



Application For Naturalization

Department of Homeland Security
U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services

USCIS
Form N-400
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Remarks			

Type or print all your answers in black ink. Type or print "N/A" if an item is not applicable or the answer is "none" unless otherwise indicated. Failure to answer all of the questions may delay USCIS processing your Form N-400. **NOTE: You must complete Parts 1. - 14.**

Part 1. Information About Your Eligibility (Check only one box or your Form N-400 may be delayed)

Enter Your 9 Digit A-Number:

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You are at least 18 years old **and**

- Have been a Permanent Resident of the United States for at least 5 years.
- Have been a Permanent Resident of the United States for at least 3 years. In addition, you have been married to and living with the same U.S. citizen spouse for the last 3 years, **and** your spouse has been a U.S. citizen for the last 3 years at the time of filing your Form N-400.
- Are a Permanent Resident of the United States, and you are the spouse of a U.S. citizen, **and** your U.S. citizen spouse is regularly engaged in specified employment abroad. (Section 319(b) of the Immigration and Nationality Act)
- Are applying on the basis of qualifying military service.
- Other (explain):

Part 2. Information About You (Person applying for naturalization)

1. Your Current Legal Name (do not provide a nickname)

Family Name (Last Name)	Given Name (First Name)	Middle Name (if applicable)
<input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>	<input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>	<input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>

2. Your Name Exactly As It Appears on Your Permanent Resident Card (if applicable)

Family Name (Last Name)	Given Name (First Name)	Middle Name (if applicable)
<input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>	<input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>	<input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>

3. Other Name(s) You Have Used Since Birth (include nicknames, aliases, and maiden name if applicable)

Family Name (Last Name)	Given Name (First Name)	Middle Name (if applicable)
<input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>	<input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>	<input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>
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Part 5. Information About Your Parents

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If your biological or legally adoptive mother or father is a U.S. citizen by birth, or naturalized before you reached your 18th birthday, you may already be a U.S. citizen. Visit the USCIS Web site at www.uscis.gov for further information on this topic before you consider filing Form N-400.

- 1. Were your parents married before your 18th birthday? Yes No
- 2. Is your mother a U.S. citizen? Yes No

If "Yes," complete the following information.

A. Current Legal Name of U.S. Citizen Mother

Mother's Family Name (Last Name)	Mother's Given Name (First Name)	Mother's Middle Name (if applicable)
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

B. Mother's Country of Birth

C. Mother's Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)

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- 3. Is your father a U.S. citizen? Yes No
- If "Yes," complete the information below.

A. Current Legal Name of U.S. Citizen Father

Father's Family Name (Last Name)	Father's Given Name (First Name)	Father's Middle Name (if applicable)
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

B. Father's Country of Birth

C. Father's Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)

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Part 6. Information for Criminal Records Check

NOTE: USCIS requires you to complete the categories below to conduct background checks. (See Form N-400 Instructions for more information)

- 1. Gender Male Female 2. Height Feet Inches
- 3. Ethnicity (Select one)
 - Hispanic or Latino Not Hispanic or Latino
- 4. Race (Select one or more)
 - White Asian Black or African American American Indian or Alaska Native Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander
- 5. Hair color
 - Black Brown Blonde Gray White Red Sandy Bald (No hair)

Part 7. Information About Your Employment and Schools You Attended
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3. Employer or School Name

Street Number and Name

Apt. Ste. Flr. Number

City

State

ZIP Code + 4

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Province or Region (foreign address only)

Country (foreign address only)

Postal Code (foreign address only)

Date From (mm/dd/yyyy)

Date To (mm/dd/yyyy)

Your Occupation

Part 8. Time Outside the United States

1. How many **total days (24 hours or longer)** did you spend outside the United States during the last 5 years? days

2. How many trips of **24 hours or longer** have you taken outside the United States during the last 5 years? trips

3. List below all the trips of **24 hours or longer** that you have taken outside the United States during the last 5 years.

Begin with your most recent trip and work backwards. **If you need more space, use an additional sheet(s) of paper.**

Date You Left the United States (mm/dd/yyyy)	Date You Returned to the United States (mm/dd/yyyy)	Did Trip Last 6 Months or More?	Countries to Which You Traveled	Total Days Outside the United States
		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		

Part 9. Information About Your Marital History

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1. What is your current marital status?

