



## **STUDENT VISA REQUIRMENTS**

To obtain the student visa you need to contact the concerned university in Argentina for the admission. Once you get register yourself in the university and you have paid the required fees, the university will contact the Department of Immigration in Argentina in order to get you a student visa. The university will then get the residence permit for you from the immigration and will send it directly to you by post. The university is responsible for applying for your student visa.

As soon you receive the documents regarding the issuance of your visa you will then have to contact the Embassy of Argentine Republic in Pakistan with the followings:

### **Documents to Present:**

1. One set of Visa Application Form (Original) dated & signed by the applicant (preferably filled by computer)
  2. Sworn Statement dated & signed.
  3. Three recent photographs 4x4 cm with White background (put in an envelope - DO NOT PASTE).
  4. Photocopy (on A4 paper only) of Valid Passport (first & second page) including valid visas.
  5. Company's bank statements for the last 06 month (guardian's bank statement is also acceptable with the proof of guardianship) certified by the bank (with name stamp of bank officer).
  6. Round Trip Flight Itinerary: Ticket, E-Ticket or booking by travel agent (4weeks in advance from the date of interview).
  7. Hotel Reservation or accommodation arrangements (7 weeks in advance from the date of visa interview).  
Hotel/Accommodation Arrangements and Flight bookings must be corresponding.
  8. Original Birth Certificate (Attested by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Pakistan & Legalized by Consular Section of the Argentine Embassy).
  9. Original Police Clearance Certificate for the past five years issued by the Federal Police Department (Attested by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Pakistan & Legalized by Consular Section of the Argentine Embassy).
  10. Original Marriage Certificate (if any) (Attested by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Pakistan & Legalized by Consular Section of the Argentine Embassy).
  11. The School/University must obtain an Entry Permit from the Argentine Immigration (Dirección Nacional de Migraciones D.N.M.) and presented it to the Consular Section.
  12. Proof of Registration in the Institution.
  13. International Health Insurance.
  14. Original Invitation Letter must be written in Spanish, signed by the Argentine School/University must have the following information:
    - a. Complete details of institution/university inviting. Contact reference can only be a person not an institution.
    - b. Complete personal information of applicant, passport details, purpose of visit & time duration of academic session.
    - c. RENURE Number of institution/university must be mentioned in the invitation. Person/Institution inviting foreigners to Argentina must be registered in RENURE (Registro Nacional Único de Requirientes de Extranjeros).
    - d. Invitation Letter must be certified by a Notary Public (Escribano Público) and Notary Association (Colegio de Escribanos) in Argentina. Scanned copy of invitation letter is acceptable just to start visa process but Original Invitation Letter is mandatory.
  15. Head of the Consular Section/Consular staff can request additional documents or information in order to complete visa application before or after interview.
- Please note all documents in English must be translated into Spanish and signed by an authorized translator or notary public.



Consular Section  
Embajada de la República Argentina  
Islamabad

**Application Submission:** Applications (without original passport) can only be submitted via our Drop-Box service provider, FedEx (Gerry's International, Tel: 111 711 111). The Consular Section of the Argentine Embassy does not receive/deliver passports by Drop-Box or mail.

**Visa Interview:** All visa applicants shall be interviewed by the Head of the Consular Section in Islamabad. Interview shall be scheduled via email within one week **after submission of complete visa application** at Drop-Box. **Important:** Applications are entertained and applicants are interviewed only if all required documents are attached, otherwise the applications shall be denied on presentation.

**Visa Process:** All visas applications are analyzed one by one by the Competent Authorities in their own time frame. Submission of complete visa application/interview/invitation letter does not guarantee the issuance of visa. **Important:** After personal interview & submission of complete documents Visa process requires at least **25 DAYS**.

**Visa Fee:** When informed about the acceptance of the visa application and relevant documents for visa processing, the applicant have to deposit the visa processing fee, 150 USD in Habib Bank Limited, F-6 Islamabad. The fee deposit slip will be issued by the Embassy. The visa processing fee is non-refundable; it is only for initiating the visa process. It is neither dependent upon the results of the visa request nor it guarantees a positive outcome.

**VISA APPLICATIONS ARE RESOLVED BY ARGENTINE OFFICERS ONLY.**

**Warning:** The Embassy of the Argentine Republic warns all visa applicants that it is illegal to stay in Argentina beyond the validity of their visas. The Argentine Government reserves the right to act sternly if any applicant decides to overstay. The offender will then be placed in the custody of immigration authorities and made to leave the country.

**Contact Information:** *Embassy of the Argentine Republic* (House No. 24, Street No.18, F-6/2, Islamabad - 44000)

**Consular Section: Email:** consular\_epaki@mrecic.gov.ar

**Any visa related queries are not answered by telephone. Leave a message or for better & faster reply write an email, which will be replied as soon as possible.**