

# List of documents to be provided in support of an application for a multi-year Talent residence permit under the “Company Director” category.

*Article L421-19 of CESEDA  
Order of May 4, 2022*

**This list is provided for indicative purposes only.** Make sure you contact the consular, diplomatic or prefectural authority that will be handling your application to obtain a list of required documents appropriate to your personal circumstances and the reason for your stay in France.

**Helpful tip:** Supporting documents must, where applicable, be accompanied by a French translation by a sworn translator certified to provide translations for the French courts of appeal. If applicable, please click here to view a [a list of sworn translators](#).

## **Abroad – Application for a long-stay visa marked Talent “Company director”**

- Long-stay visa application form ([CERFA n°14571\\*06](#)) dated duly completed and signed;
- France-Visas receipt;
- A currently valid passport issued within the last 10 years and valid for at least three months after the visa expiry date;
- Three recent [standardized](#) passport photos;
- One or more documents proving that they serve as the company director of an establishment or company established in France (company articles, deed of appointment, etc.).
- One or more documents providing evidence of at least three months’ service at the company or any other company belonging to the same group (employment contract, deed of appointment, etc.).
- Evidence of gross annual pay of at least three times the statutory national minimum wage (SMIC), i.e. €65 629,20 as of January 1, 2026.

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### **In France – Application for a residence permit marked Talent “Company director”**

- Passport (pages showing civil status, dates of validity, entry stamps and visas) or, failing that, other supporting documents, at least one of which bears a photograph enabling the identification of the applicant to be identified (consular attestation, identity card, consular card, certificate of nationality, etc.);
- Long-stay visa marked “Talent passport”, VLS-TS or currently valid residence permit;
- Proof of address dated within the last six months:
  - bill (electricity, gas, water, internet access), rental agreement less than six months old, rent receipt (if tenant) or housing tax;
  - in the case of hotel accommodation: certificate from the hotel and invoice for the last month;
  - in the case of accommodation with a private individual: certificate from the host dated and signed, copy of his/her national identity card or residence permit.
- Three recent [standardized](#) passport photos;
- If you are married and come from a country that allows polygamy: declaration on your honor that you are not polygamous in France;
- One or more documents proving that you serve as the company director of an establishment or company established in France (company articles, deed of appointment, etc.).
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- Evidence of gross annual pay of at least three times the statutory national minimum wage (SMIC), i.e. €65 629,20 as of January 1, 2026.
- Specific contract : [le contrat d’engagement respectant les principes de la République.](#)

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