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Residency & Citizenship  
by investment



# EL SALVADOR CITIZENSHIP

by Investment

FASTEST PASSPORT

**application processing  
in the industry**

INVESTMENT PAYMENTS

**accepted in Bitcoin**

VISA-FREE TRAVEL

**to over 130 countries,  
including the EU  
and Singapore**

ASTONS — OFFICIAL AGENT

**of the El Salvador  
Citizenship Programme**

# Преимущества программы гражданства Эль-Сальвадора



## Visa-free travel to 130+ countries worldwide

Access Schengen Area countries, the UK, Russia, and more, enabling unparalleled global mobility



## Quick Processing

The fastest passport processing procedure in the investment migration industry, ensuring swift access to your new citizenship



## Bitcoin Payment

The only programme that accepts payment in cryptocurrency



## Безопасность

Эль-Сальвадор — самая безопасная страна в Западном полушарии с низким уровнем преступности



## Favourable Tax Environment

Benefit from favourable tax incentives, especially designed for technology sector enterprises and international investors



## Citizenship for the Entire Family

Extend citizenship benefits to your spouse and children under 18, securing your family's future



## No Residency or Visit Requirements

Obtain your passport conveniently at any nearby consulate without the need to reside in El Salvador



## Freedom and Privacy

The country supports freedom of speech, provides financial independence, and ensures complete confidentiality for investors

# About the El Salvador Citizenship Programme

El Salvador, a pioneering nation in Central America, has undergone remarkable reforms and innovations in recent years. Notably, it became the first country worldwide to adopt Bitcoin as legal tender, reflecting its forward-thinking economic vision. Recognised as the safest country in the Western Hemisphere, El Salvador attracts millions of tourists annually while offering unique investment opportunities and enhanced global mobility.

The El Salvador Citizenship by Investment Programme grants citizenship in exchange for **a \$1,000,000 contribution to the country's economy**. All funds directly support national development and modernisation initiatives. To preserve exclusivity and maintain quality, the government limits the programme to **no more than 1,000 applications annually**.



# El Salvador, A Brief Overview

## Geography and Climate

El Salvador is the smallest country in Central America, nestled between the Pacific Ocean and the borders of Guatemala and Honduras. Despite its compact size, it boasts a stunning volcanic landscape dotted with picturesque lakes and pristine Pacific beaches. The tropical climate features a wet season from May to October and a dry season from November to April, offering year-round appeal.

## Economy

The economy thrives on robust tourism, agriculture, and a growing technology sector. The government's proactive infrastructure improvements and business-friendly policies are fostering a steady growth trajectory, making El Salvador an increasingly attractive investment destination.

## Population and Culture

With a population of approximately 6.3 million, primarily Spanish-speaking, El Salvador's culture is a vibrant fusion of indigenous traditions and Spanish heritage. This rich cultural tapestry is reflected in its music, cuisine, and national celebrations.

## Safety

2024 marked a historic milestone as the safest year in El Salvador's history, with the murder rate dropping to a record low of 1.9 per 100,000 people, one of the lowest rates in Latin America. These achievements have solidified El Salvador's reputation as the safest country in the Western Hemisphere.



# Requirements for El Salvador Citizenship by Investment



## From \$1 000 000

Minimum non-refundable contribution of \$1,000,000, payable in Bitcoin or USDT, directly supporting the country's economic development.

### Additional Costs:

- Government due diligence fee (deducted from the investment amount)
- Passport processing fee

### Eligibility Criteria:

The principal applicant must:

- Be at least 18 years old
- Invest the minimum required amount
- Successfully pass a thorough due diligence screening

### Included Dependents:

- Spouse
- Children under 18 years of age

*Applicants are exempt from traditional naturalisation requirements, including language and history examinations, streamlining the path to citizenship.*

# Visa-Free Travel to 130+ Countries Worldwide

El Salvador citizenship grants you visa-free or simplified entry to over 130 countries and territories, enabling seamless global mobility.

