

VANUATU



CITIZENSHIP BY INVESTMENT PROGRAMME

Global community - Global citizenship

ABOUT VANUATU

Vanuatu, officially known as the Republic of Vanuatu, is an archipelago nation, spread across 82 islands in the south Pacific Ocean. The country's capital and largest city is Port Villa and its official languages are Bislama, French and English – though over 100 languages are estimated to be spoken locally. The local currency is the Vanuatu Valu (VAV). Vanuatu enjoys strong relationships with many powerful nations around the world, with close cultural and economic ties to Australia, New Zealand and much of the European Union. The country is also a member of the Commonwealth of Nations, the World Bank, and the International Monetary Fund.

MAKE MORE THAN A VISIT TO VANUATU

Vanuatu represents most people's idea of paradise. This largely undiscovered tropical chain of islands in the south Pacific is peaceful, vibrant and culturally diverse. As well as offering deserted beaches, rugged landscapes and ancient culture, Vanuatu also offers up a warm welcome to international travellers to its shores. But there's much more to this island nation than white sand, blue skies and clear seas. Vanuatu offers a stable, secure, home from home for those who want it, as well as a passport offering incredible global freedom for investors wishing to spread their wings.

WHY CHOOSE VANUATU?

FAST ACCESS TO SECOND CITIZENSHIP: The Vanuatu Honorary Citizenship Programme is incredibly fast. You could have your new passport in-hand within 45-60 days.

HASSLE-FREE TRAVEL: Vanuatu passport holders can travel to over 120 countries on visa-free or visa-on-arrival terms. That includes the UK and all of Europe, Hong Kong, Singapore and Russia.

BUSINESS BENEFITS: Vanuatu is tax-free, apart from VAT and customs tax. That means zero corporation tax for both domestic and international companies, and exemption from capital gains.

A SAFE AND SECURE FUTURE FOR YOUR FAMILY: Your Vanuatu citizenship extends to up to four direct family members. This means spouse, children under 18, dependent children under 25, and dependent parents over the age of 65.

A MORE EXCLUSIVE PASSPORT: Not as widely promoted or widely known. A very interesting alternative to the usual Caribbean programmes.

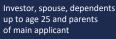


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12,189 km²



USD 775 million

up to age 25 and parents



VISA-FREE COUNTRIES

129

Oceania



English

HOW TO APPLY

The Vanuatu citizenship-by-investment application process is both simple and affordable. Investors are required to make a USD 160.000 donation into the Development Support Programme (plus nominal fees) for a single applicant, or USD 220,000 for up to four direct family members.

BENEFITS

- Residency requirement: No mandatory residency requirements.
- Timeline: 45-60 days for passport and citizenship.
- Visa-free travel: 129 countries, including the UK and all of Europe, Hong Kong, Singapore and Russia.
- Investment type: Donation to Development Support Programme.

PROCESS

- Apply for pre-approval. You'll need your existing passport (certified copy) a second form of certified ID copy (such as a driving license), a police clearance report showing you've got a clean criminal record, and a personal profile (CV). Your provider will work with you to secure these. A one-off due diligence fee of EUR5,000 is payable at the same time as document submission (bitcoin acceptable).
- Gain pre-approval and submit investment. Within ten days of initial application, you'll gain written confirmation of clearance to proceed (in effect a "pre-approval") from the Vanuatu government Financial Intelligence Unit (FIU), and make your full payment along with the remaining documentation filing.
- Take oath and become a citizen. The last step is to take your citizenship oath, which is a requirement from the Vanuatu Government's Commissioner of Oath. This is a ceremony where you pledge your allegiance to Vanuatu, and in return become a full citizen of Vanuatu with all the associated rights. At this stage you get your Certificate of Citizenship and your new passport.
- Submit for screening. The Vanuatu Citizen Commission will examine your application for citizenship to check that you have obtained the requisite clearance to proceed (FIU), and to check that all stipulated documentation and payment has been received. You will be guided through this to ensure that the documents are presented at this stage in full, with no errors or omissions
- Confirmation by the Prime Minister. The Citizenship Commission will inform the Prime Minister who, as a formality will confirm your citizenship with the President who personally signs your Citizenship Certificate.

You do not have to be physically in Vanuatu to take your oath.

INVESTMENT

The following investment serves as a qualifier for the Vanuatu citizenship-byinvestment programme:

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Single:	USD 160,000
Married Couple:	USD 185,000
Married Couple + one child under 18:	USD 200,000
Married Couple + two children under 18:	USD 220,000

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AFRICA	ASIA	EUROPE	MIDDLE EAST
Benin	Bangladesh	Andorra	单 Israel
Botswana	Cambodia	Austria	Palestinian Territory
Cape Verde Islands	Hong Kong (SAR China)	Belarus	
Comores Islands	Indonesia	Belgium	OCEANIA
Eswatini (Swaziland)	Laos	Bosnia and Herzegovina	
Gambia	Macao (SAR China)	Bulgaria	Cook Islands
Kenya	Malaysia	Croatia	🚟 👎 🛛 Fiji
Lesotho	Maldives	Cyprus	French Polynesia
Madagascar	Nepal	Czech Republic	Kiribati
Malawi	Philippines	Denmark	Marshall Islands
Mauritania Mauritius	Singapore	Estonia	Micronesia
	Sri Lanka	Faroe Islands	Nauru
Mozambique Rwanda	Timor-Leste	Finland France	New Caledonia
		Germany	Niue
Senegal	CARIBBEAN	Gibraltar	Palau Islands
Somalia		Greece	Samoa
St. Helena	Antigua and Barbuda	Greenland	Solomon Islands
Tanzania	Bahamas	Hungary	* Tonga
	w Barbados	Iceland	Tuvalu
Uganda	British Virgin Islands	Ireland	
Zambia	Kayman Islands	Italy	E-VISA
Zimbabwe	Dominica	Kosovo	
	Dominican Republic	Latvia	Armenia
AMERICAS	Grenada	Liechtenstein	Bolivia
AWIERICAS	Haiti	Lithuania	
	Jamaica	Luxembourg	Djibouti
Belize	 Montserrat Saint Kitts and Nevis 	Malta	e Egypt
Bermuda		Moldova	Guinea-Bissau
Costa Rica	Saint Lucia V St Vincent and the Grenadines	Monaco	Iran
Ecuador	Trinidad and Tobago	Montenegro	Papua New Guinea
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Honduras		Poland	
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