

Application for Asylum and for Withholding of Removal

Department of Homeland Security

U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services

USCIS Form I-589 OMB No. 1615-0067 Expires 09/30/2027

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NOTE: Check this box if you also want to apply for withholding of removal under the Convention Against Torture.

Part A.I. Information About Yo						
1. Alien Registration Number(s) (A-Number)	<u> </u>	cial Security Numb	er (if any) 3	LISCIS Online	- Account	Number (if any)
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4. Complete Last Name		5. First Name			6. Middle	e Name
7. What other names have you used (include m	naiden name and al	iases)?				
8. Residence in the U.S. (where you physically	reside)					
Street Number and Name	Street Number and Name Apt. Number					
City	State		Zip Code		Telephon	e Number
(NOTE: You must be residing in the United St	ates to submit this j	form.)				
9. Mailing Address in the U.S. (if different that						
In Care Of (if applicable):				Telephone ()	Number	
Street Number and Name				Apt. Numb	per	
City	State			Zip Code		
10. Gender: Male Female 1	1. Marital Status:	Single	Marrie	d	Divorced	Widowed
12. Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy) 13.	3. City and Country	y of Birth				
14. Present Nationality (Citizenship) 1:	5. Nationality at B	irth	16. Race, Et	thnic, or Tribal	Group 1'	7. Religion
18. Check the box, a through c, that applies: a b. I am now in Immigration Court po			-	_	edings, bu	at I have been in the past.
19. Complete 19 a through c. a. When did you last leave your country?	(mm/dd/yyyy)	b. W	hat is your c	urrent I-94 Nun	nber, if any	y?
c. List each entry into the U.S. beginning w (Attach additional sheets as needed.)	vith your most recei	nt entry. List date ((mm/dd/yyyy)	, place, and you	ur status fo	or each entry.
Date Place		Status	Status Date Stat			es
Date Place	Status					
Date Place		Status				
20. What country issued your last passport or document?	travel 21. Passp	oort Number				Expiration Date mm/dd/yyyy)
	Travel D	ocument Number				22227
23. What is your native language (include dial-	ect, if applicable)?	24. Are you flue Yes	ent in English No	? 25. What oth	er languag	ges do you speak fluently?

Part A.II. Information	About Y	our Spo	ouse and Child	ren				
For EOIR use only.		For USCIS use only.	Action: Interview Date: Asylum Officer ID	No.:			Deni	sion: roval Date: al Date: rral Date:
Your spouse	I a	m not marri	ed. (Skip to Your C	Child	ren below.)			
1. Alien Registration Number (A (if any)	A-Number)	2. Passpor (if any)	t/ID Card Number		3. Date of	Birth (mm/dd/yyyy	<i>v)</i> 4.	U.S. Social Security Number (if any)
5. Complete Last Name		6. First Na	nme		7. Middle	Name	8.	Other names used (include maiden name and aliases)
9. Date of Marriage (mm/dd/yyy	יעי)	10. Place	of Marriage			11. City and Cou	intry o	of Birth
12. Nationality (Citizenship)			13. Race, Ethnic, o	r Trił	oal Group		14. C	Gender Male Female
15. Is this person in the U.S.?								
Yes (Complete Blocks	· ·		pecify location):					
16. Place of last entry into the U.S.	17. Date of U.S. (n	f last entry i nm/dd/yyyy)	nto the	18.	I-94 Numbe	r (if any)		tatus when last admitted Visa type, if any)
20. What is your spouse's current status?	author	ized staŷ, if	ion date of his/her any? (mm/dd/yyyy) 22. Is your spouse in Immigration Court proceedings? Yes No			23. I	f previously in the U.S., date of previous arrival (mm/dd/yyyy)	
24. If in the U.S., is your spouse Yes No	to be inclu	ded in this a	pplication? (Check	the a	ppropriate i	box.)		
Your Children. List all of your	children, reg	gardless of a	age, location, or mar	ital st	tatus.			
I do not have any children.	(Skip to Pa	rt A.III., Info	ormation about your	baci	kground.)			
I have children. Total nur	mber of chil	dren:						
(NOTE: Use Form I-589 Supple			onal sheets of paper	and	documentat	ion if you have mo	re tha	n four children.)
1. Alien Registration Number (A (if any)	A-Number)	2. Passpor (if any)	t/ID Card Number	3. M D	Iarital Status Vivorced, Wi	s (Married, Single, dowed)	4.	U.S. Social Security Number (if any)
5. Complete Last Name		6. First Na	6. First Name		7. Middle Name		8.	Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)
9. City and Country of Birth		10. Nationa	10. Nationality (Citizenship) 11. F		1. Race, Ethnic, or Tribal Group		12	2. Gender Male Female
13. Is this child in the U.S.?	Yes (Co	omplete Bloc	cks 14 to 21.)	No (Specify loca	tion):		
14. Place of last entry into the U	.S.	15. Date of U.S. (n	f last entry into the nm/dd/yyyy)	16.	I-94 Numbe	r (If any)	1	7. Status when last admitted (Visa type, if any)
18. What is your child's current s	18. What is your child's current status? 19. What is the expiration date of his/her authorized stay, if any? (mm/dd/yyyy) 20. Is your child in Immigration Court proceedings? Yes No							
21. If in the U.S., is this child to	be included	l in this app	lication? (Check the	app	ropriate box	c.)		
Yes								
No								

