Employment Residence Visa(Expatriate): R2A

*R2A − Employment Visa (Expatriate) is a type of visa issued to persons who wish to take up employment in Nigeria, based on expatriate quota*

**Eligibility**

* Employed Expatriates to be placed on quota

**Requirements**

1. Passport valid for at least 6 months with at least 2 blank visa pages for endorsement
2. Formal application for R2A Visa from the Employer / Institution accepting Immigration Responsibility
3. Expatriate Quota Approval
4. Letters of Offer of Appointment and Acceptance of Offer
5. Educational qualifications and Curriculum Vitae

Spouse of Expatriate Visa-R2B

*R2B − Spouse of Expatriate Visa is a type of visa issued to spouse of employed expatriate placed on quota in Nigeria*

**Eligibility**

* Spouse of Employed Expatriates on quota

**Requirements**

1. Passport valid for at least 6 months with at least 2 blank visa pages for endorsement
2. Formal application for R2A Visa from the Employer / Institution accepting Immigration Responsibility
3. Letter from the principal immigrant

Dependent of Expatriate(Minor) Visa – R2C

*R2C − Dependant of Expatriate (Minor) Visa is issued to dependant of employed expatriate on quota who are less than 18 years of age*

**Eligibility**

* Dependants less than 18 years accompanying employed Expatriates on quota

**Requirements**

1. Passport/Travel Document NOT less than 6 months validity period.Must have two blank facing pages.Non-US passport holders MUST provide Residency Status in the U.S e.g. Green Card, Student Visa or Work Visa
2. Formal application for R2C Visa from the Employer / Institution of the principal accepting Immigration Responsibility
3. Letter from the principal immigrant

Dependent of Expatriate (18 Years & above) Visa – R2D

*R2D − Dependant of Expatriate (18 years and above) Visa is issued to dependants of employed expatriate on quota who are 18 years and above*

**Eligibility**

* Dependants − 18 years and above accompanying employed Expatriates on quota

**Requirements**

1. Passport/Travel Document NOT less than 6 months validity period.Must have two blank facing pages.Non-US passport holders MUST provide Residency Status in the U.S e.g. Green Card, Student Visa or Work Visa
2. Formal application for R2D Visa from the Employer / Institution of the principal accepting Immigration Responsibility
3. Letter from the principal immigrant

Dependent of Expatriate (Aged Parents-65years & above) Visa – R2E

*R2E − Visa is issued to aged parents (65 years and above) of employed expatriate on quotas as dependants*

**Eligibility**

* Aged Parents (65 years and above) of employed Expatriates on quota

**Requirements**

1. Passport/Travel Document NOT less than 6 months validity period.Must have two blank facing pages.Non-US passport holders MUST provide Residency Status in the U.S e.g. Green Card, Student Visa or Work Visa
2. Formal application for R2E Visa from the Employer / Institution of the principal accepting Immigration Responsibility
3. Letter from the principal immigrant

Employment Visa-Expatriate (Free Zone): R3A

R3A − Employment Visa − Expatriate (Free Zone) is a type of visa issued to expatriates who wish to obtain employment within Free Zones in Nigeria

**Eligibility**

* Employed Expatriates to be placed on quota

**Requirements**

1. Passport valid for at least 6 months with at least 2 blank visa pages for endorsement
2. Formal application for R3A Visa from the Employer / Institution accepting Immigration Responsibility
3. Free Zone Authority letter
4. Letters of Offer of Appointment and Acceptance of Offer
5. Educational qualifications and Curriculum Vitae

Spouse of Expatriate-Free Zone Visa- R3B

R3B − Spouse of Expatriate−Free Zone Visa is issued to spouse of employed expatriate in Free Zones

**Eligibility**

* Spouse of Employed Expatriates in Free Zones in Nigeria

**Requirements**

1. Passport valid for at least 6 months with at least 2 blank visa pages for endorsement
2. Formal application for R3B Visa from the Employer / Institution of the principal accepting Immigration Responsibility
3. Letter from the principal immigrant

Dependant of Expatriate-Free Zone Visa- R3C

R3C − Dependant of Expatriate−Free Zone Visa is issued to dependant of employed expatriate in Free Zones who are less than 18 years of age

