

INITIAL APPLICATION FOR TEMPORARY RESIDENT'S CARD RESEARCHER/PASSEPORT TALENT

All documents in foreign languages must be officially translated into French
by a sworn translator from the French court

- Valid passport** (pages: identity, dates of validity, VISA, entry stamps)
 - E-photo** (with full front view of the face, a neutral expression, mouth closed, bare head, bare face and neck. They must have a plain, light-coloured background)
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- Evidence of address (no handwritten document) dated within the last 6 months:**
 - Home insurance or residence tax or tax statement; or EDF/GDF bill; or CROUS residence certificate; or rent receipt (from an Agency only); or rental contract
 - If lodging in private accommodation:
 - Signed/dated statement from the host (form available online)
 - Evidence of address of the host (student residences not allowed) dated within the last 6 months
 - Identity card or French passport; or resident's card with the same address as on the evidence of address
 - If lodging at the hotel:
 - Signed/dated statement from the host
 - Bill of the last month
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- Valid hosting agreement** ('convention d'accueil')
 - A degree at least equivalent to the Master