

SUPPORT YOUR STARTUP JOURNEY WITH THE EASE OF DOING BUSINESS

🕑 Easy to start and manage a company remotely

- 少 Minimal bureaucracy
- **Cost-effective** operations



"So now it's half a year of almost a daily smile when it comes to bookkeeping, tax payment or any other smooth and no-hassle-transaction through my digital ID card.

It feels like the e-Residency programme is just seeing the tip of the iceberg. There seems to be so much interest and potential just waiting under the surface."

Christoph Huebner, Founder of Schwarzstorch OÜ (personal holding company), Berlin, digital nomad

What is e-Residency?

E-Residency is a digital identity issued by the government of Estonia to foreign nationals. After signing up, e-residents receive a starter kit containing a digital identity card that allows them to:



Establish an EU company 100% online

Access a wide range of e-services such as digital signatures, business banking, and online tax filing

Get support from a Marketplace of service providers for all types of business needs

Why apply for Estonian e-Residency?

E-Residency is supported by the EU and governed by the Republic of Estonia, which offers an agile and innovationoriented business environment.

- Sectoria is referred to as the "Silicon Valley of Europe" with its rapidly growing entrepreneurial culture
- Vibrant startup environment with the **most unicorns per capita** (Skype, Bolt, Playtech, Wise, Pipedrive and others)
- #1 on the International Tax Competitiveness Index (2021) — no corporate income tax on reinvested profits
- Flexible labour market and startup visa for easier relocating of non-EU founders and employees
- Official startup status for companies with scalable business model



By 2022:

- More than **98,000 people** have applied for
 e-Residency
- Applications have been submitted from **174 countries** worldwide
- e-residents have established more than 24,000 companies

How to apply for e-Residency and get started?



Gather documents Copy of passport, a recent passport photo, credit card (Visa/MC) and CV



Submit application and pay relevant fees in the amount of €120



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Application review by the Estonian Police & Border Guard Board (approx. 3-8 weeks)

Pick up your e-Residency Starter Kit

from an Estonian embassy closest to you (i.e. Paris, London, Berlin, Vienna, Madrid etc)





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