

Applying for a replacement BRP visa from outside the UK:

- You will not be able to get a replacement BRP card from outside the UK. You will need to apply for a **BRP replacement Visa** which will give you single entry back into the UK.
- You will then have three months to apply for the replacement BRP. A BRP replacement visa application can take up to 3 weeks (15 working days) to be processed. You will need to stay in the country you have made the application until you receive a decision.
- If your application does take this long you may need to take Approved Temporary Withdrawal so if possible apply for **Priority Service** to get your decision in 5 working days (this will cost around £400). You will be given the option to select Priority Service at the end of the application.

To apply for the **BRP replacement visa**:

- 1) go to <https://www.gov.uk/biometric-residence-permits/lost-stolen-damaged>
- 2) Scroll down to 'If you're outside the UK'

granted, you'll automatically get a new one

If you're outside the UK

You must [report your lost or stolen BRP outside the UK](#).

You cannot apply for a replacement BRP outside the UK. Instead, you'll need to [apply for a 'replacement BRP visa'](#), which lets you re-enter the UK once only. It costs £154.

You can apply for a replacement BRP when you return to the UK. You must do this within 3 months of reporting it lost or stolen unless you have a good reason, for example you were unable to return to the UK in that time.

If you've been away for over 2 years and you've lost your documentation proving your right to live in the UK, you can [apply for a Returning Resident visa](#).

If you're in North Korea you cannot apply for a replacement BRP visa online. Read the [guidance for North Korea](#) and use [form VAF2](#) instead.

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Make sure you have reported it as lost or stolen before you apply for your replacement

Then follow this link to take you to the BRP replacement visa application

- 3) You will be asked to enter the country in which you are making your application and wish to provide your biometrics. You should enter the country from which you are making your application.

Select a country to provide your biometrics

To complete your application, you must make arrangements to provide your biometrics (fingerprints and facial photograph) with our commercial partner, which may involve attending one of their centres. You will be able to see the options available to you after you have completed your application and continue to our commercial partner's website.

Enter the country in which you are making your application and wish to provide your biometrics

▼ Can I enter any country?

You must usually enter the country where you live.

If it is not possible to provide your biometrics in the country you select (you will be able to check this on the next page), then you will be redirected to another country. If it is difficult for you to travel to the redirected country, you will be able to return to this page and select a different country that you are able to travel to.

You can select any country if you are applying for any of the following visa types:

- Visit visa
- Short-term student visa
- Tier 1 (Exceptional Talent) or Tier 5 (Youth Mobility Scheme) Temporary Migrant, so long as you are allowed to be living in the country you enter on this page and were given permission to live there for 6 months or more
- Tier 5 (Temporary Worker) Creative and Sporting migrant, so long as you are in the country you enter on this page for a similar creative and sporting purpose you propose to undertake in the UK and you are allowed to live

The list of visa types does not include Tier 4 BRP replacement visas but you can still follow this process to get the visa you will need.

4) You will need to check that there is a location where you can give your biometrics, if there is not you will have to travel to another country where there is a location.

Check available biometric enrolment locations

You must [check the available biometric enrolment locations](#) for your country of application. You will not be able to change your country of application after you have submitted your application.

If you have entered a country where no biometric enrolment location is available, then you will be redirected to another country. If it is difficult for you to travel to the redirected country, then you can [change the country where you will be providing your biometrics](#).

Czech Republic

[Change the country where you will be providing your biometrics](#)

I have checked [available biometric enrolment locations](#) and can [travel](#) to a location in my selected country. If no location is available in that country, then I confirm that I can travel to a location in the redirected country.

I am unable to travel to a location in my selected country or, as there is no location available, to the redirected country.

Next

You can check the city in which this location will be here

5) On the next page you will need to scroll down to 'Apply now'

circumstances. You will be able to save your application and come back to another time if you need to.

If you are inactive for 25 minutes, you will be automatically logged out.