Single, never married Married Separated Divorced Widowed Marriage annulled

2. If you are married, is your spouse a current member of the U.S. Armed Forces?

Yes No

3. How many times have you been married (including annulled marriages and marriage(s) to the same person)?

*If you are single and have never been married, indicate "0" and go to **Part 10**.*

4. If you are married now, provide the following information about your current spouse.

A. Legal Name of Current Spouse

Family Name (*Last Name*)

Given Name (*First Name*)

Middle Name (*if applicable*)

B. Previous Legal Name of Current Spouse

Family Name (*Last Name*)

Given Name (*First Name*)

Middle Name (*if applicable*)

C. Other Names Used by Current Spouse (include nicknames, aliases, and maiden name, if applicable)

Family Name (*Last Name*)

Given Name (*First Name*)

Middle Name (*if applicable*)

D. Current Spouse's Date of Birth

(*mm/dd/yyyy*) ▶

E. Date You Entered into Marriage with Current Spouse

(*mm/dd/yyyy*) ▶

F. Current Spouse's Present Home Address

Street Number and Name

Apt. Ste. Flr. Number

City

County

State

ZIP Code + 4

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Province or Region (*foreign address only*)

Country (*foreign address only*)

Postal Code (*foreign address only*)

G. Current Spouse's Present Employer

5. Is your current spouse a U.S. citizen?

Yes No

*If "Yes," answer **Item Number 6**.*

*If "No," go to **Item Number 7**.*

Part 9. Information About Your Marital History (continued)

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9. If you were married before, provide the following information about your prior spouse. **If you have more than one previous marriage, use an additional sheet(s) of paper to provide the information requested in Items A. - H. below for each marriage.**

A. **Your Prior Spouse's Family Name** (Last Name) **Given Name** (First Name) **Middle Name** (if applicable)

B. **Your Prior Spouse's Immigration Status When Your Marriage Ended**
 U.S. Citizen Permanent Resident Other (explain):

C. **Your Prior Spouse's Date of Birth**
(mm/dd/yyyy) ▶

D. **Your Prior Spouse's Country of Birth**

E. **Your Prior Spouse's Country of Citizenship or Nationality**

F. **Date of Marriage with Your Prior Spouse**
(mm/dd/yyyy) ▶

G. **Date Marriage Ended with Your Prior Spouse**
(mm/dd/yyyy) ▶

H. **How Marriage Ended with Your Prior Spouse**
 Annulled Divorced Spouse Deceased Other (explain):

Part 10. Information About Your Children

1. **Indicate your total number of children.** (All children should be indicated, including: A. Children who are alive, missing, deceased; B. Children born in the United States or in other countries; C. Children under 18 years of age or older; D. Children who are currently married or unmarried; E. Children living with you or elsewhere; F. Current stepchildren; G. Legally adopted children; and H. Children born when you were not married.)

2. Provide the following information about **all your children** (sons and daughters) listed in Item Number 1., regardless of age. Use an additional sheet(s) of paper to list any additional children.

A.1. **Child's Current Legal Name**
Family Name (Last Name) Given Name (First Name) Middle Name (if applicable)

A.2. **Child's A-Number** (if applicable)
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A.3. **Child's Date of Birth**
(mm/dd/yyyy) ▶

A.4. **Child's Country of Birth**

Part 10. Information About Your Children *(continued)*

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A.5. Child's Current Address

Street Number and Name Apt. Ste. Flr. Number

City County State ZIP Code + 4 -

Province or Region *(foreign address only)* Country *(foreign address only)* Postal Code *(foreign address only)*

A.6. What is your child's relationship to you? *(e.g., biological child, stepchild, legally adopted child)*

B.1. Child's Current Legal Name

Family Name *(Last Name)* Given Name *(First Name)* Middle Name *(if applicable)*

B.2. Child's A-Number *(if applicable)*

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B.3. Child's Date of Birth

(mm/dd/yyyy) ▶

B.4. Child's Country of Birth

B.5. Child's Current Address

Street Number and Name Apt. Ste. Flr. Number

City County State ZIP Code + 4 -

Province or Region *(foreign address only)* Country *(foreign address only)* Postal Code *(foreign address only)*

B.6. What is your child's relationship to you? *(e.g., biological child, stepchild, legally adopted child)*

Part 10. Information About Your Children *(continued)*

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C.1. Child's Current Legal Name

Family Name *(Last Name)*

Given Name *(First Name)*

Middle Name *(if applicable)*

C.2. Child's A-Number *(if applicable)*

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C.3. Child's Date of Birth

(mm/dd/yyyy) ▶

C.4. Child's Country of Birth

C.5. Child's Current Address

Street Number and Name

Apt. Ste. Flr. Number

City

County

State

ZIP Code + 4

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Province or Region *(foreign address only)*

Country *(foreign address only)*

Postal Code *(foreign address only)*

C.6. What is your child's relationship to you? *(e.g., biological child, stepchild, legally adopted child)*

D.1. Child's Current Legal Name

Family Name *(Last Name)*

Given Name *(First Name)*

Middle Name *(if applicable)*

D.2. Child's A-Number *(if applicable)*

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D.3. Child's Date of Birth

(mm/dd/yyyy) ▶

D.4. Child's Country of Birth

D.5. Child's Current Address

Street Number and Name

Apt. Ste. Flr. Number

City

County

State

ZIP Code + 4

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Province or Region *(foreign address only)*

Country *(foreign address only)*

Postal Code *(foreign address only)*

D.6. What is your child's relationship to you? *(e.g., biological child, stepchild, legally adopted child)*

Part 11. Additional Information

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Answer **Item Numbers 1. - 21.** If you answer **"Yes"** to any of these questions, include a written explanation on an additional sheet(s) of paper and provide any evidence to support your answer.

