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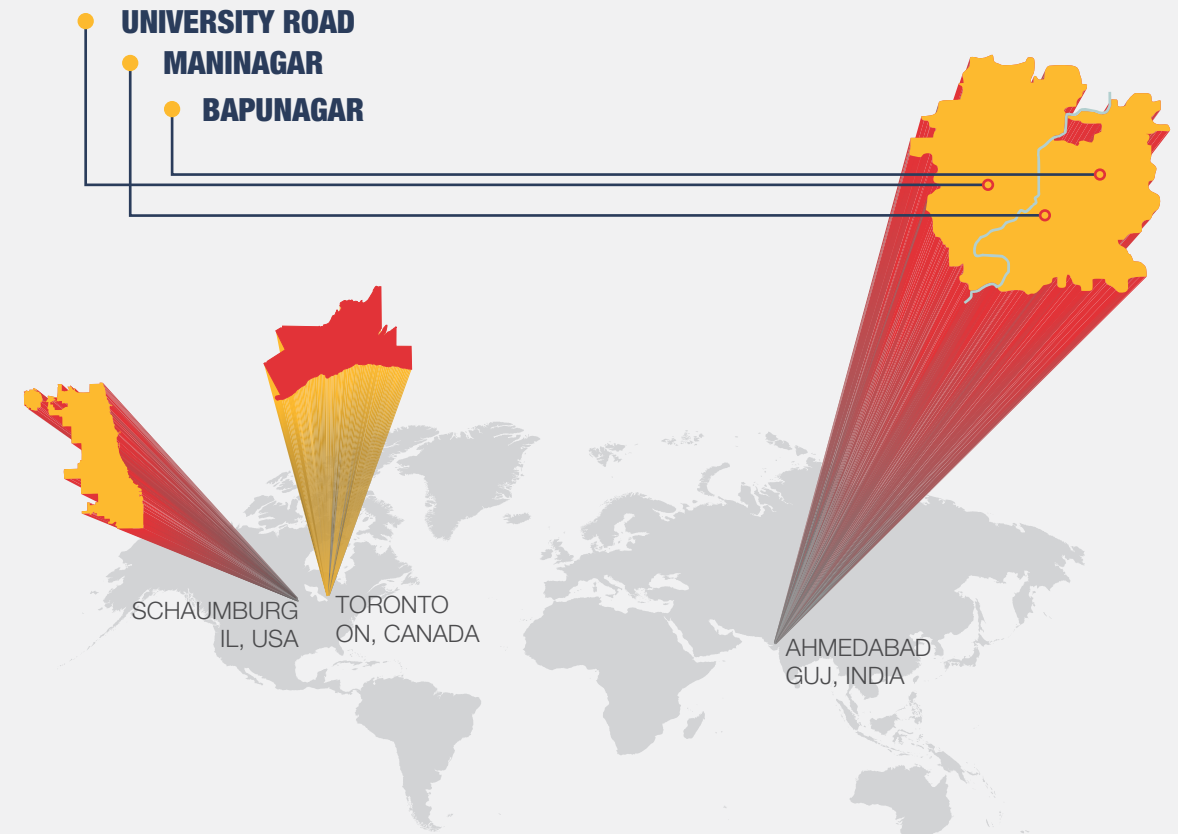
Bridging India Internationally

Since 2002

One Brand.
One Team.
One Goal -
Excellence



Our Locations



From Dream to Destiny – One opportunity is all that matters.

We, at Rao Consultants, pride ourselves in being the creators of opportunities. Opportunities are not magic wands, one wave of which will leapfrog us to the pinnacle of success. They are, in essence, chances that we create after years and years of hard work and perseverance. It is the culmination of efforts of the past 15 years which has helped us in changing the lives of people who have walked through our doors.

Established in 2002, Rao Consultants has come a long way in establishing itself as a one-stop-solution for all those who aspire to Study-Visit-Settle abroad. Guided by the vision of its founder, Mrs. Urmila Rao, and under the adept leadership of its co-founder Mr. Amit Rao, Rao Consultants has grown from strength-to-strength in being a market leader in Western India. In the next sections of this catalogue, we will take you through our range of services, highlighting our strengths and opportunities that you could explore with us to realize your dream of going abroad.

