

# Visa Process:-

## Submission of Applications:

Does not Canada have a visa office in every country so it is significant that delegates access visit the website of the [office responsible for processing visa Their visa applications](#) . Information is available on the website on how to submit a visa implementation and the documentation required.

Delegates are Encouraged to submit Their visa applications well in advance of the day of the event at a [Visa Application Centre](#) on-line or [e-applications \(e-Apps\)](#) .

## e-Apps

This system allows customers to submit online applications.

That Delegates need a visa Their aim require passport for travel --other Purposes are Strongly Encouraged to submit Their visa on-line applications ( [E-Apps](#) ). That Delegates choose to apply online won't-have to submit passport Their decision is up to has-been taken on their Applications. If required, the visa office will send the with application instructions on how and where to send Their passports to finalize the visa process.

## Visa Application Centres (VACs)

VACs Commercial Service providers are authorized by Canada to Provide specific services to applicants.

VACs Provide a number of services Including help applicants fill out forms, answer question and Ensure That applications are full, thereby Reducing Unnecessary delays or Refusals due to incomplete applications.

That Applicants are [required to Provide biometrics information](#) as share of the visa application processes can do so [at a VAC](#) . Additional [information on the biometrics requirements](#) is available at the IRCC website.

VACs send applications to Visa Offices and conveyed decisions to applicants in a secure and confidential Manner. VACs do not process visa applications and play no role in the decision-making process

## Visa Application Processing Times:

Processing time for visa applications vary DEPENDING on the office and the time of the year. **Participants should Be Encouraged to apply early for Their visas, and to submit full applications Including all Supporting documents.**

Please visit the IRCC website for information on [the time it takes to process visa applications](#) at the various visa offices.

## NEW - Electronic Travel Authorization (eTA)

As of November 10, 2016, visa-exempt foreign nationals are expected to-have an [Electronic Travel Authorization](#)(eTA) to fly to or transit through Canada. [Exceptions](#) include US citizens, and travelers with a valid Canadian visa. Canadian citizens, Including [citizens dual](#) , and [Canadian permanent residents](#) are not eligible to apply for eTA year.

HOWEVER, up to November 9, 2016, travelers do not Who-have year eTA board can Their flight, as long as They Have Appropriate travel documents, Such As a valid passport. During this time, border services officers can let travelers arriving without eTA year into the country, as long As They meet the [--other requirements to enter Canada](#). We invite you to consult the [IRCC website](#) Regularly for updates information on eTA.