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With the economic, cultural, and historic central city of Istanbul embracing Europe and Asia on the Bosphorus Strait, Türkiye is a transcontinental country that benefits significantly from its geostrategic location. The Türkiye Citizenship by Investment Program allows investors to access both the European and Asian markets, as well as gain lifelong citizenship to a country that has strong economic and industrial relations with the Middle East and is predicted to become one of the world's top 10 economies by 2050.

Population: 83.6 million

Languages: Turkish, English

Economy: Developed, industrialized

Currency: Turkish lira

Program overview

- Minimum contribution of USD 400,000
- Processing time of approximately 120 days from submission of the application to approval
- The right of free movement to Türkiye, Hong Kong, Japan, and Singapore, among others

Key benefits



Visa-free or visa-on-arrival access to 111 destinations



Citizenship of a country that enjoys a mild Mediterranean climate, beautiful scenery, and a high standard of living



Full citizenship granted to the applicant and included family members



Eligibility for an E-2 Investor Visa in the USA for a five-year renewable period



Access to a transcontinental Eurasian country that is a stable economic, financial, and political hub between Europe, Western Asia, and the Middle East



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Procedures

Once all application documents have been prepared (including applicable certifications and translations), the investment can be completed and the documents submitted to the government.

- 1) Client contacts Henley & Partners
- 2 Initial due diligence checks completed
 - Client agreement signed and retainer paid
 - Client opens bank account in Türkiye
 - Client completes investment
 - Residence permit application made on behalf of the client and their family
 - Citizenship application submitted to the Turkish government
- Application reviewed by the government and approved
 - Client and their family formally receive citizenship and submit passport applications

Please note that Turkish gift and inheritance taxes apply to worldwide assets held by Turkish citizens. We recommend that you seek appropriate professional advice in this regard.

Main applicant requirements



To qualify for citizenship, the main applicant should fulfill one of the following investment requirements:

- Acquire at least USD 400,000 worth of real estate
- Invest a minimum of USD 500,000 in fixed capital contributions
- Deposit at least USD 500,000 or equivalent foreign currency or Turkish lira into a Turkish bank account
- Commit at least USD 500,000 or equivalent foreign currency or Turkish lira into government bonds
- Commit at least USD 500,000 or equivalent foreign currency or Turkish lira into a real estate investment fund share or venture capital investment fund share
- Commit at least USD 500,000 or equivalent foreign currency or Turkish lira into a private pension system for a minimum holding period of three years
- Create jobs for at least 50 people, as attested by the Ministry of Family, Labour and Social Services

About us

Henley & Partners is the global leader in residence and citizenship by investment. Each year, hundreds of wealthy individuals and their advisors rely on our expertise and experience in this area. The firm's highly qualified professionals work together as one team in over 40 offices worldwide. The firm also runs a leading government advisory practice that has raised more than USD 10 billion in foreign direct investment.