Our Strengths

- 15+** Years of Experience
- 1,50,000** Clients Counselling
- 150+** Employees
- 100** Visa Categories
- 20,000** Visas Granted
- People Sent to **50+ Countries**
- 90% Visa** Approval Ratio in 2017
- 200+** University Partners
- 500+** Students Placed in A-League Universities
- 25,000** Students Trained for FGCE
- 65%** Students Score 6 Bands & above
- 25%** Student Score 6.5 Bands & Above
- 20:1** Student Teacher Ratio



Accolades & Accreditations

Best Business Partner recognized by

IDP IELTS 2010-2017

Platinum Business Partner awarded by

British Council

Awarded for 'Coaching for Education Abroad'

Times Education ICONS 2017

Awarded for 'Foreign Education Consultant'

Times Education ICONS 2017

Listed in the book 'EDUPRENDENCE – Ahmedabad's trust with academic excellence' in the year 2016

- **Sandesh, a leading regional newspaper**

Best Foreign Education Consultant 2014-15

- **Education Council of India**

Best Foreign Education Consultant in Gujarat

- **Brands Academy India**

Indian Leadership Award for Best Foreign Education Consultant 2014

- **Global Achievers Foundation**

Indian Achievers Award 2010

- **Citizen Integration Peace Society, New Delhi**

Indian Achievers Award for Industrial Development 2009

- **Indian Economic Development & Research Association**

Rising Generation – Youth Icon of 2007

- **Divya Bhaskar**



Our Director, Palak Brahmhatt, is a Canadian Government approved ICGRC Member

Licensed Immigration Consultant recognized by governments of Saskatchewan, Nova Scotia & Prince Edward Island



ID No.: 62253

Our Director, Amit Rao, is a member of NAFSA: Association of International Educators, USA



Foundation member - ICEF Online, Germany



ISO 9001:2014 (UKAS) Certified Organization



Member of AAERI (Association of Australian Education Representatives in India)



Member of QISAN (Quality International Study Abroad Network)



Member of American Bar Association



Certified by Education UK Certificate for Agents Exam by Education UK/ British Council



Certified as Qualified Education Counsellor - PIER (Professional International Education Resources)

Authorised Application partner for IELTS-IDP & British Council and PTE

Foreign Education

As a foreign education consultant we have the highest success rate (western India) in enrolling students to reputed institutes abroad. We offer all services related to foreign education at our state-of-the-art offices in Ahmedabad. Our team of counsellors will take care of everything, right from the time you register with us. Our knowledge bank is updated with latest pre-requisites

and formalities of every partner institutes, so that you do not have to worry about missing out on forms, documents and other important processes. No matter what country or course you want to pursue, with our support, you can achieve your dream of studying abroad without any hassles.

Apply for Foreign Education in following countries:

- USA
- Canada
- Germany
- Poland
- Australia
- New Zealand
- Spain
- UK
- Singapore
- France
- Switzerland
- Cyprus
- Ireland
- Thailand
- UAE
- Malta
- Turkey
- Russia
- Philippines

Services Offered

Counselling

- Access our knowledge bank of courses, universities and countries from across the world
- Get guidance at all stages from our well-qualified and experienced counsellors
- Gain simplified, practical solutions for visa processing

Course Selection

- Obtain latest information on courses from the best of universities and institutes
- Assistance in choosing from a wide-range of courses based on your aptitude, across universities and countries, depending on the budget and future job prospects
- Popular courses are Business, Computing, Engineering, Health, Pharmacy, Nursing, Hospitality, Architecture, Fashion Design, etc.