- 1. Have you **ever** claimed to be a U.S. citizen (*in writing or any other way*)? Yes No
- 2. Have you **ever** registered to vote in any Federal, State, or local election in the United States? Yes No
- 3. Have you **ever** voted in any Federal, State, or local election in the United States? Yes No
- 4. Do you now have, or did you **ever** have, a hereditary title or an order of nobility in any foreign country? Yes No
- 5. Have you **ever** been declared legally incompetent, or been confined to a mental institution? Yes No
- 6. Do you owe any overdue Federal, State, or local taxes? Yes No
- 7. **A.** Have you **ever** not filed a Federal, State, or local tax return since you became a Permanent Resident? Yes No
B. If "Yes," did you consider yourself to be a "non-U.S. resident"? Yes No
- 8. Have you called yourself a "non-U.S. resident" on a Federal, State, or local tax return since you became a Permanent Resident? Yes No
- 9. **A.** Have you **ever** been a member of, involved in, or in any way associated with, any organization, association, fund, foundation, party, club, society, or similar group in the United States or in any other location in the world? Yes No

B. If "Yes," provide the information below. **If you need more space, attach the names of the other group(s) on an additional sheet(s) of paper and provide any evidence to support your answer.**

Name of Group	Purpose of the Group	Dates of Membership	
		From <i>(mm/dd/yyyy)</i>	To <i>(mm/dd/yyyy)</i>

- 10. Have you **ever** been a member of, or in any way associated (*either directly or indirectly*) with:
 - A.** The Communist Party? Yes No
 - B.** Any other totalitarian party? Yes No
 - C.** A terrorist organization? Yes No

Part 11. Additional Information (continued)

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27. A. Have you **ever** received a suspended sentence, been placed on probation, or been paroled? Yes No
 B. If "Yes," have you completed the probation or parole? Yes No
28. A. Have you **ever** been in jail or prison? Yes No
 B. If "Yes," how long were you in jail or prison? Years Months Days
29. If you answered "Yes" to Item Numbers 23. - 28., complete the following table. **If you need more space, use an additional sheet(s) of paper and provide any evidence to support your answer.** If you answered "No" to *all* Item Numbers 23. - 28., go to Item Number 30.

Why were you arrested, cited, detained, or charged?	Date arrested, cited, detained, or charged. <i>(mm/dd/yyyy)</i>	Where were you arrested, cited, detained, or charged? <i>(City, State, Country)</i>	Outcome or disposition of the arrest, citation, detention or charge <i>(no charges filed, charges dismissed, jail, probation, etc.)</i>

Answer Item Numbers 30. - 46. If you answer "Yes" to any of these questions, except Item Numbers 37. and 38., include a written explanation on an additional sheet(s) of paper and provide any evidence to support your answer.

30. Have you ever:
- A. Been a habitual drunkard? Yes No
 - B. Been a prostitute, or procured anyone for prostitution? Yes No
 - C. Sold or smuggled controlled substances, illegal drugs, or narcotics? Yes No
 - D. Been married to more than one person at the same time? Yes No
 - E. Married someone in order to obtain an immigration benefit? Yes No
 - F. Helped anyone to enter, or try to enter, the United States illegally? Yes No
 - G. Gambled illegally or received income from illegal gambling? Yes No
 - H. Failed to support your dependents or to pay alimony? Yes No
 - I. Made any misrepresentation to obtain any public benefit in the United States? Yes No

Part 11. Additional Information (continued)