**Eligibility**

* Dependants less than 18 years accompanying employed Expatriates in Free Zones

**Requirements**

1. Passport valid for at least 6 months with at least 2 blank visa pages for endorsement
2. Formal application for R3C Visa from the Employer / Institution of the principal accepting Immigration Responsibility
3. Letter from the principal immigrant

Dependant of Expatriate-Free Zone (18 Years and above) Visa- R3D

*Dependants (18 years and above) accompanying employed Expatriates in Free Zones*

**Eligibility**

* Dependants (18 years and above) accompanying employed Expatriates in Free Zones

**Requirements**

1. Passport valid for at least 6 months with at least 2 blank visa pages for endorsement
2. Formal application for R3D Visa from the Employer / Institution of the principal accepting Immigration Responsibility
3. Letter from the principal immigrant

Dependant of Expatriate-Free Zone (Aged parent 65yrs and above)) Visa- R3E

*R3E Visa is issued to aged parents (65 year and above) of employed expatriate in Free Zones*

**Eligibility**

* Aged parents (65 years and above) accompanying employed Expatriates in Free Zone

**Requirements**

1. Passport valid for at least 6 months with at least 2 blank visa pages for endorsement
2. Formal application for R3E Visa from the Employer / Institution of the principal accepting Immigration Responsibility
3. Letter from the principal immigrant

Employment Visa-Expatriate (Government Official) Visa: R4A

*R4A − Employment Visa − Expatriate (Government Official) is issued to expatriates who wish to obtain employment with Government as Government Official in Nigeria*

**Eligibility**

* Aged parents (65 years and above) accompanying employed Expatriates in Free Zone

**Requirements**

1. Passport valid for at least 6 months with at least 2 blank visa pages for endorsement
2. Employment Letter by the Government
3. Offer and Acceptance Letter

Employment Visa-Expatriate (Government Official) Visa: R4B

*R4B − Spouse of Employed Expatriate (Government Official) Visa is issued to spouse of Expatriate employed by Government as Government Official in Nigeria*

**Eligibility**

* Spouse accompanying Expatriates employed by Government in Nigeria

**Requirements**

1. Passport valid for at least 6 months with at least 2 blank visa pages for endorsement
2. Formal application for R4B Visa by the Employer (Government) accepting Immigration Responsibility
3. Letter from the principal immigrant

Dependant (Minor) of Employed Expatriate (Government Official) Visa − R4C

*R4C − Dependants (Minor) of Employed Expatriate (Government Official) Visa is visa issued to dependants of expatriates employed by Government, who are less than 18 years of age.*

1. Passport/Travel Document NOT less than 6 months validity period.Must have two blank facing pages.Non-US passport holders MUST provide Residency Status in the U.S e.g. Green Card, Student Visa or Work Visa
2. Two (2) recent passport sized (35/40mm) photograph
3. Application and payment online at <https://visa.immigration.gov.ng/> . This MUST be printed for submission
4. Letter of invitation from principal Immigrant
5. Evidence of Hotel Reservation **OR** host address in Nigeria indicated in Invitation Letter listed above.
6. Evidence of sufficient fund (Recent Bank Statement)
7. Flight Itinerary showing Return ticket.

Dependant (18 Years and above) of Employed Expatriate (GO) Visa − R4D

*R4D - Dependant of Employed Expatriate (GO) Visa is issued to dependants of expatriates employed by Government, who are 18 years and above.*

1. Passport/Travel Document NOT less than 6 months validity period.Must have two blank facing pages.Non-US passport holders MUST provide Residency Status in the U.S e.g. Green Card, Student Visa or Work Visa
2. Two (2) recent passport sized (35/40mm) photograph
3. Application and payment online at <https://visa.immigration.gov.ng/> . This MUST be printed for submission
4. Letter of invitation from principal Immigrant
5. Evidence of Hotel Reservation **OR** host address in Nigeria indicated in Invitation Letter listed above.
6. Evidence of sufficient fund (Recent Bank Statement)
7. Flight Itinerary showing Return ticket.

