

# Application

for the naturalization of persons living abroad

– for applicants aged 16 or over –



1 Applicant's personal details (Please give any additional information or explanations on a separate sheet of paper.)				
1.1	Surname:			
1.2	Surname at birth: <small>- if different from surname above -</small>			
1.3	First name(s): <small>- Please give all first names -</small>			
1.4	Date of birth:	Sex:	<input type="checkbox"/> female <input type="checkbox"/> male <input type="checkbox"/>	
1.5	Town / District of birth:			
1.6	Country of birth:			
1.7	Religion:	<small>Only required if you were born before 9 May 1945!</small> <input type="checkbox"/> Jewish <input type="checkbox"/> other/none		
1.8	Marital status:	<input type="checkbox"/> single <input type="checkbox"/> married <input type="checkbox"/> divorced <input type="checkbox"/> widowed <input type="checkbox"/> in a civil partnership <input type="checkbox"/> civil partnership dissolved <input type="checkbox"/> other (please specify)		
1.9	1 <sup>st</sup> marriage / civil partnership:	from (exact date, town and country)	until (exact date, town and country)	
	2 <sup>nd</sup> marriage / civil partnership:			
1.10	Current address:			
1.11	Country of residence:			
1.12	Telephone number: <small>- including international dialling code -</small>			
1.13	Email address:			
2 My citizenships (Please give any additional information or explanations on a separate sheet of paper.)				
2.1	Current citizenships: <small>- Please include all citizenships you hold -</small>	Citizenship	Date of acquisition	Acquired by (e.g. descent, naturalization)
		as evidenced by: ▶ Please enclose a certified copy.		e.g. valid identity card, valid passport
		Citizenship	Date of acquisition	Acquired by (e.g. descent, naturalization)
		as evidenced by: ▶ Please enclose a certified copy.		e.g. valid identity card, valid passport
2.2	Previous citizenships:	Citizenship	Held from – until	Lost by (e.g. naturalization, renunciation)

<b>3</b> My application is based on the (previous) German citizenship of: Please check <u>one box</u> only!			
3.1	<input type="checkbox"/> not applicable		
3.2	<input type="checkbox"/> myself		
3.3	<input type="checkbox"/> my father or mother	▶ Please complete <b>Appendix VA</b> giving your parents' details.	
3.4	<input type="checkbox"/> my grandfather or grandmother	▶ Please complete <b>Appendix VA</b> giving your parents' and grandparents' details. Only provide information about grandparents who were German themselves or descended from a German. If both your parents were German, give the details of your paternal grandparents.	
3.5	<input type="checkbox"/> a previous generation (e.g. great-grandparents)	▶ Please complete and attach <b>Appendix VA</b> giving the details of your parents, grandparents and each further generation, or ▼	
3.6	The details of my ancestors have already been provided in the following application: ▶	Surname	First name
		Date of birth	Reference number from the Federal Office of Administration on the application or certificate of naturalization

<b>4</b> Information concerning my spouse or civil partner		<input type="checkbox"/> not applicable, single
4.1	Surname:	
4.2	Surname at birth: - if different from surname above -	
4.3	First name(s): - Please give all first names -	
4.4	Date of birth:	
4.5	Town, district and country of birth:	
4.6	Current citizenships:	▶ If German, please enclose documentation (e.g. certified passport copy).
4.7	Current address: - if different from applicant's address -	
4.8	Profession:	

<b>5</b> Where I have lived since birth – <u>do not include</u> any periods of residence of less than 6 months – (Please give any additional information or explanations on a separate sheet of paper.)				
	from	until	town/city	country
5.1				

6 School education (Please give any additional information or explanations on a separate sheet of paper.)			
from	until	type of school (qualifications obtained, if applicable)	country
6.1			

7 Vocational training or university education (Please give any additional information or explanations on a separate sheet of paper.)			
from	until	type of institution (qualifications obtained, if applicable)	country
7.1			

8 Employment or self-employment to the present day (Please give any additional information or explanations on a separate sheet of paper.)			
from	until	type of work (employer's details, if applicable)	country
8.1			
8.2	I currently work as:		