University Selection

- Select from 200+ universities
- Apply to the right university that offers best career opportunities in your field of interest

Country Selection

- Explore study opportunities in popular as well as upcoming destinations
- Select country based on various parameters like cost, rules, duration, job prospects, etc.
- Top study destinations: USA, Australia, Canada, Germany, New Zealand, Singapore, Switzerland, UK and Poland

University Application & Documentation

- Assistance in preparing your file in compliance with institute-wise document list, rules & regulations
- Assistance in applying to multiple universities and institutes
- Highest acceptance ratio of applications

Visa Application & Interview Preparation

- Hassle-free application process backed by our 15 years of experience in visa processing
- Orientation and training provided for visa interview
- Conduct mock interviews
- Additional tips on clearing the interview

Bank Loan Assistance

- Avail education loans through our network of nationalized and scheduled banks
- Assistance in documentation process

Scholarship Assistance

- Full assistance to deserving candidates for scholarship from universities, government and trusts in India and abroad
- Scholarships based on academic, IELTS and/or other Foreign Going Competitive Exam scores

Pre-departure briefings

- Get information about the destination country's culture and customs
- Assistance in procuring health & travel information
- Learn about protocols in emergency situations
- Plan accommodation, travel and other requirements



Visa & Immigration

Whether you are moving abroad, or visiting a country for business or leisure, we provide our expertise for all types of visas. Applying for a visa is a lengthy and tedious process involving paper work, interview preparation and adhering to constantly-changing rules and regulation of countries you are applying to. This is where our experience of more than 15 years comes in handy. Our knowledge bank is updated with laws of visa processing with respect to your destination

country. We have a dedicated staff to ensure that our counsellors follow quality parameters at every step, so that we do not miss out on giving our 100% to our clients. Our credibility is backed by our associations with various government-backed immigration bodies across the world. It is our continuous effort to create a long-lasting, fruitful association with our clients resulting in happy memories for both of us.



Services Offered

Immigration Visa

An immigration visa (IV) is issued to those who wish to live permanently in a foreign country. Acquiring this visa is the first step to becoming a lawful permanent resident. We have helped our clients to settle in their dream destinations like Canada, USA, UK, and other European countries. Beware of fake agents! Governments from across the world recommend applying only through licensed immigration consultants. Following are few of our popular categories through which you can apply for immigration visa:

Permanent Residency

- Apply for Canada PR with a Canadian Government approved ICCRC member
- There are 60 types of visas through which one can choose to apply for Canada PR
- Stay updated with latest rules & requirements for PR application process
- Documentation & application process done by PR visa experts

Family-Based Immigrant Visa

- Join your family member settled abroad with this visa
- Get information about various documents required for this type of visa
- Assistance in documentation & submitting application for visitor visa

Non-immigration Visa

Non-immigration visas (NIV) are issued to those who are visiting a country on a temporary basis. This could be for a variety of reasons, like tourism, medical treatment, business or temporary work, etc. We assist in non-immigration visa processing for UK, USA, Canada, Europe and 67 other countries. These visas usually are time-bound and have a particular deadline according to country. Following are few of our popular categories through which you can apply for non-immigration visa:

Visitor Visa

- Get assistance in visitor visa for traveling, business, leisure, sports, artist performances, medical treatment, etc.
- We specialize in procuring renewal for existing visa
- Special interview preparation sessions from the visa experts
- We are experts in refused visa cases

Business Visa

- Visit foreign countries for business meetings, exhibitions, conferences, etc.
- Stay updated with latest requirements and documents for Business Visa

Dependent Visa

- Individuals who legally reside in foreign country can apply for dependent visas for their spouse under:
 - a. Student Visa Dependent
 - b. Work Permit Dependent

Investor Entrepreneur Visa

- Businessmen & Investors with intentions to expand their business abroad can apply for Investor/ Entrepreneur Visa
- Explore the option to settle abroad through Investor/ Entrepreneur Visa

Post-Visa Services

What's next once you receive your visa? Which is the most cost-effective and hassle-free way to proceed with the immigration? There is still a lot of thing one needs to look at after you receive your visa. This is where our post-visa services can help you. Our priority at Rao Consultants is to ensure that your journey to study, visit, settle abroad is smooth and happens without any difficulties.