Dependant (Aged Parents − 65 years and above) of Employed Expatriate (GO) Visa − R4E

*R4E Visa is issued to aged parents (65 years and above) of expatriates employed by Government.*

1. Passport/Travel Document NOT less than 6 months validity period.Must have two blank facing pages.Non-US passport holders MUST provide Residency Status in the U.S e.g. Green Card, Student Visa or Work Visa
2. Two (2) recent passport sized (35/40mm) photograph
3. Application and payment online at <https://visa.immigration.gov.ng/> . This MUST be printed for submission
4. Letter of invitation from principal Immigrant
5. Evidence of Hotel Reservation **OR** host address in Nigeria indicated in Invitation Letter listed above.
6. Evidence of sufficient fund (Recent Bank Statement)
7. Flight Itinerary showing Return ticket.

Employment Visa − INGO: R5A

*R5A − Employment Visa (INGO) is issued to expatriates who wish to obtain employment with International Non−Governmental Organizations operating in Nigeria.*

1. Passport/Travel Document NOT less than 6 months validity period.Must have two blank facing pages.Non-US passport holders MUST provide Residency Status in the U.S e.g. Green Card, Student Visa or Work Visa
2. Two (2) recent passport sized (35/40mm) photograph
3. Application and payment online at <https://visa.immigration.gov.ng/> . This MUST be printed for submission
4. MOU with Nigeria National Planning Commission (NPC) and appropriate security clearance) for special security cases
5. Letter of invitation from principal Immigrant
6. Evidence of Hotel Reservation **OR** host address in Nigeria indicated in Invitation Letter listed above.
7. Evidence of sufficient fund (Recent Bank Statement)
8. Flight Itinerary showing Return ticket.

#### Employment Visa − Spouse of INGO Staff: R5B

*R5B − Employment Visa − Spouse of INGO Staff is issued to spouse of INGO Staff*

1. Passport/Travel Document NOT less than 6 months validity period.Must have two blank facing pages.Non-US passport holders MUST provide Residency Status in the U.S e.g. Green Card, Student Visa or Work Visa
2. Two (2) recent passport sized (35/40mm) photograph
3. Application and payment online at <https://visa.immigration.gov.ng/> . This MUST be printed for submission
4. Letter of invitation from principal Immigrant
5. Evidence of Hotel Reservation **OR** host address in Nigeria indicated in Invitation Letter listed above.
6. Evidence of sufficient fund (Recent Bank Statement)
7. Flight Itinerary showing Return ticket.

#### Employment Visa − Dependant (Minor) of INGO Staff: R5C

*R5C − Employment Visa − Dependant (Minor) of INGO Staff is visa issued to dependants of INGO Staff, who are less than 18 years of age.*

1. Passport/Travel Document NOT less than 6 months validity period.Must have two blank facing pages.Non-US passport holders MUST provide Residency Status in the U.S e.g. Green Card, Student Visa or Work Visa
2. Two (2) recent passport sized (35/40mm) photograph
3. Application and payment online at <https://visa.immigration.gov.ng/> . This MUST be printed for submission
4. Letter of invitation from principal Immigrant
5. Evidence of Hotel Reservation **OR** host address in Nigeria indicated in Invitation Letter listed above.
6. Evidence of sufficient fund (Recent Bank Statement)
7. Flight Itinerary showing Return ticket.

Employment Visa − Dependant (18 years and above) of INGO Staff: R5D

*R5D − Employment Visa − Dependant (18 years and above) of INGO Staff is issued to dependants of INGO Staff who are 18 years and above.*

1. Passport/Travel Document NOT less than 6 months validity period.Must have two blank facing pages.Non-US passport holders MUST provide Residency Status in the U.S e.g. Green Card, Student Visa or Work Visa
2. Two (2) recent passport sized (35/40mm) photograph
3. Application and payment online at <https://visa.immigration.gov.ng/> . This MUST be printed for submission
4. Letter of invitation from principal Immigrant
5. Evidence of Hotel Reservation **OR** host address in Nigeria indicated in Invitation Letter listed above.
6. Evidence of sufficient fund (Recent Bank Statement)
7. Flight Itinerary showing Return ticket.