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- 31. Have you **ever** given any U.S. Government official(s) **any** information or documentation that was false, fraudulent, or misleading? Yes No
- 32. Have you **ever** lied to any U.S. Government official to gain entry or admission into the United States or to gain immigration benefits while in the United States? Yes No
- 33. Have you **ever** been removed, excluded, or deported from the United States? Yes No
- 34. Have you **ever** been ordered removed, excluded, or deported from the United States? Yes No
- 35. Have you **ever** been placed in removal, exclusion, rescission, or deportation proceedings? Yes No
- 36. Are removal, exclusion, rescission, or deportation proceedings (*including administratively closed proceedings*) **currently** pending against you? Yes No
- 37. Have you **ever** served in the U.S. Armed Forces? Yes No
- 38. Are you **currently** a member of the U.S. Armed Forces? Yes No
- 39. If you are **currently** a member of the U.S. Armed Forces, are you scheduled to deploy overseas, including to a vessel, within the next 3 months? (*Refer to the **Address Change** section within the Form N-400 Instructions on how to notify USCIS if you learn of your deployment plans after you file your Form N-400.*) Yes No
- 40. If you are **currently** a member of the U.S. Armed Forces, are you **currently** stationed overseas? Yes No
- 41. Have you **ever** been court-martialed, administratively separated, or disciplined, or have you received an other than honorable discharge, while in the U.S. Armed Forces? Yes No
- 42. Have you **ever** been discharged from training or service in the U.S. Armed Forces because you were an alien? Yes No
- 43. Have you **ever** left the United States to avoid being drafted in the U.S. Armed Forces? Yes No
- 44. Have you **ever** applied for any kind of exemption from military service in the U.S. Armed Forces? Yes No
- 45. Have you **ever** deserted from the U.S. Armed Forces? Yes No
- 46. **A.** Are you a male who lived in the United States at any time between your 18th and 26th birthdays? (*This does not include living in the United States as a lawful nonimmigrant.*) Yes No
B. If "Yes," when did you register for the Selective Service? Provide the information below.
Date Registered (*mm/dd/yyyy*) ▶ Selective Service Number

Part 13. Signature and Contact Information of the Person Who Prepared This Form, If Other Than the Applicant (continued)

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Preparer's Printed Name

Family Name (*Last Name*)

Given Name (*First Name*)

Middle Name (*if applicable*)

Preparer's Signature

Date (mm/dd/yyyy)

Preparer's Firm or Organization Name (if applicable)

Preparer's Daytime Phone Number

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Preparer's Address

Street Number and Name

Apt. Ste. Flr. Number

City

County

State

ZIP Code + 4

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Province or Region (*foreign address only*)

Country (*foreign address only*)

Postal Code (*foreign address only*)

Preparer's E-mail Address

Preparer's Fax Number

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Part 14. Statement of Applicants Who Used an Interpreter

NOTE: If you answered "Yes" to **Part 2., Item Numbers 11. or 12.** of this form **and** during the completion of the form used an interpreter to interpret the questions on the form, then **you and your interpreter** must complete this section.

Applicant's Statement

Each and every question and instruction on this form, as well as my answer to each question, has been read to me by the interpreter named below in , a language in which I am fluent.

(*language used*)

I understand each and every question and instruction on this form, as translated to me by my interpreter, and have provided true and correct responses in the language indicated above.

Your Signature

Date (mm/dd/yyyy)

Part 14. Statement of Applicants Who Used an Interpreter (continued)

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Your Interpreter's Statement

I certify that I am fluent in English and .
(language used)

I further certify that I have read each and every question and instruction on this form, as well as the answer to each question, to this applicant in the above-mentioned language, and the applicant has informed me that he or she has understood each and every instruction and question on the form, as well as the answer to each question.

Interpreter's Printed Name

Family Name (Last Name)

Given Name (First Name)

Middle Name (if applicable)

Interpreter's Signature

Date (mm/dd/yyyy)

Telephone Number

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NOTE: Do not complete Parts 15., 16., and 17. until the USCIS Officer instructs you to do so at the interview.

Part 15. Signature at Interview

I swear (*affirm*) and certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America that I know that the contents of this Form N-400, Application for Naturalization, subscribed by me, including corrections number 1 through _____, are true and correct. The evidence submitted by me on numbered pages 1 through _____ is true and correct.

Subscribed to and sworn to (*affirmed*) before me

USCIS Officer's Printed Name or Stamp

Date (mm/dd/yyyy)

Applicant's Signature

USCIS Officer's Signature

Part 16. Renunciation of Foreign Titles

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If you answered "Yes" to **Part 11., Item Numbers 4. and 53.**, then you must affirm the following before a USCIS officer:

I further renounce the title of _____ which I have heretofore held; or
(list title(s))

I further renounce the order of nobility of _____ to which I have heretofore belonged.
(list order of nobility)

Applicant's Printed Name**Applicant's Signature****USCIS Officer's Printed Name****USCIS Officer's Signature****Part 17. Oath of Allegiance**

If your application is approved, you will be scheduled for a public oath ceremony at which time you will be required to take the following Oath of Allegiance immediately prior to becoming a naturalized citizen. By signing below you acknowledge your willingness and ability to take this oath:

I hereby declare on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, of whom or which I have heretofore been a subject or citizen;

that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic;

that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same;

that I will bear arms on behalf of the United States when required by the law;

that I will perform noncombatant service in the Armed Forces of the United States when required by the law;

that I will perform work of national importance under civilian direction when required by the law; and

that I will take this obligation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion, so help me God.

Applicant's Printed NameFamily Name *(Last Name)*Given Name *(First Name)*Middle Name *(if applicable)***Applicant's Signature**