How we use your data

The Home Office will use the personal information you provide to decide whether to grant your application. We may also share your information with other public or private sector organisations in the UK and overseas. For more detail please see our [Privacy Notice for the Border, Immigration and Citizenship system](#). This also sets out your rights under the Data Protection Act 2018 and explains how you can access your personal information and complain if you have concerns about how we are using it.

Apply now

6) For 'Category of application' you should select 'A BRP replacement visa'

Category of application

Select what you are applying for:

- A replacement biometric residence permit (BRP) visa
- To transfer or replace your visa (vignette)

Save and continue

- 7) You will then be asked to enter your email address and create a password to start your application. Make sure you use an email address you have access to as you will be sent a link that will let you sign into your application later if you need to.

Register an email

Enter an email address and password so you can save your answers. You will then be emailed a unique link to let you log back in to your application at a later point, if needed.

Throughout your application, you can select the option to 'Return to this application later' in order to re-send the link to your latest saved application.

Email address

Create a password

Your password must be 8 characters or longer and include a letter and a number or symbol.

Repeat your password

Save and continue

- 8) You will then be asked to provide you telephone number. Again, make sure it's a phone number you can use in the country you are making your application.

- 9) You will then be asked for details about:

- Your current and previous addresses
- Your passport details and nationality
- The visa you have for the country in which you are applying for your replacement BRP visa.

I have a temporary visa

I am a permanent resident

I do not have a visa and I am not a permanent resident

10) You will be asked for your 'planned travel information'. Here you should provide the date that you plan to return to the UK. It can take up to 21 days for the replacement BRP visa to arrive so we advise you use the priority service if you can if it is semester time. Please contact ISAT if you will be absent due to a delay in you receiving your BRP replacement visa.

11) You will be asked about the details of your current UK visa. If you applied for your visa overseas it should say entry clearance, if you applied for your visa in the UK it should say leave to remain. As you have lost your BRP card you may not have this information. Please contact ISAT (isat@brookes.ac.uk, tel: 01865 484681) and we can give you these details.

How was your visa or leave granted?

You can find this on your biometric residence permit or immigration document, if you have one.

- Entry clearance
- Leave to enter
- Leave to remain

What is the start date of your current visa or leave to remain?

Enter date in the format DD MM YYYY

Day Month Year

What is the end date of your current visa or leave to remain?

Day Month Year

12. At the end of the application you will be asked for 'Additional Information', this is where you should include information about when you reported your BRP lost or stolen to UKVI. You should include information about when this was reported to the police and the crime reference number if possible.

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Information about your application

Your category of application:

A replacement biometric residence permit (BRP) visa

Provide additional information about your application. You do not need to provide details that you have already provided in this application.

Select the guidance for your category of application below to read about the additional information you should provide.

▶ [To transfer or replace your visa \(vignette\)](#)

▶ **[A replacement biometric residence permit \(BRP\) visa](#)**

3000 characters remaining of 3000 characters

Save and continue

Cancel

13. You will need to provide the following documents as part of your application:

- Your passport and travel permission for the country in which you are making the application.
- TB certificate: if you are from a country where you require TB certificate you must provide a TB certificate with your application.
 - If you have been in the UK, or in a country where TB screening is not required by the UK, for at least 6 months you won't need to submit a TB certificate with your application.
 - If your TB certificate from your original visa application is still valid you can use this certificate again.
- You may also be asked to provide the police report for lost BRP.

14. You will then complete the declaration and pay for your application. Check you have provided the correct information as you will not be able to make changes to your application after you pay.

15. You will need to attend a biometrics appointment to have your photo and fingerprints taken. Make sure you take your passport, travel permission, TB certificate and police report with you to the appointment. You should also take your **Oxford Brookes attendance certificate** to show you are a registered student. If you did not travel with a copy of this please contact ISAT and we can send it to you.

16. You will need to apply for your replacement BRP card once you are back in the UK and you must do this within **three months of your return**. This application costs £75.50. Please come to see ISAT and we will check this application for you.