Employment Visa − Dependant (aged parents, 65 years and above) of INGO Staff: R5E

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*R5E − Employment Visa − Dependant (18 years and above) of INGO Staff is issued to aged parents (65 years and above) of INGO Staff.*

1. Passport/Travel Document NOT less than 6 months validity period.Must have two blank facing pages.Non-US passport holders MUST provide Residency Status in the U.S e.g. Green Card, Student Visa or Work Visa
2. Two (2) recent passport sized (35/40mm) photograph
3. Application and payment online at <https://visa.immigration.gov.ng/> . This MUST be printed for submission
4. Letter of invitation from principal Immigrant
5. Evidence of Hotel Reservation **OR** host address in Nigeria indicated in Invitation Letter listed above.
6. Evidence of sufficient fund (Recent Bank Statement)
7. Flight Itinerary showing Return ticket.

#### Employment Visa − Cleric: R6A

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*R6A − Employment Visa (Cleric) is issued to expatriates who wish to obtain employment as a cleric in Nigeria.*

1. Passport/Travel Document NOT less than 6 months validity period.Must have two blank facing pages.Non-US passport holders MUST provide Residency Status in the U.S e.g. Green Card, Student Visa or Work Visa
2. Two (2) recent passport sized (35/40mm) photograph
3. Application and payment online at <https://visa.immigration.gov.ng/> . This MUST be printed for submission
4. Letter of invitation from principal Immigrant
5. Evidence of Hotel Reservation **OR** host address in Nigeria indicated in Invitation Letter listed above.
6. Evidence of sufficient fund (Recent Bank Statement)
7. Flight Itinerary showing Return ticket.

#### Employment Visa − Spouse of Cleric: R6B

*R6B − Employment Visa (Cleric) is issued to Spouse of employed cleric in Nigeria.*

1. Passport/Travel Document NOT less than 6 months validity period.Must have two blank facing pages.Non-US passport holders MUST provide Residency Status in the U.S e.g. Green Card, Student Visa or Work Visa
2. Two (2) recent passport sized (35/40mm) photograph
3. Application and payment online at <https://visa.immigration.gov.ng/> . This MUST be printed for submission
4. Letter of invitation from principal Immigrant
5. Evidence of Hotel Reservation **OR** host address in Nigeria indicated in Invitation Letter listed above.
6. Evidence of sufficient fund (Recent Bank Statement)
7. Flight Itinerary showing Return ticket.

#### Employment Visa − Dependant of Cleric (Minor): R6C

*R6C − Employment Visa (Cleric) is issued to dependants of employed cleric in Nigeria who are less than 18 years of age.*

1. Passport/Travel Document NOT less than 6 months validity period.Must have two blank facing pages.Non-US passport holders MUST provide Residency Status in the U.S e.g. Green Card, Student Visa or Work Visa
2. Two (2) recent passport sized (35/40mm) photograph
3. Application and payment online at <https://visa.immigration.gov.ng/> . This MUST be printed for submission
4. Letter of invitation from principal Immigrant
5. Evidence of Hotel Reservation **OR** host address in Nigeria indicated in Invitation Letter listed above.
6. Evidence of sufficient fund (Recent Bank Statement)
7. Flight Itinerary showing Return ticket.

#### Employment Visa − Dependant of Cleric (18 years and above): R6D

*R6D − Employment Visa (Cleric) is issued to dependants of employed cleric in Nigeria who are 18 years and above.*

1. Passport/Travel Document NOT less than 6 months validity period.Must have two blank facing pages.Non-US passport holders MUST provide Residency Status in the U.S e.g. Green Card, Student Visa or Work Visa
2. Two (2) recent passport sized (35/40mm) photograph
3. Application and payment online at <https://visa.immigration.gov.ng/> . This MUST be printed for submission
4. Letter of invitation from principal Immigrant
5. Evidence of Hotel Reservation **OR** host address in Nigeria indicated in Invitation Letter listed above.
6. Evidence of sufficient fund (Recent Bank Statement)
7. Flight Itinerary showing Return ticket

Employment Visa − Dependant of Cleric (Aged Parents 65 years and above): R6E

*R6E − Employment Visa (Cleric) is issued to aged parents (65 years and above) of employed cleric in Nigeria as dependants.*

1. Passport/Travel Document NOT less than 6 months validity period.Must have two blank facing pages.Non-US passport holders MUST provide Residency Status in the U.S e.g. Green Card, Student Visa or Work Visa
2. Two (2) recent passport sized (35/40mm) photograph
3. Application and payment online at <https://visa.immigration.gov.ng/> . This MUST be printed for submission
4. Letter of invitation from principal Immigrant
5. Evidence of Hotel Reservation **OR** host address in Nigeria indicated in Invitation Letter listed above.
6. Evidence of sufficient fund (Recent Bank Statement)
7. Flight Itinerary showing Return ticket