<b>9 My ability to support myself</b> (Please give any additional information or explanations on a separate sheet of paper.)						
9.1	<b>Gross income:</b>			amount (in euros)	type of income (e.g. salary, pension)	
	9.1.1	<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant	<input type="checkbox"/> per month: <input type="checkbox"/> annually:			
	9.1.2	<input type="checkbox"/> Spouse or civil partner	<input type="checkbox"/> per month: <input type="checkbox"/> annually:			
	9.1.3	<input type="checkbox"/> Parents (of minor applicants)	<input type="checkbox"/> per month: <input type="checkbox"/> annually:			
9.2	<b>Real estate:</b>		location (town, country)	value (in euros)	mortgaged (if yes, amount in euros)	
	<input type="checkbox"/> no	<input type="checkbox"/> yes ▶			<input type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/> yes ▶	
9.3	<b>Other assets:</b>		value (in euros)	type (e.g. shares, funds, savings)		
	<input type="checkbox"/> no	<input type="checkbox"/> yes ▶				
9.4	<b>Provision for old age:</b>		<input type="checkbox"/> statutory or state pension ▶ Please enclose documentation.			
	<input type="checkbox"/> no	<input type="checkbox"/> yes ▶	<input type="checkbox"/> private provision	type		
9.5	<b>Do you have health insurance cover?</b>					
	<input type="checkbox"/> no	<input type="checkbox"/> yes ▶	in Germany?	<input type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/> yes ▶	insurer:	
			<input type="checkbox"/> state or statutory insurance in your home country ▶ Please enclose documentation.			
				<input type="checkbox"/> private insurance in home country ▶ Please enclose documentation.	insurer:	
9.6	<b>I receive welfare benefits or other state support:</b>					
	<input type="checkbox"/> no	<input type="checkbox"/> yes ▶	monthly benefits (in euros)	type of benefit, name of agency that pays		
9.7	<b>I have to pay maintenance (to persons who do not live in my household):</b>					
	<input type="checkbox"/> no	<input type="checkbox"/> yes ▶	I am obliged to pay maintenance to the following persons	amount due (in euros)		
9.8	<b>I am in arrears with respect to maintenance payments:</b>					
	<input type="checkbox"/> no	<input type="checkbox"/> yes ▶	amount of arrears (in euros)			
9.9	<b>I or members of my family owe other debts (e.g. back taxes, loan repayments):</b>					
	<input type="checkbox"/> no	<input type="checkbox"/> yes ▶	total debt (in euros)			
▶ Please enclose documentation.						
9.10	<b>Money owed to German authorities:</b>					
	<input type="checkbox"/> no	<input type="checkbox"/> yes ▶	type of debt	authority owed		

<b>10 My German language skills</b> (Please give any additional information or explanations on a separate sheet of paper.)		
10.1	I learned German <input type="checkbox"/> at home/from family <input type="checkbox"/> at school <input type="checkbox"/> university/courses <input type="checkbox"/> self-taught ▶ Please enclose documentation.    ▶ Please enclose documentation.	
10.2	Time spent in German-speaking countries: ▶ Please enclose documentation (e.g. copies of passport pages, visas, residence permits, registration certificates).	
	town, country	from    until
10.3	German language courses ▶ Please enclose relevant documentation (e.g. language certificates obtained).	
	name and address of the language school	certificate dated    level (e.g. B1, C1)
10.4	Other:	

<b>11 My ties with Germany</b> (Please give any additional information or explanations on a separate sheet of paper.)	
11.1	<input type="checkbox"/> I am in contact with close relatives who live in Germany and are German citizens. ▶ Please enclose a list of such persons (name, address, relationship) and explain how you keep in touch (e.g. visits, telephone calls).
11.2	<input type="checkbox"/> I am in contact with friends and acquaintances who live in Germany and are German citizens. ▶ Please enclose a list of such persons (name, address) and explain how you keep in touch (e.g. visits, telephone calls, online).
11.3	<input type="checkbox"/> I own residential property or real estate in Germany. ▶ Please enclose relevant documentation.
11.4	<input type="checkbox"/> I have accounts or pension/insurance entitlements in Germany. ▶ Please enclose relevant documentation.
11.5	<input type="checkbox"/> I have been a member of a German association or organization for many years. ▶ Please enclose relevant documentation.
11.6	<input type="checkbox"/> Other:

<b>12 I have already filed the following applications in Germany:</b>		<input type="checkbox"/> not applicable	▶ I have not previously filed any of the applications specified below.
12.1	application for <input type="checkbox"/> confirmation of German citizenship (certificate of citizenship)	outcome: <input type="checkbox"/> positive <input type="checkbox"/> negative <input type="checkbox"/> not decided	responsible agency (name, town) agency's file reference    date of decision
12.2	<input type="checkbox"/> status under the Federal Expellees Act (e.g. late repatriate status)	<input type="checkbox"/> positive <input type="checkbox"/> negative <input type="checkbox"/> not decided	responsible agency (name, town) agency's file reference    date of decision
12.3	<input type="checkbox"/> naturalization	<input type="checkbox"/> positive <input type="checkbox"/> negative <input type="checkbox"/> not decided	responsible agency (name, town) agency's file reference    date of decision
2.4	<input type="checkbox"/> compensation or restitution	<input type="checkbox"/> positive <input type="checkbox"/> negative <input type="checkbox"/> not decided	responsible agency (name, town) agency's file reference    date of decision
12.5	<input type="checkbox"/> recognition as a foreign refugee ▶ Please enclose documentation.	<input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no	as evidenced by
12.6	<input type="checkbox"/> recognition as entitled to asylum ▶ Please enclose documentation.	<input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no	as evidenced by basis on which asylum was granted

