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# Applying for an extension of the residence permit for recognition of professional qualifications based on an agreement with the Federal Employment Agency

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Modul	Sachverhalt
Leistungsschlüssel	99010019020009, 99010019020009
Leistungsbezeichnung I	Applying for an extension of the residence permit for recognition of professional qualifications based on an agreement with the Federal Employment Agency
Leistungsbezeichnung II	Applying for an extension of the residence permit for recognition of professional qualifications based on an agreement with the Federal Employment Agency
Typisierung	2/3 - Bund: Regelung (2 oder 3), Land/Kommune: Vollzug
Quellredaktion	Rheinland-Pfalz
Freigabestatus Katalog	unbestimmter Freigabestatus
Freigabestatus Bibliothek	fachlich freigegeben (silber)

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<b>Begriffe im Kontext</b>	
Leistungstyp	Leistungsobjekt mit Verrichtung
Leistungsgruppierung	Aufenthaltstitel (010)
Verrichtungskennung	Verlängerung (020)
SDG-Informationsbereich	Anforderungen in Bezug auf Aufenthaltskarten für Unionsbürger und ihre Familienmitglieder, einschließlich Familienmitglieder, die keine Unionsbürger sind
Lagen Portalverbund	Einwanderung (1080100)
Einheitlicher Ansprechpartner	Nein
Fachlich freigegeben am	11.09.2020
Fachlich freigegeben durch	Ministry of the Interior and Municipal Affairs of the State of Brandenburg
Handlungsgrundlage	<a href="https://www.gesetze-im-internet.de/aufenthg_2004/_8.html">https://www.gesetze-im-internet.de/aufenthg_2004/_8.html</a> <a href="https://www.gesetze-im-internet.de/aufenthg_2004/_16d.html">https://www.gesetze-im-internet.de/aufenthg_2004/_16d.html</a> <a href="https://www.gesetze-im-internet.de/beschv_2013/_2.html">https://www.gesetze-im-internet.de/beschv_2013/_2.html</a> <a href="https://www.gesetze-im-internet.de/aufenthg_2004/_8.html">https://www.gesetze-im-internet.de/aufenthg_2004/_8.html</a> <a href="https://www.gesetze-im-internet.de/aufenthg_2004/_16d.html">https://www.gesetze-im-internet.de/aufenthg_2004/_16d.html</a> <a href="https://www.gesetze-im-internet.de/beschv_2013/_2.html">https://www.gesetze-im-internet.de/beschv_2013/_2.html</a>
Teaser	You can have your residence permit for the recognition of professional qualifications extended on the basis of an agreement with the Federal Employment Agency if you meet certain requirements.
Volltext	You can apply for an extension of your residence permit if the procedure for recognition of your foreign professional qualification is still ongoing. The recognition procedure covers the period from the application to the issuing of a final recognition decision by the competent recognition body. This includes the

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implementation of qualification measures and subsequent examinations that are required to determine equivalence or to obtain a license to practice the profession.

If your residence permit is extended, it will be limited in time again. The residence permit for recognition of professional qualifications on the basis of an agreement with the Federal Employment Agency will be extended by one year at a time up to a maximum of three years. After three years, if you have successfully completed the recognition procedure, you can obtain a residence permit to look for a job for one year or a residence permit for another purpose of residence (e.g. to study, to complete vocational training or to work as a skilled worker)

The Federal Employment Agency must again approve the pursuit of employment in the desired occupational field. Approval is granted for a limited period of one year. This can be granted if you can prove that you will continue to pursue the recognition procedure.

As a rule, the residence permit cannot be extended if this was already ruled out when the residence permit was issued or last extended.

## Erforderliche Unterlagen

- Passport or passport replacement
- Current biometric photo
- Existing residence permit
- Proof of livelihood (e.g. blocked account at a bank)
- Proof of your health insurance
- Employment contract
- Tenancy agreement
- Proof of the recognition procedure (e.g. initial notification from the recognizing body or certificate of participation in a qualification measure)

## Voraussetzungen

- You have a recognized and valid passport or passport substitute and a valid residence permit for the recognition of professional qualifications based on an agreement with the Federal Employment Agency in accordance with Section 16d (4) of the Residence Act.
- Your residence permit will expire in the near future.
- You are pursuing the procedure to determine the

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equivalence of your foreign professional qualification or, if necessary, to obtain a professional practice permit from the competent recognition office in Germany.

- The Federal Employment Agency has approved the pursuit of employment in the desired professional field.

Approval is usually obtained from the foreigners authority.

- There are no grounds for deportation against you.
- Your stay does not jeopardize or impair the interests of the Federal Republic of Germany
- Your livelihood is secured.

## Kosten

- Extension of the residence permit for recognition of professional qualifications on the basis of an agreement with the Federal Employment Agency
  - for a further stay of up to three months: EUR 96
  - for a further stay of more than three months: EUR 93
- Under certain conditions, a fee reduction or fee exemption may be possible.

