

A scenic landscape featuring a winding river or stream that reflects the sky and surrounding vegetation. The foreground and middle ground are dominated by marshy areas with tall, dry, golden-brown grasses. In the background, there are several tall, dark evergreen trees and a range of mountains under a soft, overcast sky with light clouds. The overall atmosphere is calm and natural.

Democratizing Access to the EU Business and Financial Environment

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e- Identity

It all relies on collaboration through engagement.

ID-card penetration is over 97%

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| IDENTIFICATION | VOTING |
| TRAVELLING | BUSINESS, BANKING |
| DIGITAL | DRIVING LICENSE |
| SIGNATURE | PUBLIC TRANSPORT |
| STATE SERVICES | LOYALTY CARD |

HEALTHCARE



1 Apply for e-Residency



1. Apply online at apply.gov.ee/
2. Wait 30 days for the application to be processed
3. Receive confirmation via email that the application was approved
4. Pick up the digital ID card and provide biometrics
5. Activate the card by downloading the free digital ID software

2 Start a company within a day*



1. Obtain a legal address in Estonia
2. Visit Estonia's Business Registry to register the company or contact a business service provider to do it with you
3. Digitally sign and submit legal documents using e-Residency card
4. Pay the state fee and receive confirmation within a day

3 Open an EU IBAN business account



1. Two options:
 - (i) 'traditional' banks;
 - (ii) fintech firms
2. Owning an EU payment account + EU company, allows access to many international payment providers (e.g. PayPal)

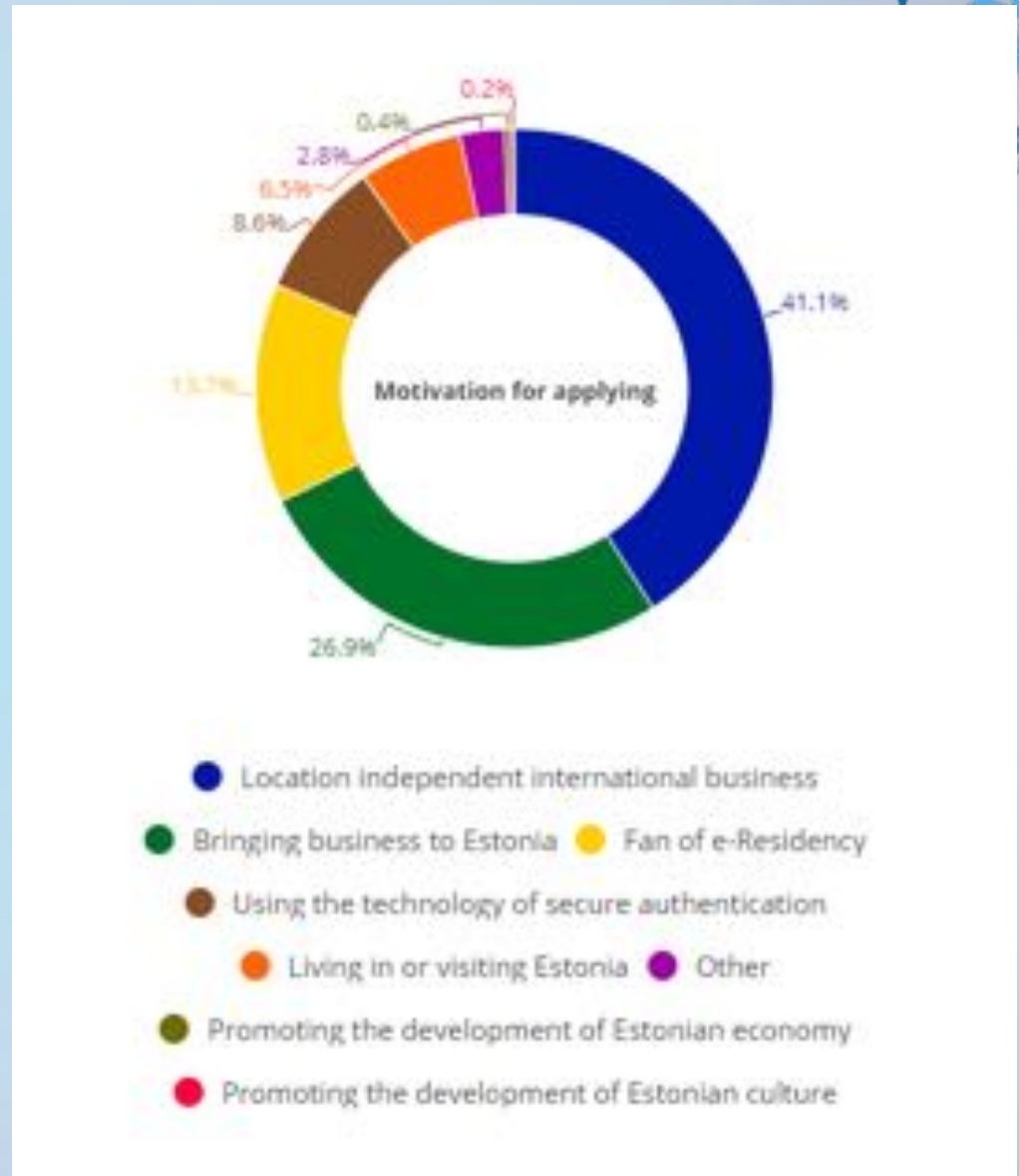
4 Run the company




1. Pay taxes
 - e-Residency is not tax residency
 - Paying taxes in Estonia is done digitally
2. Accounting, virtual office, compliance: e-residents can have the support of business service providers to run their global businesses


Statistics

37 000+ e-resident applications from 152 countries





Our aim is to **enable people on a larger scale to access e-commerce, payments and business banking** together with you and the organizations here in the audience.



The best existing option that businesses and entrepreneurs in developing countries can use to overcome deficiencies in domestic policy or infrastructure to better and immediately integrate themselves into global trade.



Thank You!

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