



Visa/Immigration Application

Review the instructions below carefully before proceeding to Page 2. If you need additional space for any field in page 2 please feel free to attach a separate sheet of paper. Additional information regarding our services and the application process are available on our website.

Applications may be sent to the contact information shown at the top right-hand corner of this page.

What to Submit:

In order to perform an evaluation we require the following:

- Page 2 of this application form signed and dated
- Final Degrees, Diplomas or Certificates
- Full, Official Transcripts/Marksheets/Academic Records showing all subjects studied, examinations and grades
- Certified** word-for-word English Translations for all academic credentials submitted. Certified translations must be performed by a **qualified disinterested third party**, typically a professional translation company, university or government agency.
 - o **Exception:** If your documents are in Spanish you may provide your own translation or submit one performed by a friend or family member.
 - We can accept legible photocopies of official documents submitted via fax or e-mail. We recommend submitting applications and supporting documents via e-mail, as many academic credentials do not transmit clearly via fax.

Personal Information:

Name of Applicant: Enter your full current legal name exactly as you want it to appear on your evaluation report. If the name shown on your academic credentials is different from your current legal name, enter your other name(s) in the space provided. Please note that the middle name is for reference only and will not be included on the evaluation report.

E-mail: Please provide a current e-mail address. You will receive emails regarding your application status (including if your file has been placed on hold for any reason). Once your evaluation report has been completed, you will also be emailed an unofficial electronic copy of your evaluation report and its mailing tracking information.

Shipping Address: Enter the address to where you would like us to ship your complimentary official signed and stamped report. Extra fees apply for additional copies. Please specify if you would like any original academic credentials submitted to be returned to this address, if applicable.

Summary of Education: List the schools you have attended (beginning with secondary education and continuing through your most recent degree). This helps our evaluators make sure you have provided all of the documents necessary to provide you with a complete and accurate evaluation. Please include an additional sheet of paper for more space if necessary.

Service:

General Statement of Equivalency: Usually used for employment (getting a job). Evaluation of foreign diplomas, degrees and certificates.

Detailed Evaluation of Coursework: Usually used for university admission. **Includes the General Statement of Equivalency** and also provides a course-by-course evaluation with GPA calculation.

If you want a Detailed Evaluation of your secondary school (high school) coursework, in addition to a Detailed Evaluation of your post-secondary (university) coursework, an additional fee of \$140 will be required. Please contact our office if you require this service or make a note of this request in Page 2 of this application form.

Rush Options:

Rush services are guaranteed (we will refund the rush fee if the time-frame is not met). **Please note that all time-frames begin the business day after we receive everything necessary for evaluation and do not include shipping time.**

Expedited Delivery Options:

Your evaluation report includes free USPS shipping with tracking number. We also offer expedited delivery for an additional fee. USPS Express Mail arrives within 1-2 business days to most domestic addresses. For International Express delivery, the time frame may vary. Please refer to your USPS tracking number for details.

Additional Copies:

Your evaluation includes one complimentary official signed and stamped report shipped to the address you provide and an unofficial report sent to you via e-mail. Please fill out the additional copy section if you require additional official reports.

Payment Information:

Payment must be submitted in full before the evaluation can begin. Please follow the payment instructions on page 2. Please note that we cannot accept cash, wire transfers, or Discover Card.

Notes:

This is an optional section for any specific requests or comments you would like to include with your application for foreign credential evaluation.

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Thank you for choosing FCSA!

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Please type or write legibly. Any missing, illegible, or incomplete information may result in the delay or non-processing of your application. All applications received after 2 PM CST will be considered to have been received the following business day.

Personal Information

Note: Only the first and last name will be included on the report.

First Name: _____ Date of Birth (MM/DD/YYYY): _____

Middle Name: _____ Foreign Country(s) of Education: _____

Last Name: _____ Gender: Male Female

Other Name(s) that might appear on documents, including maiden names: _____ Phone: _____ Fax: _____

E-mail: _____
(You will receive status updates and a copy of your evaluation at this address)

Shipping Address *One complimentary copy is sent to this address. If you need more evaluation reports, refer to the Additional Copies section.*

Attention to: _____

Street, Apt/Suite: _____

City, State, Zip (Country, if not USA): _____

Return my ACADEMIC original documents, if applicable, to the address above

Summary of Educational Experience *Use additional sheet of paper if necessary*

| Name of School and Location | Dates of Attendance (From - To) | Degree, Title or Certificate | Year Earned or Expected |
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Service *(required – see page 1 for description of services)*

General Statement of Equivalency (\$80) Detailed Evaluation of Coursework (\$140)

Rush Options

If no rush service is selected, the evaluation will be completed within approximately 10 business days.

3 Working Days (\$75.00) One Day Service for General Evaluation (\$175)

One Day Service for Detailed Evaluation (\$210)

Expedited Delivery Options *First-Class USPS shipping with tracking number is automatically included at no cost to you*

US Expedited Delivery (\$25.00)(Per address) International Expedited Delivery (\$35) (Per address)

Additional Copies

Additional Copies (\$25) *(per report, any amount can be requested at any time*)*

Additional Copy Address: *(Attach a separate sheet to this application for additional addresses)*

Attention to: _____

Street, Apt/Suite: _____

City, State, Zip (Country, if not USA): _____

Return my ACADEMIC original documents, if applicable, to the address above

**Reports are guaranteed to be available for two years following the exact original date of evaluation but are typically available for up to four years. Additional copies of your evaluation cannot be shipped to any other institutions.*

Additional Copy Delivery Options

First-Class USPS shipping with tracking number (free)

US Expedited Delivery (\$25) *(Per address)*

International Expedited Delivery (\$35) *(Per address)*

Payment Information

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| Enclosed US Check or US Money Order <i>(Make payable to FCSA)</i> | Total | | | |
| Credit Card | | | | |
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| Name On Card _____ | Billing Address: _____ | | | |
| Credit Card Number _____ | _____ | | | |
| Expiration Date (xx/xx): _____ CVV # _____ | _____ | | | |
| Authorization Signature _____ | | | | |

Notes, special requests: *(For example: I need my report in a separate sealed envelope)*

Signed Statement

I certify that all information provided in this application is complete, factually accurate, and honestly presented. I certify that I have read the instructions and conditions and agree to the terms stated therein. I understand that cancellations must be requested prior to the completion of the evaluation. A non-refundable processing fee of \$25 will be deducted from all cancellations. I understand that the evaluation is advisory and is not binding upon any agency or institution that uses it nor guaranteed to be accepted or used by any agency or institution. I release Foreign Credentials Service of America from any liability for damages resulting from the use to which I or any agency or institution puts the evaluation.

Signature of Applicant/Contact _____ Date _____