

CHECKLIST OF REQUIRED DOCUMENTS: TEMPORARY RESIDENCE PERMIT PURPOSE RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT



1. Valid passport



2. Entry permit

- national visa D or
- valid residence permit in another EU member state or
- arrival based on [visa-free regime](#) (applicable only to selected countries)



3. Application form

- completely filled in **Slovak language, signed** by applicant, print one-sided
- Application form: [Application for temporary residence permit](#)

- see the [video tutorial of Migration Information Centre of IOM](#)
- see also [instructions here](#)



4. Hosting Agreement

- in Slovak language or bilingual
- with the stamp + signatures of both parties (researcher and statutory representative of the institute)
- templates available at [our website](#)



5. Criminal Record Extract

- from the country where the researcher has resided the longest period in the last 10 years
- apostilled/superlegalised (depends on the country of issuance) – see more information [here](#)
- translated to Slovak by certified translator from the [List of translators](#)



Not mandatory:

Confirmation of accommodation

- it is not required; if the researcher will not submit it, the police will enter „Bratislava city“ at the residence card as an address

+ FEES PAID IN STAMPS

The issuance and delivery of a residence card:

- 10 € fee paid in stamps for standard issuance within 30 days FROM the date of decision on application in case of an in-person application; or counted from the date of fulfilment of the obligation to report the start of residence to the Foreign Police within 3 working days of entry, if the application for temporary residence was submitted at a diplomatic mission abroad
- 39 € fee paid in stamps for express issuance within 2 days FROM the date of decision on application in case of an in-person application; or counted from the date of fulfilment of the obligation to report the start of residence to the Foreign Police within 3 working days of entry, if the application for temporary residence was submitted at a diplomatic mission abroad

Stamps can be bought in a machine at the Foreign Police (possible to use bank card or cash) or in advance via various ways – see: <https://www.posta.sk/sluzby/ekolok> ✨

Please note:

- documents must be **originals or certified copies** (certified at Notary office), the police does not return the documents back (except for passport with visa or valid residence card of another EU member state)
- documents submitted at the Foreign Police **must not be older than 90 days** (from the date of issuance) **on a date of submitting an application**
- the police has **30 days period to decide on your application** + another 30 or 2 days (depends on the fee paid) for issuance of a residence card

See more information here:

<https://euraxesspoint.sav.sk/information/researcher/after-arrival-to-sk/researcher-third-country-national/>
<https://mic.iom.sk/en/residence/temporary-residence.html> ✨

