

# **DE Germany Study Visa – Step-by-Step Process (General Guide)**

# Step 1: Initial Consultation and Onboarding

- 1. Initial Discussion
  - Consultant and Client discuss the Germany study visa process, eligibility, and available university options.
- 2. Service Agreement
  - Both parties agree to terms of service (written agreement recommended).
- 3. Initial Payment
  - Client pays 50% of the consultancy charges to begin the process.

# **Step 2: Document Compilation & Verification**

#### **Client Responsibilities:**

- Submit all original and authentic documents required for admission and visa.
- Get attestation from IBCC, HEC, MOFA, and ensure FBR registration (if applicable).
- Ensure German language certificate (if required for the course).
- Take IELTS or TOEFL (if applying to English-taught programs).

# **Consultant Responsibilities:**

- Review documents for accuracy and completeness.
- Advise on additional requirements: SOP, Reference Letters, CV (Europass format) Motivation Letter (specific to Germany) and Provide templates and samples for key documents.

# Step 3: University & Course Selection

#### **Consultant Responsibilities:**

- Shortlist 10+ German universities suitable for the Client's profile.
- Guide on courses based on academic background, German/English medium, and career.
- Share details of tuition-free and paid public/private universities.

# **Client Responsibilities:**

• Approve final list of **courses and universities** for application.

# **Step 4: Admission Application Process**

- 1. Portal Creation & Application Submission
  - Consultant sets up accounts on platforms like UniAssist, direct portals, or DAAD.
  - Apply to **3+ universities** (application fees included where applicable).
- 2. Offer Letter Wait Time (Admission decisions typically take 6 to 12 weeks)







- 3. Post-Offer Steps:
  - If Offer Letter is Received: Client pays remaining consultancy fee.
  - If No Offer Letter: Initial payment refunded excluding admin fee.

# Step 5: Blocked Account & Pre-Visa Preparation

**Client Responsibilities:** 

 Open a Blocked Bank Account (Fintiba, Coracle, Deutsche Bank) with approx. €11,208 – €11,500, Arrange for health insurance, accommodation or booking confirmation.

#### **Consultant Responsibilities:**

 Assist in preparing: Health Insurance, Accommodation Proof, Financial documents, Visa file checklist and Review and organize all documents for visa readiness.

# Step 6: Visa Filing & Outcome

- Consultant assists in scheduling visa appointment at German Embassy/Consulate.
- Help prepare for interview questions and organize final documents.
- Submit German Long-Term Study Visa (D Visa) application.

#### Refund Policy After Visa Filing:

• Once the visa is filed, no refund will be issued regardless of the outcome.

# **Responsibilities Summary**

**Client Responsibilities:** 

- 1. Submit authentic and attested academic documents.
- 2. Arrange blocked account, health insurance, and accommodation.
- 3. Provide language proficiency documents (IELTS/TOEFL/German).
- 4. Approve university choices and pay remaining fee upon offer letter.

#### **Consultant Responsibilities:**

- 1. Shortlist suitable tuition-free and paid programs.
- 2. Assist with application submission through UniAssist or directly.
- 3. Guide in **blocked account setup**, insurance, and visa interview prep.
- 4. Organize and file the Germany Study Visa application.

#### Payment Breakdown Example

#### Step Amount Due

Initial Payment (Before Step 2) 50% of total fee

Final Payment (After Offer Letter) Remaining 50%

Application & Visa Fees Included or as agreed