Part A.II. Information About Y	Your Spouse and Child	lren (continued)		
1. Alien Registration Number (A-Number) (if any)	2. Passport/ID Card Number (if any)	3. Marital Status (Married, Single, Divorced, Widowed)	4. U.S. Social Security Number (if any)	
5. Complete Last Name	6. First Name	7. Middle Name	8. Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)	
9. City and Country of Birth	10. Nationality (Citizenship)	11. Race, Ethnic, or Tribal Group	12. Gender Male Female	
13. Is this child in the U.S. ? Yes (Co	omplete Blocks 14 to 21.) N	No (Specify location):		
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18. What is your child's current status?	19. What is the expiration authorized stay, if any		n Immigration Court proceedings?	
21. If in the U.S., is this child to be included Yes No	••	e appropriate box.)		
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21. If in the U.S., is this child to be included Yes No	I in this application? (Check the	e appropriate box.)		
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21. If in the U.S., is this child to be included	l in this application? (Check the	e appropriate box.)		
Yes No				

Part A.III. Information About Your Background

1.	List your last address where you lived before coming to the United States. If this is not the country where you fear persecution, also list the last
	address in the country where you fear persecution. (List Address, City/Town, Department, Province, or State and Country.)
	(NOTE: Use Form I-589 Supplement B, or additional sheets of paper, if necessary.)

Number and Street (Provide if available)	City/Town	Department, Province, or State	Country	Date From (Mo/Yr)	To (Mo/Yr)

2. Provide the following information about your residences during the past 5 years. List your present address first. (**NOTE:** *Use Form I-589 Supplement B, or additional sheets of paper, if necessary.*)

Number and Street	City/Town	Department, Province, or State	Country	Date From (Mo/Yr)	
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3. Provide the following information about your education, beginning with the most recent school that you attended. (**NOTE:** *Use Form I-589 Supplement B, or additional sheets of paper, if necessary.*)

Name of School	Type of School	Location (Address)	Attended	
Name of School	Type of School	Location (Address)	From (Mo/Yr)	To (Mo/Yr)

4. Provide the following information about your employment during the past 5 years. List your present employment first. (**NOTE:** *Use Form I-589 Supplement B, or additional sheets of paper, if necessary.)*

Name and Address of Employer	Your Occupation	Dates	
Name and Address of Employer	1 our Occupation	From (Mo/Yr)	To (Mo/Yr)

5. Provide the following information about your parents and siblings (brothers and sisters). Check the box if the person is deceased. (**NOTE**: *Use Form I-589 Supplement B, or additional sheets of paper, if necessary.*)

Full Name	City/Town and Country of Birth	Current Location
Mother		Deceased
Father		Deceased
Sibling		Deceased

Part B. Information About Your Application

(NOTE: Use Form I-589 Supplement B, or attach additional sheets of paper as needed to complete your responses to the questions contained in Part B.)

