

RENEWAL OF A TEMPORARY RESIDENT'S CARD SCIENTIST/RESEARCHER

Extension for THESIS DEFENSE

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)
 - Last resident's card OR long stay visa + vignette OFII OR confirmation of validation of the long stay visa valid as a residence permit**
 - 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
 - Proof of monthly personal resources of at least 615 Euros:**
 - Bank statement of the last three months showing the money transfers (615 Euros per month) for personal resources
OR an attestation from the bank stamped, signed and dated within the last three months showing a credit amount at least equal to three months of required resources (around 1845€)
OR certificate of a scholarship
OR three last pay slips + employment contract
 - If you are financially dependent on someone (from France only):
 - Handwritten statement of financial support signed and dated by the guarantor, stating the amount paid monthly (615€)
 - Identity card or French passport ; or valid resident's card of the guarantor
 - Guarantor's employment contract + payslips of the last 3 months (in euros) AND last French tax notice of the guarantor **OR** certificate from the third party's bank proving that regular transfers have been scheduled to your account
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- Thesis defense attestation** written by your thesis supervisor indicating the expected defense date
 - Last school attendance certificate obtained in PhD**