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LTR — Highly Skilled Professionals

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At a glance

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Validity: Up to 10 years

Why people choose it

LTR stream tied to eligible Thai employment in targeted industries.

Eligibility

What you need to show: no income floor for Thai government-agency employees. Employment/expertise in BOI targeted industries. Digital work permit required for Thai employment.
Work: Employment with eligible Thai/foreign entity, HEI, research/training institute, or Thai government agency in targeted industries; digital work permit for Thai employment; changing employer requires LTR Unit approval.
Education: Master's degree in science/technology (or special expertise) when using the lower income pathway.
Sponsor: Employer / institutional endorsement within LTR Highly-Skilled stream.
Other conditions: All LTR conditions must be maintained.

Income & Capital requirements

Personal income of at least USD 80,000/year average over 2 years
OR at least USD 40,000 with qualifying master's/expertise
government-agency employees exempt from income floor.
Plus insurance of at least USD 50,000 or Thai social security or deposit of at least USD 100,000 for at least 12 months.
Average personal income of at least USD 80,000/year over the past 2 years
OR at least USD 40,000 with a master's degree in science/technology or special expertise
Health insurance of at least USD 50,000 OR Thai social security OR deposit of at least USD 100,000 held for at least 12 months.

Documents

Biodata page of Passport or Travel Document
Photograph taken within the last six months
Document indicating current location
Income or income+education pathway

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Targeted-industry employment
Insurance/deposit alternative
Digital work permit for Thai work

Tier Duration

Programme shape is 5 years extendable by +5 (10-year framework)

Your quote

Fees are confirmed in your personal quote.