13 Avoiding multiple nationality

13.1  I will relinquish my present citizenship.

13.2  I do not wish to relinquish my present citizenship. ► Please give detailed reasons.

Please provide detailed reasons and enclose relevant documentation:

(Please give any additional information or explanations on a separate sheet of paper.)

13.3 Not applicable because:

I am a citizen of a European Union (EU) member state.

I am a Swiss citizen.

14 Reasons why I am applying for naturalization

(Please give any additional information or explanations on a separate sheet of paper.)

Set out in detail why you are applying for naturalization from abroad.

<b>15 Criminal offences or pending criminal investigations</b> (Please give any additional information or explanations on a separate sheet of paper.)				
15.1	Criminal offences:	date	crime	sentence
	<input type="checkbox"/> no	<input type="checkbox"/> yes ▶		
15.2	Pending criminal investigations:	details		
	<input type="checkbox"/> no	<input type="checkbox"/> yes ▶		

<b>16 Applicant's local German mission abroad</b>	
16.1	Name and location of mission:
16.2	Mission's reference number for this application: - if known -

<b>17 Power of attorney</b>	
17.1	<input type="checkbox"/> I have granted someone else a power of attorney. All correspondence is to be conducted via this person. ▶ <b>Please complete APPENDIX VOLLMACHT.</b>

<b>18 Children to be included in my application for naturalization</b> ▶ Please complete application form EBK for each child under 16, and for all others please complete an additional application form EB.			
18.1	Children	No, <input type="checkbox"/> none	Yes, <input type="checkbox"/> number:

<b>Enclosures:</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Appendix Vollmacht	<input type="checkbox"/> Additional enclosures:
<input type="checkbox"/> Appendix VA (Ancestors)	

**19 Identification and declarations**

Photograph:

19.1

Current photograph

Year taken:

I currently use the following official document (with photograph) as proof of ID:

19.2

<input type="checkbox"/> Passport	passport no.	date issued
<input type="checkbox"/> Identity card	card no.	date issued
<input type="checkbox"/> Other	type of document	date issued

► Please enclose a certified copy of the relevant document.

**I hereby apply from abroad for naturalization by Germany and confirm that information about me provided here is correct and complete.**

I am aware that

- providing incorrect or incomplete information may lead to naturalization being revoked.
- I must immediately inform the Federal Office of Administration of any changes to my personal details (name, address, marital status, etc.), my financial details or any of the information provided in this application.
- an administration fee will be charged for naturalization (issue of a certificate of naturalization) or if this application is refused or withdrawn.
- the Federal Office of Administration will share my personal data with the Federal Office for the Protection of the Constitution pursuant to section 37 (2) of the Nationality Act.

You can find information on your rights with regard to processing personal data pursuant to Articles 13 and 14 of the EU General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) on the Federal Office of Administration's website > 'Staatsangehörigkeitsverfahren in Bundeszuständigkeit' (general information) and on the more in-depth information page for the relevant application. The contact details of the Data Protection Commissioner are also provided there.

19.4

▲ Place and date

▲ Applicant's signature

**Authentication by the German mission abroad**

19.5

The above signature was executed in my presence.

*-official stamp-*

Authority

Date

Town/city

Signature and rank



**Mission's notes**

To be completed by the German mission!

Alle in Kopie beigefügten Unterlagen haben der Auslandsvertretung vorgelegen

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Die Echtheit der Personenstandsurkunden wird belegt/bestätigt

durch Haager Apostille.

entfällt, da von Echtheitsbestätigung befreit (CIEC-Abkommen Nr. 16 v. 08.09.1976 oder bilaterale Abkommen).

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Die Echtheit der Personenstandsurkunden kann nicht belegt/bestätigt werden, da

die Haager Apostille fehlt.

die Legalisationsvoraussetzungen im Land grundsätzlich nicht vorliegen.

Zweifel an der Echtheit/ inhaltlichen Richtigkeit bestehen (ggf. ergänzen).

Anmerkungen:

Ort, Datum, Unterschrift und Stempel