## Verfahrensablauf

The extension of your residence permit must be applied for at the foreigners authority responsible for your place of residence.

- Depending on the foreigners authority and your request, it may be possible to apply online. Find out whether your foreigners authority offers electronic application for a residence permit.
  - If the application can only be made in person, arrange an appointment with the immigration office.
  - During the appointment, your application will be accepted and your supporting documents checked (please bring these with you to the appointment). Your fingerprints will be taken to issue the electronic residence permit (eAT).
  - In the case of an electronic application, the Foreigners' Registration Office will contact you after receiving your online application to arrange an appointment at the Foreigners' Registration Office. During the appointment, your documents will be checked (please bring them with you to the appointment) and your fingerprints will be taken for

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	<p>the eAT card to be issued.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• If your application is approved, the Foreigners' Registration Office will arrange for the eAT card to be issued.</li> <li>• After about six to eight weeks, you can collect your eAT card from the immigration office</li> <li>• Fees are charged for the extension of the residence permit. The time and form of payment vary depending on the authority</li> </ul>
Bearbeitungsdauer	about six to eight weeks
Frist	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Extension of the residence permit: no later than eight weeks before your valid residence permit expires</li> <li>• Objection period: 1 month</li> </ul>
weiterführende Informationen	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Central Office for Professional Recognition:</li> </ul> <p>[<a href="https://www.anerkennung-in-deutschland.de/html/de/pro/zsba.php#">https://www.anerkennung-in-deutschland.de/html/de/pro/zsba.php#</a>](<a href="https://www.anerkennung-in-deutschland.de/html/de/pro/zsba.php">https://www.anerkennung-in-deutschland.de/html/de/pro/zsba.php</a>)</p> <p>(German)</p> <p>&lt;<a href="https://www.anerkennung-in-deutschland.de/html/en/pro/service-center.php">https://www.anerkennung-in-deutschland.de/html/en/pro/service-center.php</a>&gt;</p> <p>(English)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Recognition in Germany:</li> </ul> <p>&lt;<a href="https://www.anerkennung-in-deutschland.de/html/de/index.php">https://www.anerkennung-in-deutschland.de/html/de/index.php</a>&gt;</p> <p>(German)</p> <p>&lt;<a href="https://www.anerkennung-in-deutschland.de/html/en/index.php">https://www.anerkennung-in-deutschland.de/html/en/index.php</a>&gt;</p> <p>(English)</p>

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- You can also obtain free advice on the topics of entry, residence and employment from the "Hotline Working and Living in Germany" of the Federal Government's portal for skilled workers from abroad.

Telephone: 030 1815-1111

Service hours: Monday to Friday from 8:00 to 16:00

- Federal government portal for skilled workers from abroad:

<https://www.make-it-in-germany.com/de/ueber-das-portal/kontakt/hotline/>

## Hinweise

## Rechtsbehelf

## Kurztext

- Residence permit for the purpose of training  
Extension for recognition of professional qualification based on an agreement of the Federal Employment Agency
  - Residence permits for the recognition of professional qualifications on the basis of an agreement by the Federal Employment Agency can be extended if their period of validity is due to expire in the near future but the recognition procedure has not yet been completed.
  - The Federal Employment Agency must again approve the pursuit of employment in the desired occupational field. Renewed approval can be granted for one year if the foreign worker continues to pursue the procedure for recognition of the foreign professional qualification.
  - The extension must be applied for at least eight weeks before the expiry date.
  - An extension of the residence permit is only possible if the requirements that were met when the permit was first issued are still met.

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• When the residence permit is extended, it is again limited in time. It is extended by one year at a time up to a maximum duration of three years</li> <li>• The extension is excluded if the extension was already excluded by the foreigners authority when the permit was issued or when it was last extended.</li> <li>• Depending on the foreigners authority and your request, you can apply online or in person.</li> <li>• Fees are charged for the extension. The time and form of payment vary depending on the authority</li> <li>• Responsible: the foreigners authority responsible for the applicant's place of residence;</li> </ul>
Ansprechpunkt	The foreigners authority responsible for the applicant's place of residence
Zuständige Stelle	The foreigners authority responsible for the applicant's place of residence
Formulare	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Forms: You can obtain authority-specific forms from your foreigners authority; these may also be available online.</li> <li>• Online procedure occasionally possible</li> <li>• Written form required: yes</li> <li>• Personal appearance required: yes</li> </ul>
Ursprungsportal	Verlängerung der Aufenthaltserlaubnis zur Anerkennung der Berufsqualifikation aufgrund einer Absprache der Bundesagentur für Arbeit beantragen, Applying for an extension of the residence permit for recognition of professional qualifications based on an agreement with the Federal Employment Agency