Services Offered

International Air-ticket

- Get cost-effective deals to book air tickets and avail the benefit of early-booking discounts
- Get timely updates with latest information related to requirement for luggage
- Flexibility to book tickets based on transit/transfer duration to save time

Accommodation

- Cost-effective accommodation options in popular cities across the world as per the preferences of both, students as well as families

Foreign Exchange

- Get better exchange rates than airports, banks and other exchangers
- Easy to pay fees or conduct transactions in the respective country's currency
- Standardized system of foreign exchange

Travel & Health Insurance

- Get covered by health insurance as medical treatments are very expensive abroad
- Choose from the best insurance options from registered insurance officials and agents
- Travel insurance also covers baggage loss and other important essential factors



IELTS & Other Coaching

Operating from 3 locations in Ahmedabad – University Road, Maninagar and Bapunagar, we are proud to be one of the established institutes in the city for more than a decade. A record number of students enroll for IELTS and other competitive exams every year and are taught by dedicated faculties who pay individual attention to students. With the best faculties and the support of in-house published guide books for writing and effective speaking, a well-stocked library and regular mock tests, we build the confidence of students appearing for Foreign Going Competitive Exams (FGCE) like IELTS, TOEFL, PTE, French language exams, GRE and GMAT.



Services Offered

IELTS & PTE Coaching

- IELTS is recognized by universities and employers across the world
- PTE Academic is recognized by and the preferred test of GMAC
- Assistance in preparation for Academic or General Training category of IELTS
- Get professional training in Listening, Reading, Writing & Speaking skills
- Regular mock exams for all modules
- Access to in-house guide books and well-stocked library
- 3-month schedule for preparations, with crash course option also available

IELTS

- Course Duration: 9 weeks
- Crash Batch: 6 weeks
- Score Validity: 2 years

PTE

- Course Duration: 9 weeks
- Crash Batch: 6 weeks
- Score Validity: 2 years

GRE/ GMAT Coaching

- GRE & GMAT are standardized tests accepted for admission to various disciplines at many graduate and business schools across the globe
- Get expert faculty guidance for GRE General Test and GRE Subject Test
- Brush up on verbal reasoning, quantitative reasoning, analytical writing and critical thinking skills
- Updated guide books and materials provided to the students

GRE

- Course Duration: 12 weeks
- Crash Batch: 6 weeks

- Score Validity: 5 years

GMAT

- Course Duration: 12 weeks
- Crash Batch: 6 weeks
- Score Validity: 5 years

French Language Training

- Learn the 2nd most spoken language in Europe and one of the national languages of Canada
- Get trained by the experts in speaking, writing and reading

French Exam (DELF)

- Intensive preparation for DELF and DALF exams
- Course Duration: 12 weeks (depending on the proficiency level)
- Crash Batch: 6 weeks
- Score Validity: Lifelong

Intensive English

- Certificate course with modules covering:
 - Basic Grammar
 - Conversation Practice
 - Public Speaking
 - Personal Development
 - Interview Preparation
 - Etiquettes and Mannerisms
 - Performance and Role Plays
 - Presentation and Writing Skills
- Learning made easy with activities and games

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TO STUDY ABROAD

Through Rao Consultants you can choose to pursue higher education in top-raking universities and institutes from 19 countries. Our counselors will guide you to make the best decision based on your interest in courses, university and country.