## Europe:

Austria, Belgium, Germany, Greece, Denmark, Spain, Italy, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, France, Finland, Czech Republic, Sweden, Switzerland, and the entire Schengen Area

## Americas:

Argentina, Brazil, Canada, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Mexico, Panama, Peru, and more

## Africa:

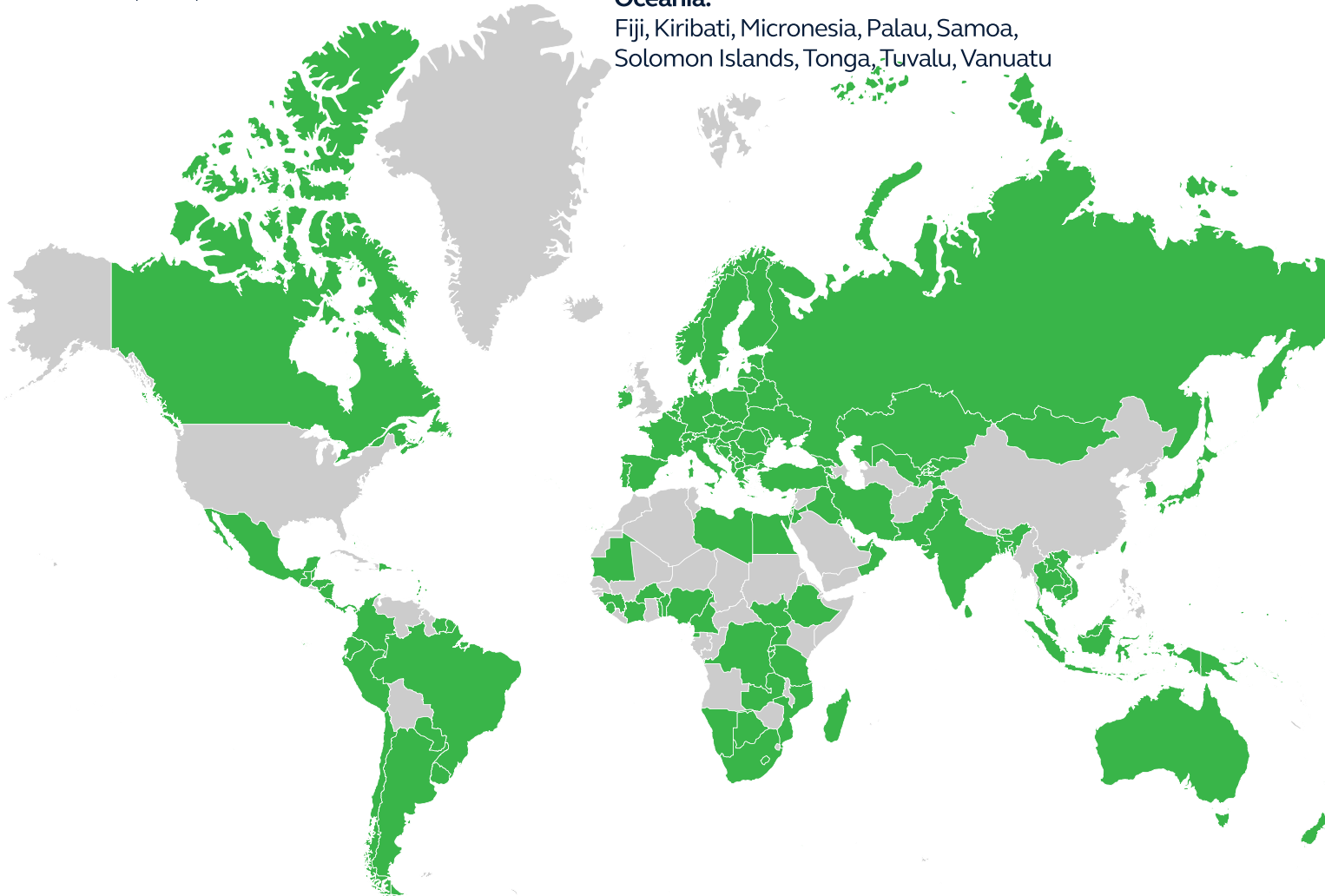
Botswana, Cape Verde, Comoros, Mauritius, Madagascar, Rwanda, Seychelles, Senegal, Tanzania, Tunisia, Uganda, Zambia, Zimbabwe

## Asia:

Georgia, Hong Kong, Israel, Japan, Malaysia, Singapore, South Korea, Turkey, Uzbekistan

## Oceania:

Fiji, Kiribati, Micronesia, Palau, Samoa, Solomon Islands, Tonga, Tuvalu, Vanuatu



