

What type of Non-Immigrant Visas are there?

Purpose of Travel to U.S. and Nonimmigrant Visas

Visa Type

Exchange Visitors, Scholars, Teachers (Trainees, Au pairs, etc.)

J

Australian professional specialty

E-3

Border Crossing Card: Mexico

BCC

Business visitors

B-1

Diplomats and foreign government officials

A

Employees of a designated international organization, and NATO

G1-G5, NATO

Foreign military personnel stationed in the U.S.

A-2

NATO1-6

Foreign nationals with extraordinary ability in Sciences, Arts, Education, Business or Athletics

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Free Trade Agreement (FTA) Professionals: Chile, Singapore

H-1B1

International cultural exchange visitors

Q

Intra-company transferees

L

Media, journalists

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NAFTA professional workers: Mexico, Canada

TN/TD

Nurses coming to health professional shortage areas

H1-C

Performing athletes, artists, entertainers

P

Physician

J, H-1B

Professor, scholar, teacher (exchange visitor)

J

Religious workers

R

Specialty occupations in fields requiring highly specialized knowledge

H-1B

Students: academic, vocational

F, M

Temporary agricultural workers or Seasonal Workers

H-2A

Tourism, vacation, pleasure visitors

B2

Training in a program not primarily for employment

H-3

Treaty traders/treaty investors

E

Transiting the United States

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