

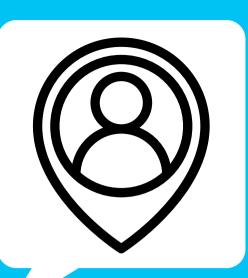


BREXIT



AN EXHIBITOR'S GUIDE TO THE MOVEMENT OF PEOPLE





Exhibitor Considerations Movement of People - Event Visas





The Brexit deal allows UK nationals short term visa free visits for short term business visitors of up to 90 days within a 180 day period. The UK also allows visa free short term visits for EU citizens.

If the activity you are travelling to the UK or EU for, falls under the permitted list, no visa will be required unless it is for an extended period of time or multiple trips within a 180 day period.

This activity list covers the majority of exhibitors to events who should be able to attend without the need of a visa. For extended list of business activities permitted please see next page:

https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/ukeu-and-eaec-trade-and-cooperation-agreement-ts-no82021

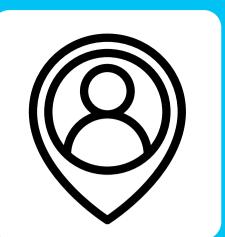


Useful Tip:

For visits exceeding the 180 day period of time visa's may be required.

Useful Websites:

https://www.gov.uk/visit-eu-switzerland-norway-iceland-liechtenstein/business-travel-extra-requirements



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- List of activities that do not require a working visa include:
- a) attending meetings, consultations and conferences including engaging in consultations with business associates;
- b) undertaking research and design;
- c) undertaking marketing research;
- d) attending training seminars which are confined to observation, familiarisation and classroom instruction;
- e) attending trade fairs and exhibitions for the purpose of promoting their company or its products or services;
- f) taking orders or negotiating the sale of services or goods or entering into agreements to sell services or goods for a supplier, but not supplying services themselves during the visit. Short-term business visitors should not engage in making direct sales to the general public;
- g) purchasing goods or services for an enterprise in the visitor's home country;
- h) engaging in after-sales or after-lease service such as installation, repair and maintenance undertaken by a person possessing specialised knowledge essential to a seller's contractual obligation, supplying services or training workers to supply services pursuant to a warranty or other service contract incidental to the sale or lease of commercial or industrial equipment or machinery, including computer software, throughout the duration of the warranty or service contract;
- i) engaging in commercial transactions: management and supervisory personnel and financial services personnel (including insurers, bankers and investment brokers) engaging in a commercial transaction an enterprise in the visitor's home country;
- j) tour and travel agents, tour guides or tour operators attending or participating in conventions or accompanying a tour that has begun in the visitor's home country;
- k) translators providing translation and interpretation services as an employee of an entity based in the visitor's home country.



Exhibitor ConsiderationsMovement of People - Hiring Contractors





Under the Trade and Cooperation agreement UK businesses are able to hire European contractors visa free as long as the terms and conditions are followed. For UK stand builders this should also apply but specific guidance may differ dependent on the country you plan to work in.

For independent European contractors hoping to work in the UK and independent UK contractors hoping to work in Europe they will need to consider the terms of the Trade and Cooperation agreement and then consult the relevant authorities of the particular country they will be working in:

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Useful Tip:

Unfortunately there is no one source of information for visas and currently the process is still being explored and expanded. The UK government offers some additional guidance for anyone wanted to work in the UK:

Check if you need a UK visa - https://www.gov.uk/check-uk-visa