When answering the following questions about your asylum or other protection claim (withholding of removal under 241(b)(3) of the INA or withholding of removal under the Convention Against Torture), you must provide a detailed and specific account of the basis of your claim to asylum or other protection. To the best of your ability, provide specific dates, places, and descriptions about each event or action described. You must attach documents evidencing the general conditions in the country from which you are seeking asylum or other protection and the specific facts on which you are relying to support your claim. If this documentation is unavailable or you are not providing this documentation with your application, explain why in your responses to the following questions.

Refer to Instructions, Part 1: Filing Instructions, Section II, "Basis of Eligibility," Parts A - D, Section V, Completing the Form," Part B, and Section VII, "Additional Evidence That You Should Submit," for more information on completing this section of the form.

1.			removal under section 241(b)(3) of the INA, or for withholding of removal under the box(es) below and then provide detailed answers to questions A and B below.
	I am seeking asylum or withholding of remov	val bas	ed on:
	Race		Political opinion
	Religion		Membership in a particular social group
	Nationality		Torture Convention
Α.	Have you, your family, or close friends or coll	eague	s ever experienced harm or mistreatment or threats in the past by anyone?
	☐ No ☐ Yes		
	If "Yes," explain in detail:		
	 What happened; When the harm or mistreatment or threats 	occur	red:
	3. Who caused the harm or mistreatment or t	hreats	; and
	4. Why you believe the harm or mistreatmen	t or th	reats occurred.
B.	Do you fear harm or mistreatment if you return	ı to yo	ur home country?
	☐ No ☐ Yes		
	If "Yes," explain in detail:		
	 What harm or mistreatment you fear; Who you believe would harm or mistreat; 		nd
	3. Why you believe you would or could be h		

Pa	art B. Information About Your Application (continued)
2.	Have you or your family members ever been accused, charged, arrested, detained, interrogated, convicted and sentenced, or imprisoned in any country other than the United States (including for an immigration law violation)?
	□ No □ Yes
	If "Yes," explain the circumstances and reasons for the action.
3.A	. Have you or your family members ever belonged to or been associated with any organizations or groups in your home country, such as, but not limited to, a political party, student group, labor union, religious organization, military or paramilitary group, civil patrol, guerrilla organization, ethnic group, human rights group, or the press or media?
	☐ No ☐ Yes
	If "Yes," describe for each person the level of participation, any leadership or other positions held, and the length of time you or your family members were involved in each organization or activity.
3.B	Do you or your family members continue to participate in any way in these organizations or groups?
	No Yes If "Yes," describe for each person your or your family members' current level of participation, any leadership or other positions currently held, and the length of time you or your family members have been involved in each organization or group.
	and the rengal of time you of your raining memous have over inverved in even organization of group.
4.	Are you afraid of being subjected to torture in your home country or any other country to which you may be returned?
	□ No □ Yes
	If "Yes," explain why you are afraid and describe the nature of torture you fear, by whom, and why it would be inflicted.

Part C. Additional Information About Your Application

(NOTE: Use Form I-589 Supplement B, or attach additional sheets of paper as needed to complete your responses to the questions contained in Part C.)

1.	Have you, your spouse withholding of remova	e, your child(ren), your parents or your siblings ever applied to the U.S. Government for refugee status, asylum, or al?
	☐ No	Yes
	result of that decision. A-number in your resp	lecision and what happened to any status you, your spouse, your child(ren), your parents, or your siblings received as a Indicate whether or not you were included in a parent or spouse's application. If so, include your parent or spouse's conse. If you have been denied asylum by an immigration judge or the Board of Immigration Appeals, describe any is in your country or your own personal circumstances since the date of the denial that may affect your eligibility for
2.A.		ntry from which you are claiming asylum, did you or your spouse or child(ren) who are now in the United States travel ny other country before entering the United States?
	☐ No	Yes
2.B.		e, your child(ren), or other family members, such as your parents or siblings, ever applied for or received any lawful status han the one from which you are now claiming asylum?
	No No	Yes
	person's status while the	oth questions (2A and/or 2B), provide for each person the following: the name of each country and the length of stay, the here, the reasons for leaving, whether or not the person is entitled to return for lawful residence purposes, and whether the agee status or for asylum while there, and if not, why he or she did not do so.
3.		se or your child(ren) ever ordered, incited, assisted or otherwise participated in causing harm or suffering to any person race, religion, nationality, membership in a particular social group or belief in a particular political opinion?
	☐ No	Yes
	If "Yes," describe in d	etail each such incident and your own, your spouse's, or your child(ren)'s involvement.

