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United Kingdom

Innovator Program

The UK is an attractive destination for business and private residence. Its capital London has the highest GDP of any city in Europe and houses corporate headquarters of numerous multinational corporations, financial institutions, professional firms, and major organizations. The Innovator Visa is aimed at those who can demonstrate relevant experience in business and requires individuals to set up or run an existing business in the UK.

Population: 68 million

Language: English

Economy: Leading trading and financial center, third

largest in Europe

Currency: British pound

Program overview

- At least GBP 50,000 in investment funds
- Processing time of one–eight weeks from submission of the application to approval
- The right to live, work, and study anywhere in the United Kingdom



Key benefits



Residence permits acquired within three weeks



Permanent residence possible after three years



International business environment



Attractive tax regime for individuals who are resident but not domiciled



Direct international flight connections to most major global cities



World-renowned schools and universities



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Procedures

The completed application and supporting documentation must be submitted to the diplomatic post in the applicant's country of residence. The business idea needs to be assessed by an approved endorsing body before the immigration application is submitted to the Home Office. The initial visa is valid for three years. Upon expiry, the applicant may apply for 'extension of stay' from within the UK, or for indefinite leave to remain if all criteria are met. After five years of continuous lawful residence, the applicant may apply for British citizenship.

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We advise on the best program for you and your family



Onboarding and preparation of application takes place



You are granted your new residence rights

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We will continue to support you

Applicants must:



Be at least 18 years of age



Have relevant business experience



Have at least GBP 50,000 in investment funds if the applicant intends on setting up a new business



Have a new and viable business idea with a business potential for growth



Have the ability to speak English according to CEFR level B2

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.