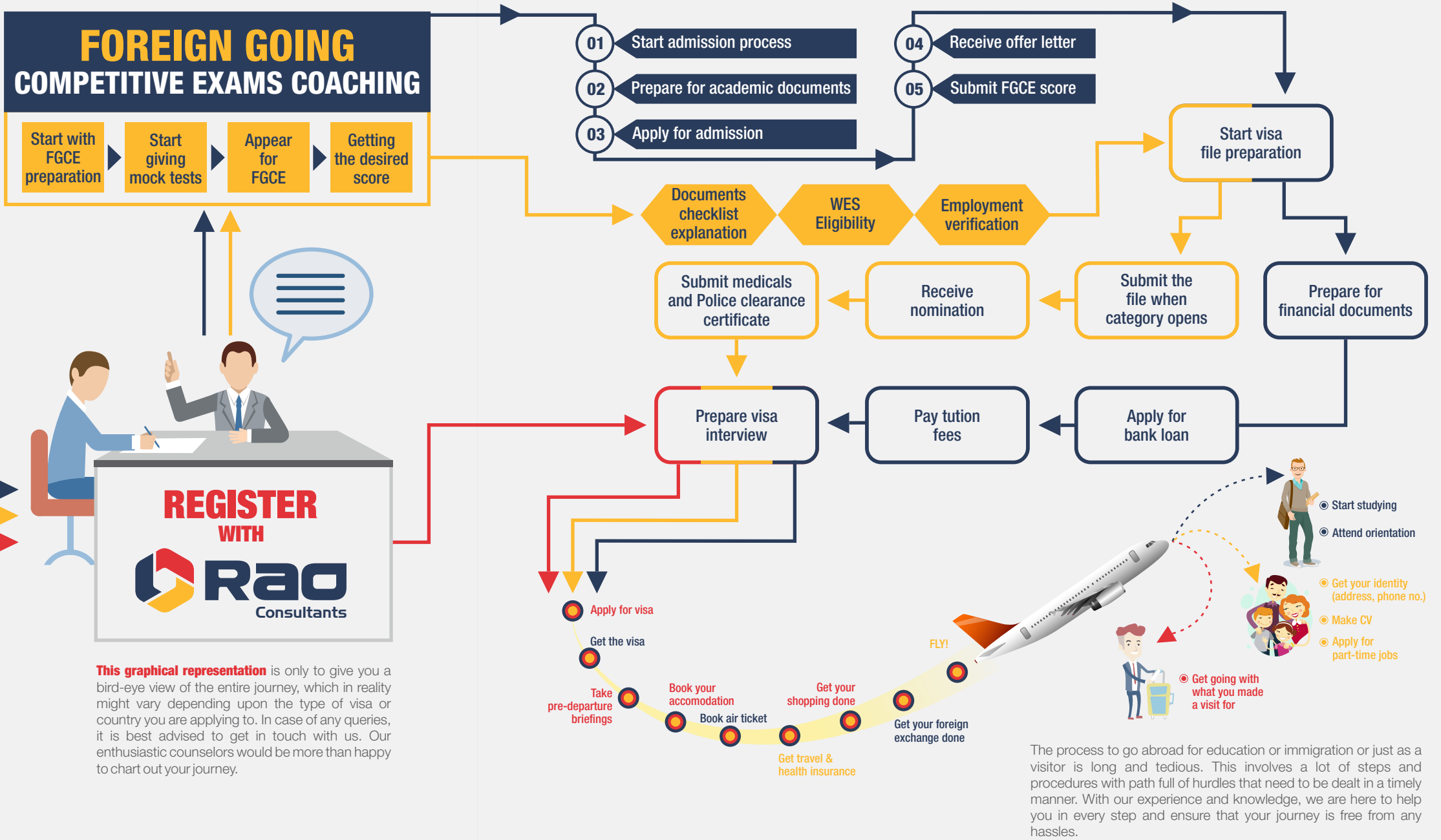
TO SETTLE ABROAD

Start a new life in a new country with your family by applying for immigration visa. You can either apply for Permanent Residency or family-based immigration visa.



TO VISIT ABROAD

Apply for visa for short-term visits abroad through more than 100 types categories in non-immigration visa. Whether it is a medical emergency or just a small work trip, you can get all the assistance in processing your visa file.



This graphical representation is only to give you a bird-eye view of the entire journey, which in reality might vary depending upon the type of visa or country you are applying to. In case of any queries, it is best advised to get in touch with us. Our enthusiastic counselors would be more than happy to chart out your journey.

The process to go abroad for education or immigration or just as a visitor is long and tedious. This involves a lot of steps and procedures with path full of hurdles that need to be dealt in a timely manner. With our experience and knowledge, we are here to help you in every step and ensure that your journey is free from any hassles.

Testimonials

Canada PR

Rao has been really awesome to me! I achieved my Canada PR just within a year of applying for it. What a wonderful experience it has been with people working in Rao Consultants! I really appreciate their hard work and the result has been very positive for me. I would love to recommend Rao Consultants' services to everyone who are eagerly waiting to settle abroad in their dream destination. They will be happy to serve you and welcome you to their family with open arms! Thank you, Rao! I am glad I made it!

- Prashant Gadhvi

Coaching

Preparing for IELTS at Rao Consultants has been a joyride for me. The staff is very friendly and faculties make sure that each student gets their doubts cleared. My faculty, Niraj sir, constantly guided me to prepare myself for the tests with the help of guide books, mock tests and spending hours in the library. All of this helped me in scoring 8 Bands. I can now confidently say that Rao Consultants is the best coaching institute for IELTS exams.

