

# NAFTA TN Visa Application for Scientific Technician/Technologist: Document Checklist

Under NAFTA, a TN Professional Work Visa allows professional scientific technicians who are citizens of Canada or Mexico to get a United States temporary work visa to work for a U.S. employer in over 60 job categories. A TN visa is typically issued up to 3 years but can be renewed.



- ① Updated passport identification page
- ② Updated Resume/CV (including description of work experience and education)
- ③ 2-3 reference letters attesting to your consulting activities/expertise
- ④ Copies of degrees, diplomas, certificates and transcripts. For this category you must have a 2 year diploma (at least) in a relevant field
- ⑤ Copy of job description
- ⑥ Copy of offer of employment / employment contracts
- ⑦ Copies of any Professional Certificates
- ⑧ Documents for a degreed professional who you will be working with directly.
- ⑨ Marriage certificate (if applicable)
- ⑩ Your spouse's passport (if applicable)

## Degreed Professional (such as an Engineer) Must Provide:

- ⑪ Passport Identification Page
- ⑫ Copy of document showing they have a degree
- ⑬ Professional membership to professional organization

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- 14 NAFTA REQUIREMENTS FOR WORKING IN THE U.S.: presented by Canada Immigration Lawyer Evelyn Ackah  
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- 15 Intra-Company Work Permits and Job Transfers to the U.S. and Canada <https://www.ackahlaw.com/news/intra-company-work-permits-and-job-transfers-to-the-us-and-canada>

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