## Simplified Entry (Visa on Arrival or eVisa):

### Asia:

Bangladesh, Cambodia, Laos, Maldives, Nepal, Sri Lanka, Thailand

### Africa:

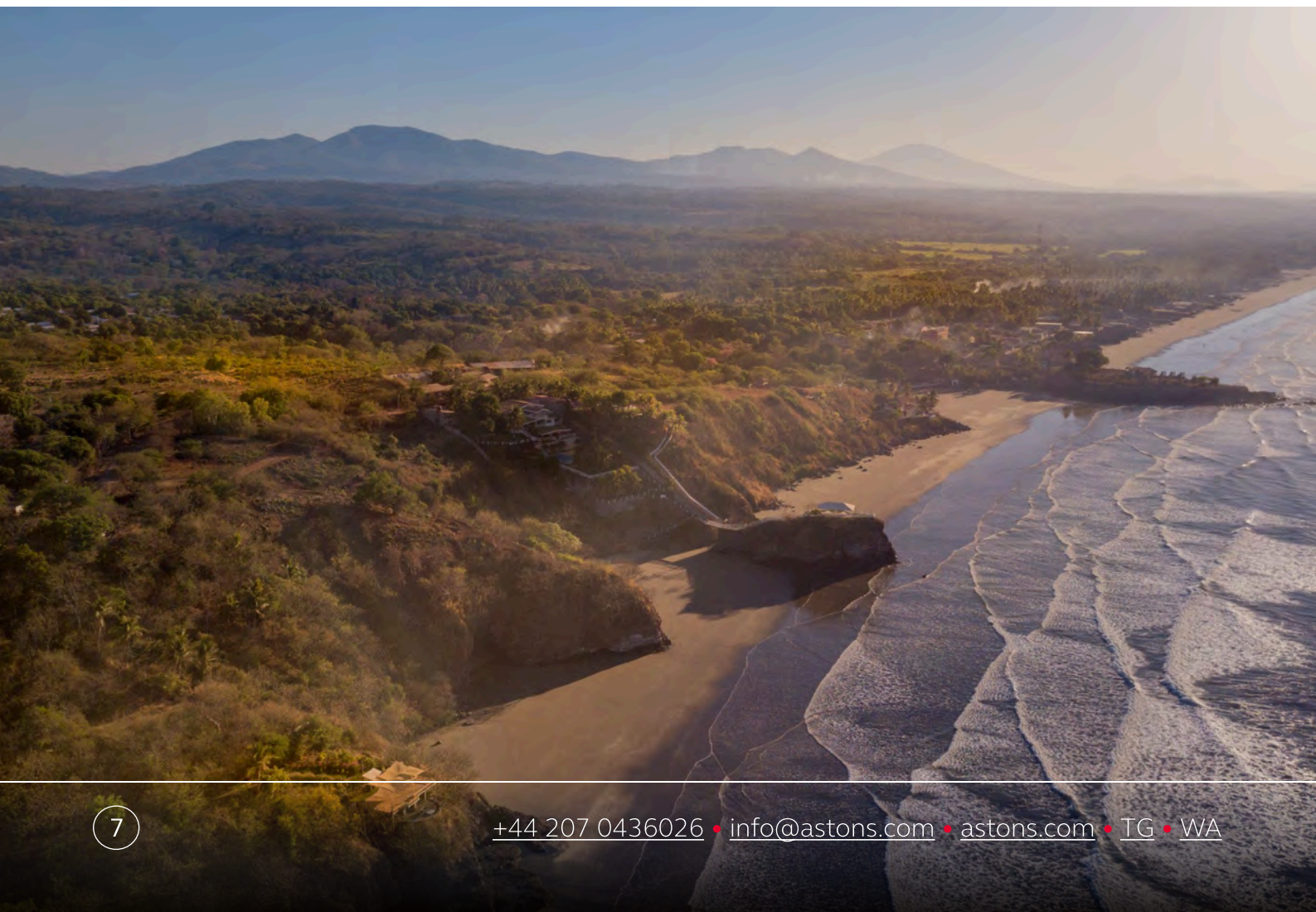
Burundi, Djibouti, Egypt, Guinea-Bissau, Kenya, Malawi, Mozambique, Togo