#### Student Visa − R7A

*R7A − Student Visa is issued for the purpose of schooling in Nigeria.*

1. Passport/Travel Document NOT less than 6 months validity period.Must have two blank facing pages.Non-US passport holders MUST provide Residency Status in the U.S e.g. Green Card, Student Visa or Work Visa
2. Two (2) recent passport sized (35/40mm) photograph
3. Application and payment online at <https://visa.immigration.gov.ng/> . This MUST be printed for submission
4. Admission Letter from an accredited institution. submission
5. Proof of payment of required minimum tuition fee
6. Evidence of Hotel Reservation **OR** host address in Nigeria indicated in Admission Letter listed above.
7. Evidence of sufficient fund (Recent Bank Statement)
8. Flight Itinerary showing Return ticket.

#### Spouse of Student Visa: R7B

*R7B − Spouse of Student Visa is issued to spouse of international student in Nigeria.*

1. Passport/Travel Document NOT less than 6 months validity period.Must have two blank facing pages.Non-US passport holders MUST provide Residency Status in the U.S e.g. Green Card, Student Visa or Work Visa
2. Two (2) recent passport sized (35/40mm) photograph
3. Application and payment online at <https://visa.immigration.gov.ng/> . This MUST be printed for submission
4. Copy of spouse Resident Permit
5. Evidence of marriage
6. Evidence of Hotel Reservation **OR** host address in Nigeria indicated in invitation Letter listed above.
7. Evidence of sufficient fund (Recent Bank Statement)
8. Flight Itinerary showing Return ticket.

#### Academic Exchange Programme (AEP) Visa − R8A

*R8A − AEP Visa is visa issued for the purpose of Resident Academic Exchange Programme (AEP) in Nigeria.*

1. Passport/Travel Document NOT less than 6 months validity period.Must have two blank facing pages.Non-US passport holders MUST provide Residency Status in the U.S e.g. Green Card, Student Visa or Work Visa
2. Two (2) recent passport sized (35/40mm) photograph
3. Application and payment online at <https://visa.immigration.gov.ng/> . This MUST be printed for submission
4. MOU with relevant MDA and Institutions
5. Letter of invitation from principal Institution
6. Evidence of Hotel Reservation **OR** host address in Nigeria indicated in Invitation Letter listed above.
7. Evidence of sufficient fund (Recent Bank Statement)
8. Flight Itinerary showing Return ticket.

#### Spouse of AEP Visa: R8B

*R8B − Spouse of AEP Visa is issued to Spouse of Academic Exchange Programme (AEP) participants to reside in Nigeria.*

1. Passport/Travel Document NOT less than 6 months validity period.Must have two blank facing pages.Non-US passport holders MUST provide Residency Status in the U.S e.g. Green Card, Student Visa or Work Visa
2. Two (2) recent passport sized (35/40mm) photograph
3. Application and payment online at <https://visa.immigration.gov.ng/> . This MUST be printed for submission
4. Copy of spouse Resident Permit
5. Evidence of marriage
6. Evidence of Hotel Reservation **OR** host address in Nigeria indicated in invitation Letter listed above.
7. Evidence of sufficient fund (Recent Bank Statement)
8. Flight Itinerary showing Return ticket.

Intern Visa: R9A

*R9A − Intern Visa is issued to persons who wish to undergo resident internship programme in Nigeria.*

1. Passport/Travel Document NOT less than 6 months validity period.Must have two blank facing pages.Non-US passport holders MUST provide Residency Status in the U.S e.g. Green Card, Student Visa or Work Visa
2. Two (2) recent passport sized (35/40mm) photograph
3. Application and payment online at <https://visa.immigration.gov.ng/> . This MUST be printed for submission
4. Letter of invitation/ internship from principal Institution
5. Evidence of Hotel Reservation **OR** host address in Nigeria indicated in Invitation Letter/internship listed above.
6. Evidence of sufficient fund (Recent Bank Statement)
7. Flight Itinerary showing Return ticket.