

## **Visitor visa applicants (over 90 and under 180 days of stay)**

### **NOTE**

- Please note that visa applicants must fill in and submit the “Visa Application Form” online first: <https://visawebapp.boca.gov.tw> .
- Print the Visa Application Form, sign it and attach all the other necessary documents specified herein.
- Please follow our regulation about photo requirement for visa: [http://www.roc-taiwan.org/sk\\_en/post/634.html](http://www.roc-taiwan.org/sk_en/post/634.html) .
- For specific types of Visitor Visa please visit web site of Bureau of Consular Affairs: <http://www.boca.gov.tw/ct.asp?xItem=1899&ctNode=777&mp=2>

### **1. Persons under 18 years of age travelling without statutory representative**

- a passport valid at least 6 months after entering Taiwan
- a copy of passport page with biometric data
- 2 passport size color photographs
- a duly filled “Visa Application Form” - original with signature is required
- documents proving the purpose of stay (e.g. a copy of invitation letter, accommodation confirmation, etc.)
- a copy of bank statement of the applicant’s or parents’ account with the minimum balance in the amount of €1,000
- a copy of return air ticket reservation or air ticket reservation to another destination
- statutory representative’s approving statement with the travelling and a copy of identity card of the statutory representative

### **2. Adults travelling for tourism purpose**

- a passport valid at least 6 months after entering Taiwan
- a copy of passport page with biometric data
- 2 passport size color photographs
- a duly filled “Visa Application Form” - original with signature is required
- documents proving the purpose of stay (e.g. a copy of invitation letter, accommodation confirmation, etc.)
- a copy of bank statement of the applicant’s or parents’ account with the minimum balance in the amount of €1,000
- a copy of return air ticket reservation or air ticket reservation to another destination

### **3. Adults travelling for business trip**

- a passport valid at least 6 months after entering Taiwan
- a copy of passport page with biometric data
- 2 passport size color photographs
- a duly filled “Visa Application Form” - original with signature is required
- documents proving the purpose of stay (a copy of invitation letter with a copy of employment confirmation from the employer within the territory of the Slovak Republic / Romania – pursuant to the nationality of the applicant or a copy of trade license in case of self-employed person)
- a copy of bank statement of the applicant’s or parents’ account with the minimum balance in the amount of €1,000
- a copy of return air ticket reservation or air ticket reservation to another destination

### **4. Adults travelling for employment purpose**

- a passport valid at least 6 months after entering Taiwan
- a copy of passport page with biometric data
- 2 passport size color photographs
- a duly filled “Visa Application Form” - original with signature is required

- documents proving the purpose of stay (a copy of invitation letter with a copy of employment confirmation form the employer within the territory of the Slovak Republic / Romania – pursuant to the nationality of the applicant or a copy of trade license in the case of self-employed person)
  - a copy of Working Permit issued by competent authorities in Taiwan
  - a copy of bank statement of the applicant's or parents' account with the minimum balance in the amount of €1,000
  - a copy of return air ticket reservation or air ticket reservation to another destination
- It is possible to apply for a Working Permit directly in Taiwan as well. In this case, the applicant applies for issuing visitor visa for purpose other than the purpose of employment. Taiwanese partnership company of the Slovak / Romanian employer (pursuant to the nationality of the applicant) shall apply for issuing the Working Permit within 30 days starting from entering Taiwan; it is forbidden for the applicant to work until this time. After the issuing of the Working Permit, the Consular Department of the Taiwanese Ministry of Foreign Affairs shall change the purpose of the visitor visa, or prolong the stay in Taiwan.

#### 5. Adults travelling for modelling purpose

- a passport valid at least 6 months after entering Taiwan
- a copy of passport page with biometric data
- 2 passport size color photographs
- a duly filled "Visa Application Form" - original with signature is required
- documents proving the purpose of stay (e.g. a copy of invitation letter, accommodation confirmation, etc.)
- a copy of Working Permit issued competent authorities in Taiwan
- a copy of employment contracts with Slovak / Romanian agency - pursuant to the nationality of the applicant and a copy of contract with agency in Taiwan
- a copy of bank statement of the applicant's or parents' account with the minimum balance in the amount of €1,000
- a copy of return air ticket reservation or air ticket reservation to another destination

- It is **not necessary** to apply for visitor visa **in person**.
- Visa collection is possible **in person or by a representative** (without a POA).
- It is also possible to apply and collect visa by a **shipping company**, although personal application and collection is preferred.
  - In case of applying for visa by post office/shipping company, please attach the visa fee in cash (we require exact amount).
  - In case of using a shipping company (e.g. FedEx, TNT, DHL, etc.) for returning your documents, the applicant needs to enclose a self-addressed envelope for the return and original of duly filled and signed "Letter of Consent" available for download here: [http://210.71.198.58/sk\\_en/wp-content/uploads/sites/155/2015/09/n5.pdf](http://210.71.198.58/sk_en/wp-content/uploads/sites/155/2015/09/n5.pdf)
  - Starting from September 1, 2016, the applicant shall order the shipping service and pay the shipping fee themselves. Please note our Office will not handle ordering or payment for the shipment. We would like to inform you that in case of sending a shipment outside Slovakia, majority of shipping companies accept import shipments only from registered artificial persons with established accounts in the respective country of delivery.
  - The Office will not take the responsibility for any postal delays or loss.
  - For Romanian citizens it is also possible to apply for visa at our sister office in Budapest (Taipei Representative Office, Budapest - [www.roc-taiwan.org/hu](http://www.roc-taiwan.org/hu)).
- Issuing fee is **€43** (within 3 working days) for single entry or **€86** (within 3 working days) for multiple entry. There is a **50% surcharge** in addition to the basic fee for the express issuing within 24 hours.
  - Please note that 24 hours does not mean the same working day.
  - For more information about charges please visit: [http://www.roc-taiwan.org/public/SK\\_en\\_passport/52623202671.pdf](http://www.roc-taiwan.org/public/SK_en_passport/52623202671.pdf).
- In complicated cases, consular officer is entitled to **prolong the issuing time**.