### Oceania:

Palau, Samoa, Tuvalu

# Required Documents for El Salvador Citizenship Application

| Application documents  | Main Applicant | Spouse | Children under 18 |
|--|----------------|--------|-------------------|
| Copy of passport   | ●              | ●      | ●                 |
| Other ID documents (e.g. driving licence, residence card, national ID) | ●              | ●      | ●                 |
| Marriage certificate   | ●              | ●      |                   |
| Police clearance certificate   | ●              | ●      |                   |
| Photo  | ●              | ●      | ●                 |
| Proof of address (utility bill)  | ●              | ●      |                   |
| Proof of source of funds   | ●              |        |                   |



# How to Obtain El Salvador Citizenship: Step by Step

- 1 Consultation with an Astons Immigration Specialist**

Receive a tailored assessment of your eligibility and a detailed explanation of the application process. You will be provided with a personalised checklist of required documents.
- 2 Preparation and Submission of Application**

A licensed Astons agent prepares and submits your complete application package to the authorised government office.
- 3 Due Diligence Check**

The Government of El Salvador performs a comprehensive due diligence review of the applicant and family members. The government fee is payable at this stage.
- 4 Approval and Investment**

Upon receiving approval, the investor completes the \$1,000,000 contribution and pays the passport issuance fee.



**Issuance of Citizenship and Passport**  
Citizenship certificates and passports are issued to you and your eligible family members.



**Astons** is officially authorised to provide agency services and full support for the El Salvador Citizenship Programme

# Why Choose Astons?

**ASTONS – Your Trusted Partner in Investment Citizenship.**



## Over 35 Years of Experience and Expertise

Established in London in 1989, Astons has been a pioneer in the investment migration sector. Our global headquarters are now in Dubai, serving clients worldwide.



## Proven Track Record

We have successfully assisted over 9,000 clients from more than 100 nationalities, facilitating upwards of \$2.6 billion in investments through citizenship, residency, and real estate programmes.



## Licensed and Compliant

We operate strictly under official government licences, ensuring full compliance with all jurisdictional laws. Your reputation and investment are fully protected.



## Unrivalled Expertise

Our team includes legal professionals versed in immigration law, committed to safeguarding your interests. Our internal approval rate stands at 100% for clients who meet our stringent review.

# Why Choose Astons?



## Speed

Receive a preliminary eligibility assessment within 24 hours.



## Convenience

Most documentation processes can be completed remotely, without your physical presence.



## Global Recognition

Ranked Top 6 in MIGRATOP and among the Top 25 global immigration firms by Uglobal Immigration Magazine. Winners of the Best European Citizenship Advisor Award 2018 and Best Full-Service Investment Immigration Firm Award 2019.



## Global Presence

Offices in Moscow, Istanbul, London, Limassol, Dubai, Athens, Fort Lauderdale, and St. Julian's. Experts are also available online.



## Tailored Solutions

Access premium citizenship and residency programmes, plus luxury real estate across 11 countries, personalised to your unique needs.



## Industry Thought Experts

Regular contributors to The New York Times, The Telegraph, CNBC, Forbes, RBC, and more.

# Astons in the media

This section features key publications that have drawn on Astons' expertise — our specialists are regularly consulted for insights and guidance on global relocation, investment citizenship, residency options, and international premium real estate investment.

**THE  TIMES**

[Move fast: Greece's golden visa rules are changing](#)

**The New York Times**

[Americans Head to Europe for the Good Life on the Cheap](#)

**The Telegraph**

[Countries cut cost of citizenship to attract disillusioned British taxpayers](#)

**Η Huffpost**

[«Χρυσή Βίζα» στην Ελλάδα: Σημαντική άξηση των αιτήσεων από τις ΗΠΑ](#)

 **CNBC**

[Many of Europe's 'golden visa' programs are closing — but demand is up in this Mediterranean hotspot](#)

 **The National**

[Two per cent of Britons have applied for EU passport since Brexit vote](#)

**gtp** | GREEK TRAVEL PAGES

[Study: More US Buyers Tapping into Greece's Golden Visa Scheme](#)

**SPEAR'S**

[Money on the move: why the world's wealthy are deserting the USA](#)

 **FINANCIAL EXPRESS**

[Spain is the best option for international investors looking for Golden Visas: Findings](#)

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