

Passport Number \_\_\_\_\_

## Checklist for Students, Research and Internship Visa

S.No.	Documentation	YES	NO
1	<b>Application form:</b> fully completed in English or German language and signed by the applicant		
2	<b>Passport:</b> (a) its validity shall extend at least three months after the intended date of departure from the territory of the Member States or, in the case of several visits, after the last intended date of departure from the territory of the Member States; (b) it shall contain at least two blank pages; (c) it shall have been issued within the previous 10 years; (d) no alteration or handwritten amendment concerning the data page		
3	<b>Two photographs:</b> shall be in accordance with the international standards as set out in the International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO)		
4	<b>Valid permit to return</b> (if applicable) e.g. valid Indian Residency Permit or return visa to India for citizens of Bangladesh / Bhutan / India / Maldives / Nepal / Sri Lanka. For Tibetans travelling on Indian IC (yellow Identity Certificate) it is mandatory to hold a Return Visa (valid until at least three months after your intended return to India) apart from the stamped entry "No objection to return to India" (NORI) in the IC.		
5	<b>Travel medical insurance</b> shall be valid throughout the territory of the Member States and cover the entire period of the person's intended stay or transit. The minimum coverage shall be EUR 30 000. Applicants for a uniform visa for multiple entries may prove that they are in possession of adequate and valid travel medical insurance covering the period of their first intended visit.		
6	<b>Cover letter</b> explaining the purpose of the trip		
7	<b>Confirmation of present student status</b> e.g. original letter from school / college / university, student card, certificates etc.		
8	<b>Certificate of admission or registration</b> at an educational institute for the purpose of attending academic or vocational courses, or cover letter from the host company		
9	<b>Evidence of payment of tuition fee</b> or acceptance of scholarship for the intended studies in Austria or 11)		
10	<b>Proof of sufficient funds</b> to cover overall cost of living during the probable duration of study in Austria or 11)		
11	<b>Electronic letter of guarantee of sponsor</b> - "EVE - Elektronische Verpflichtungserklärung" <a href="http://www.bmi.gv.at/cms/BMI_Fremdenpolizei/einreise_visum/Visum_6.aspx">http://www.bmi.gv.at/cms/BMI_Fremdenpolizei/einreise_visum/Visum_6.aspx</a> obtained by the sponsor at the competent „Fremdenpolizeibehörde“ of the sponsor's district in Austria (if applicable)		
12	Proof of <b>accommodation</b> in Austria or <b>letter of acceptance</b> at the school's / college's / university's dormitory or 11)		
13	<b>Round-trip flight bookings - travel itinerary:</b> airline reservation and proof of other means of travel within Austria/EU		
14	<b>Minor travelers:</b> a) a minor accompanied by one parent shall provide an Original notarized NOC by the other parent , plus copies of parents passports or ID b) a minor travelling alone shall provide an Original notarized NOC by both parents / legal guardians, plus copies of parents passports or ID		

15	<b>Copy of the present passport</b> (data pages, pages with evidence of previous visa, travel)		
16	<b>Original(s) of previous passport(s)</b> or proof of loss		

**Important Notes:**

- *Processing can take up to 15 calendar days after receiving the application. Status queries will be responded after the above time frame only and shall be primarily addressed to the VFS-office of application or by e-mail to: [NEW-DELHI-KA@bmeia.qv.at](mailto:NEW-DELHI-KA@bmeia.qv.at)*
- *However, in individual cases, that period may be extended up to 30 calendar days in, particularly when further scrutiny of the application is needed. In case the authorities of the Member State are consulted or additional documentation is needed, this period may be extended up to a maximum of 60 calendar days.*
- *Applicant are advised that during the examination of an application, consulates may in justified cases request additional documents in accordance with Article 21 (8) of Regulation (EC) No 810/2009 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 13 July 2009 establishing a Community Code on Visas. The Embassy reserves the right to ask for additional documents or personal interview.*

**Following documents have not been submitted by the applicant despite the fact that he has been requested to do so before lodging visa application:**

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**Applicant's Signature .....**Date.....

**VFS Staff's Name .....**Signature.....