Pa	t C. Additional Information About Your Application (continued)				
4.	After you left the country where you were harmed or fear harm, did you return to that country?				
	□ No □ Yes				
	If "Yes," describe in detail the circumstances of your visit(s) (for example, the date(s) of the trip(s), the purpose(s) of the trip(s), and the length of time you remained in that country for the visit(s).)				
5.	Are you filing this application more than 1 year after your last arrival in the United States?				
	No Yes				
	If "Yes," explain why you did not file within the first year after you arrived. You must be prepared to explain at your interview or hearing why you did not file your asylum application within the first year after you arrived. For guidance in answering this question, see Instructions, Part 1: Filing Instructions, Section V. "Completing the Form," Part C.				
	Timing institutions, section 11. Completing the Ferning 1 the C.				
6.	Have you or any member of your family included in the application ever committed any crime and/or been arrested, charged, convicted, or sentenced for any crimes in the United States (including for an immigration law violation)?				
	□ No □ Yes				
	If "Yes," for each instance, specify in your response: what occurred and the circumstances, dates, length of sentence received, location, the				
	duration of the detention or imprisonment, reason(s) for the detention or conviction, any formal charges that were lodged against you or your relatives included in your application, and the reason(s) for release. Attach documents referring to these incidents, if they are available, or an explanation of why documents are not available.				
	explanation of why documents are not available.				

Part D. Your Signature

Print your complete name.

I certify, under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America, that this application and the evidence submitted with it are all true and correct. Title 18, United States Code, Section 1546(a), provides in part: Whoever knowingly makes under oath, or as permitted under penalty of perjury under Section 1746 of Title 28, United States Code, knowingly subscribes as true, any false statement with respect to a material fact in any application, affidavit, or other document required by the immigration laws or regulations prescribed thereunder, or knowingly presents any such application, affidavit, or other document containing any such false statement or which fails to contain any reasonable basis in law or fact - shall be fined in accordance with this title or imprisoned for up to 25 years. I certify that I am physically present in the United States or seeking admission at a Port of Entry when I execute this application. I authorize the release of any information from my immigration record that U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) needs to determine eligibility for the benefit I am seeking.

WARNING: Applicants who are in the United States unlawfully are subject to removal if their asylum or withholding claims are not granted by an asylum officer or an immigration judge. Any information provided in completing this application may be used as a basis for the institution of, or as evidence in, removal proceedings even if the application is later withdrawn. Applicants determined to have knowingly made a frivolous application for asylum will be permanently ineligible for any benefits under the Immigration and Nationality Act. You may not avoid a frivolous finding simply because someone advised you to provide false information in your asylum application. If filing with USCIS, unexcused failure to appear for an appointment to provide biometrics (such as fingerprints) and your biographical information within the time allowed may result in an asylum officer dismissing your asylum application or referring it to an immigration judge. Failure without good cause to provide DHS with biometrics or other biographical information while in removal proceedings may result in your application being found abandoned by the immigration judge. See sections 208(d)(5)(A) and 208(d)(6) of the INA and 8 CFR sections 208.10, 1208.10, 208.20, 1003.47(d) and 1208.20.

Write your name in your native alphabet.

