## VISITORS FROM COUNTRIES OUTSIDE EU/EEA/SWITZERLAND

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<th>Staying LESS than 90 days</th>
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<td><strong>Before departure</strong></td>
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<td>Have a passport (or equivalent expatriation document) with at least 3 months validity</td>
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### Request entry visa at the Italian embassy or consulate in the country of residence

**Required documents**
- 1 passport size photo
- valid travel document
- specific document according to visa requested

**Mandatory information to provide**
- Scope of the trip
- adequate funds to cover living expenses
- type of lodging

*It is highly recommended to contact the diplomatic offices well ahead of time as procedures and documentation vary according to the type of visa required*

### Please note:

Citizens of certain countries are exempt from entry visa for short stays for study, tourism, mission, business, sports competition.

**Countries whose citizens are exempt from visa for short stays:**
[https://www.esteri.it/it/servizi-consolari-e-visti/ingressosoggiornoinitalia/visto_ingresso/paesi_esenti_visto/][1]

**Countries whose citizens need a visa to cross borders:**
[https://www.esteri.it/it/servizi-consolari-e-visti/ingressosoggiornoinitalia/visto_ingresso/paesi_soggetti_visto/][2]

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1 Citizens of SAN MARINO and HOLY SEAT are in any case exempt from visa
2 There are 21 types of visa according to purpose of travel. Those of interest for University staff or students are: Invitation; Self-employment; Study; Research