- Sheldon Fernandes

Intensive English

I applied for intensive English program while I was applying to a university abroad. Now I am studying in UK and I believe that the knowledge I have acquired, be it in grammar, public speaking or conversation has really helped me a lot in settling down in this new country. I remember all the tips given by the faculty and thankful for their involvement during my short, but very powerful, intensive English course.

- Chaitali Shah

Canada PR through SINP

Right from registration till I received my Visa, the counselors of Rao Consultants have also supported me in various stages. Their experience in handling the complex process and documentation is highly commendable. They were always available on call, providing me solution for any doubts. Even though I received 5 bands in IELTS, their process knowledge has definitely helped me in getting Canada PR visa after 1.5 years.

- Bhoomi Barot

Canada PR Direct Invitation

When I first came to Rao Consultants to inquire about the Canada PR Visa process, I was very impressed by their knowledge and confidence. It is because of this initial positive approach, I went ahead with the process for the visa. With Rao Consultants, they made me feel like a part of family. Their expertise for Canada PR Visa processing is unquestionable since I was able to get the Visa in lesser time than what I had expected. I would recommend all those who are looking to apply for Canada PR to avail the service given by Rao Consultants.

- Nikita Barot

University

Rao Consultants has been a highly valued partnership for Global University Systems. I manage 7 institutions in South Asia and regardless of entry criteria the Rao team is able to support my schools. Their students are an absolute joy to work with and generally have good grades, IELTS scores and are motivated to study abroad. The Rao staff are prompt and professional in their approach and consistently deliver clear communication to both the admissions teams and the students. We are very proud to work with this esteemed organization and look forward to a long lasting partnership.

- Ashley Grierson (Webster University, USA | Concordia University Chicago, USA | GISMA, Germany | Toronto School of Management, Canada | University Canada West, Canada)

Visitor Visa

The service for non-immigration visa provided by counselors of Rao Consultants was absolutely complete and satisfactory. They showed utmost patience while dealing with my doubts and were always ready to discuss all aspects of my NIV application. I am indebted to them for their guidance while filing the crucial DS 160 form (for USA NIV), documentation and successfully obtaining my visa. It is all because of their high experience. In summary the services provided were up to my satisfaction.

- Pravinkumar R. Motorwala

Student Counselling

Rao Consultants is the place from where students can achieve their dream of going abroad for foreign education. I came to know about Rao Consultants through my friend who had recommended me for their services. He knew that I had gone to other overseas education consultant where initially they told me that I was eligible for Canada. However, after few days they changed their evaluation and told me that I was not eligible. I was quite disheartened and this is when I came to Rao Consultants. Their constant motivation and guidance gave me confidence to apply for my preferred colleges and get the offer letter. I would especially like to thank Gopal sir, Divya ma'am and Preeti ma'am for helping me.

- Abhi Sharma

Post-Visa Services

There is nothing more satisfying than getting superb deals on air-tickets, money exchange and accommodation while traveling abroad. As soon as I received my visa, I know the job was only half done. There was a lot of arrangements to be done which requires proper planning and spending time and money on it. I am glad that Rao Consultants helped me in all of this and much much more. They got me cheaper air tickets to Australia, and also helped me book cheaper accommodation there. Health and travel insurance was recommended to me by my relatives staying there and Rao came to the rescue yet again. If you are going to stay for a long duration abroad, go for health insurance here only as the medical rates in Australia are quite high. All in all, Rao's consultation has helped me plan and execute my entire travel without any trouble. Thanks so much, Rao.

- Anshul Panchal

Student Visa

What would one do if his/her application gets rejected many times? Give up and compromise, right! Well, I did not and this is why I am finally flying to USA to study. And it is all because of Rao Consultants' expert guidance. They constantly motivated me to stay focused and they believed in me throughout the journey. With every refusal (due to various reasons beyond their control) I was offered alternative universities for the course I wanted to apply for. Finally my application was accepted, after which they helped me in SOP and interview preparation, which didn't take much time and I recently received my visa.

- Krunal Patel

**Come, join
this journey of
amazing stories**

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