Did your spouse, parent, or child(ren) assist you in completin	ng this application? No	Yes (If "Y	es," list the name and relationship.)	
(Name)	(Relationshi	(p)	(Name)	(Relationship)	
Did someone other than your spouse,	parent, or child(ren) pro	epare this application?	☐ No	Yes (If "Yes,"complete Part E.)	
Asylum applicants may be represented persons who may be available to assi			☐ No	Yes	
Signature of Applicant (The pe	erson in Part. A.I.)				
Sign your name so it a	ackets	Date (mm/d	ld/yyyy)		
Part E. Declaration of Pe	rson Preparing F	orm, if Other Than A	Applicant, S _l	pouse, Parent, or Child	
	as provided to me by the he understands for verif	e applicant, and that the complication before he or she signed	leted application the application		
Signature of Preparer	1	Print Complete Name of Preparer			
Daytime Telephone Number Address of Preparer ()		Street Number and Name			
Apt. Number City			State	Zip Code	
To be completed by an attorney or accredited representative (if any).	Select this box if Form G-28 is attached.	Attorney State Bar Numb applicable)		ey or Accredited Representative Online Account Number (if any)	

Part F. To Be Completed at Asylum Interview, if Applicable NOTE: You will be asked to complete this part when you appear for examination before an asylum officer of the Department of Homeland Security, U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS). I swear (affirm) that I know the contents of this application that I am signing, including the attached documents and supplements, that they are all true or not all true to the best of my knowledge and that correction(s) numbered were made by me or at my request. Furthermore, I am aware that if I am determined to have knowingly made a frivolous application for asylum I will be permanently ineligible for any benefits under the Immigration and Nationality Act, and that I may not avoid a frivolous finding simply because someone advised me to provide false information in my asylum application. Signed and sworn to before me by the above named applicant on: Date (mm/dd/yyyy) Signature of Applicant Write Your Name in Your Native Alphabet Signature of Asylum Officer Part G. To Be Completed at Removal Hearing, if Applicable NOTE: You will be asked to complete this Part when you appear before an immigration judge of the U.S. Department of Justice, Executive Office for Immigration Review (EOIR), for a hearing. I swear (affirm) that I know the contents of this application that I am signing, including the attached documents and supplements, that they are all true or not all true to the best of my knowledge and that correction(s) numbered to were made by me or at my request. Furthermore, I am aware that if I am determined to have knowingly made a frivolous application for asylum I will be permanently ineligible for any benefits under the Immigration and Nationality Act, and that I may not avoid a frivolous finding simply because someone advised me to provide false information in my asylum application. Signed and sworn to before me by the above named applicant on: Signature of Applicant Date (mm/dd/yyyy)

Signature of Immigration Judge

Write Your Name in Your Native Alphabet



Application for Asylum and for Withholding of Removal Supplement A

Department of Homeland Security

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A-Number (If available)		Date				
Applicant's Name		Applicant's Signature				
List All of Your Children, Regardless of Age or Marital Status (NOTE: Use this form and attach additional pages and documentation as needed, if you have more than four children)						
1. Alien Registration Number (A-Number) (if any)	2. Passport/ID Card Number (if any)	3. Marital Status (Married, Single, Divorced, Widowed)	4. U.S. Social Security Number (if any)			
5. Complete Last Name	6. First Name	7. Middle Name	8. Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)			
9. City and Country of Birth	10. Nationality (Citizenship)	11. Race, Ethnic, or Tribal Group	12. Gender Male Female			
13. Is this child in the U.S. ? Yes (Complete Blocks 14 to 21.) No (Specify location):						
14. Place of last entry into the U.S.	15. Date of last entry into the U.S. (mm/dd/yyyy)	16. I-94 Number (<i>If any</i>)	17. Status when last admitted (Visa type, if any)			
18. What is your child's current status?	19. What is the expiration authorized stay, if any		Immigration Court proceedings? No			
21. If in the U.S., is this child to be included in this application? (Check the appropriate box.) Yes No						
1. Alien Registration Number (A-Number) 2. Passport/ID Card Number (if any)		3. Marital Status (Married, Single, Divorced, Widowed)	4. U.S. Social Security Number (if any)			
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18. What is your child's current status?	19. What is the expiration authorized stay, if any	19. What is the expiration date of his/her authorized stay, if any? (mm/dd/yyyy) 20. Is your child in Im Yes				
21. If in the U.S., is this child to be included in this application? (Check the appropriate box.) Yes No						



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Additional Information About Your Claim to Asylum						
A-Number (if available)	Date					
Applicant's Name	Applicant's Signature					
NOTE: Use this as a continuation page for any additional information requested. Copy and complete as needed.						
Part Question						