Citizen
	CR1	
Exchange Visitor Visa	J-1	Student – exchange visitor
	J-2	Spouse or child of J-1
Non-Immigrant Visa for Fiancé(e)	K-1	Fiance(e) – purpose of marriage
	K-2	Child of K-1
Non-Immigrant Visa for Spouse	K-3	Spouse of a U.S. citizen, visa must be issued by the country that performed the marriage
	K-4	Minor child of K-3
Temporary Employment Visa	L-1	Intracompany transferee
	L-1A	Intracompany transfer – managerial or executive
	L-1B	Intracompany transfer – specialized knowledge
	L-2	Spouse or child of L
Student Visa	M-1	Vocational Student
	M-2	Spouse or child of M1
	M-3	Vocational student – Canada or Mexico
Employees of International Organizations and NATO	NATO -1	Official Staff – NATO
	NATO -2	Adviser – NATO
	NATO -3	Clerical staff – NATO
	NATO -4	Member – NATO
	NATO -5	Expert – NATO
	NATO -6	Civilian – NATO – “Status of Forces”
	NATO -7	Employee of NATO -1-6
Temporary Employment Visa	NATO 1-6	Spouse or child of NATO 1-6
	O-1	Extraordinary ability in analysis, business, education, entertainment
	O-2	Assistant to O-1
	O-3	Spouse or child of O-1

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	P-1A	Internationally recognized athlete
	P-1B	Internationally recognized entertainer (artist)
	P-2	Performer (artist) – reciprocal exchange program
	P-3	Entertainer (artist) – culturally unique program
	P-4	Spouse or child of P1
	Q-1	International cultural exchange program
	Q-2	Spouse or child of Q-1
Temporary Religious Worker Visa	R-1	Religious Occupation
	R-2	Spouse or child of R-1
Witnesses and Informants Visa	S-1/S-2 (also coded as S-5 and S-6)	Informant
	S-7	Spouse or child of S5-6
Victims of Trafficking	T-1	Victim – human trafficking
	T-2	Spouse of T-1
	T-3	Child of T-1
	T-4	Parent of an under-21 T-1
NAFTA Professional Workers Visa	TD	Spouse or child of TN
	TN	Professional under NAFTA – Mexico or Canada
Crime Victims Visa	U-1	Victim of criminal activity
	U-2	Spouse of U-1
	U-3	Child of U-1
	U-4	Parent of an under-21 U-1
	V-1	Spouse of a permanent resident (delayed)
	V-2	Child, under-21, of V-1
Tourism or Business	V-3	Spouse or child accompanying a principal beneficiary
	WB	Business visitor – visa waiver program
	WT	Tourist visitor – visa waiver program