# **Migration requirements**

#### **FAQ**

### Can I submit my parents' bank account statement since they are supporting me financially?

You can submit the statement from your parents' bank account. In this case you also need to present the notarized affidavit as a proof that your parents agree to support you financially.

### How can I do a double legalization for my non-criminal record (Police Clearance Certificate)?

If your country is not included in the Hague Convention and your documents cannot be certified with an Apostille, you need to proceed with the double legalization.

First, your document must be legalized by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the country where the document was issued. Second, after arriving in Lithuanian you need to legalize your certificate at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs in Lithuania. The detailed information about the procedure you can find HERE.

# May I come and stay in Lithuania if I am not a citizen of EU but I have EU residence permit issued by one of the EU member state?

A foreigner who is not a citizen of a European Union state but has a European Union residence permit issued by one of the European Union member states, may come to the Republic of Lithuania and stay in the Republic of Lithuania without visas for *more than 90 days in any 180-day period*. However, if they plan to stay for more than 90 days, they must obtain a Temporary Residence Permit for studies from the Migration Department.

## Can my family members apply for TRP?

Yes. Master's & PhD degree students family members can apply for a TRP based on family.

## Can I apply for D visa in Lithuania?

You can apply for visa D only in one case if you have submitted an application for a residence permit in Lithuania and are waiting for a decision.

### Can my TRP or visa be revoked?

If you go on the academic leave or your study agreement is terminated, your TRP/visa will be revoked within a couple of weeks, and you need to go back to your home country. You will have to apply for a new national visa in order to come back to Lithuania if your student status is regained.

# Can my TRP renewal application be rejected?

In order to renew a TRP, you need to have no less than 40 academic credits finished per 1 last study year. In case the number of credits is lower, and you cannot not provide a valid reason (sickness, the death of a relative, etc.) and supporting documents, the Migration Department might reject your application.

## Can I work during my studies?

Yes, you can find a job while you have a student status, but only after you obtain a Temporary Residence Permit. A student cannot work while having a national visa D. Bachelor's and master's degree students can work full-time during your studies. Please find more information <u>HERE</u>.

#### I want to open a bank account in Lithuania, where can I do it?

Please find information about banks in Lithuania <u>HERE</u>. In order to open a bank account in Lithuania, you will be required to submit the documents, which proves you are a student in Lithuania. You can order this certificate on the **LSMUSIS**, certificate ordering section.

#### I want to get a health insurance in Lithuania. Where can I get it?

You can contact any health insurance company in Lithuania. The list of insurance companies you can find <u>HERE</u>. If you need more information about health insurance, please contact to Rūta <u>ruta.antanaitiene@lsmuni.lt</u>

## **How long it takes to issue a TRP?**

To issue a **new/renew** TRP takes within 2 months (general procedure) or within 1 months (urgent procedure) after the application is accepted during the appointment at the Migration Department.

#### How long my TRP will be valid?

The TRP is being issued for maximum 2 years or until the expected graduation date.

If the TRP is issued until the expected graduation date, the Migration Department adds 6 months after the graduation.

# I graduated the university and would like to stay in Lithuania and look for a job. Can I apply for a TRP?

You can apply for a TRP for a job searching purpose. This document can be issued for a maximum 12-month period. In order to apply for this TRP, you will have to fill in the application on the <u>MGRIS</u> system. Instead of the mediation letter from the University, you will be required to submit your graduation diploma. You can find a list of required documents and more information about the procedure <u>HERE</u> (section "I am a foreigner who has completed studies in Lithuania or a researcher who has completed research and experimental development work").

# When can I apply for LRP (Long-term Residence Permit)?

After 5 years of non-interrupted TRP you can apply for LRP. More information HERE.

## If I become illegal in Lithuania. What I have to do?

Immediately you must contact to International Coordinator Milda milda.mankeleviciene@lsmuni.lt 8 37 327299.