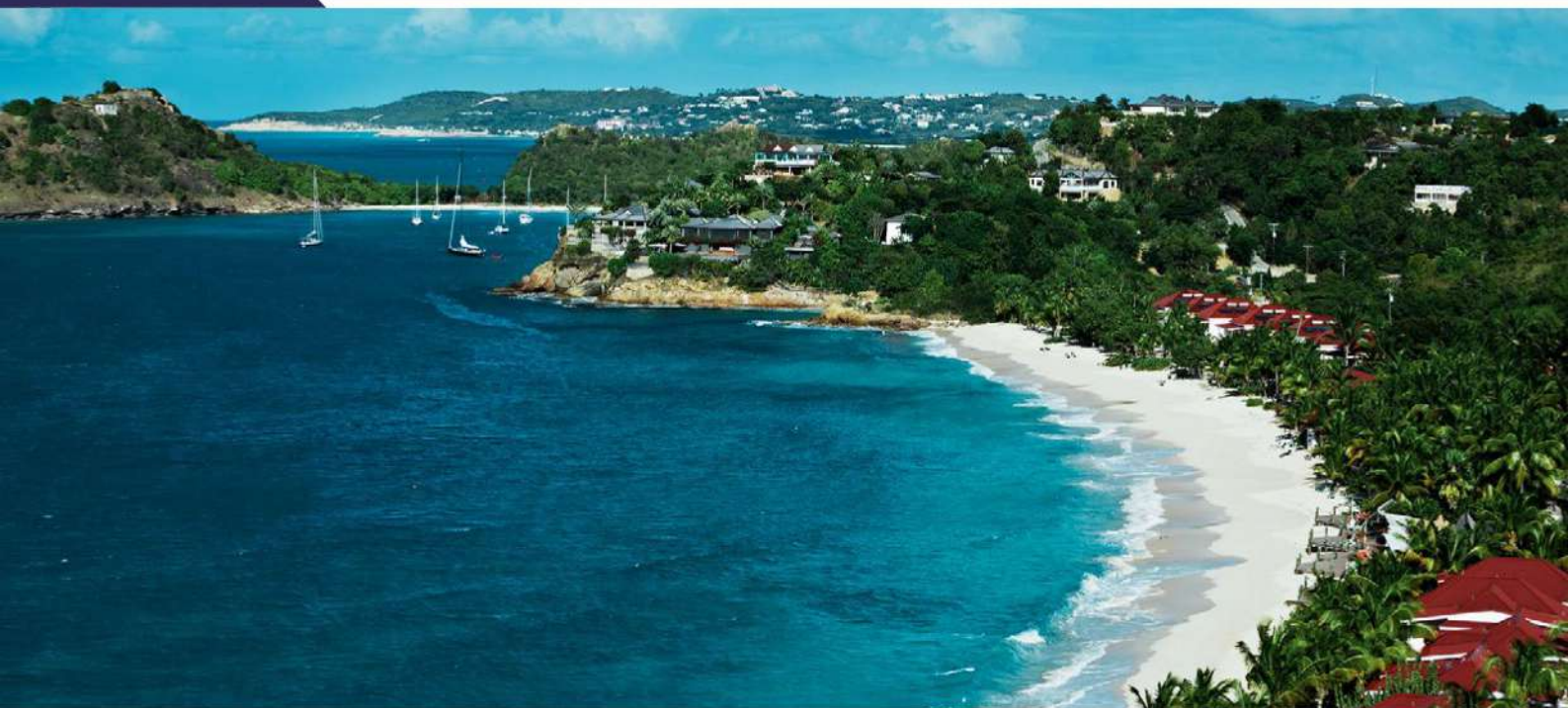




# Antigua and Barbuda





## CITIZENSHIP BY INVESTMENT PROGRAMME



### Overview

-  Established in 2013
-  Type: citizenship
-  Processing time: around 6 months

### Benefits of Citizenship

-  The right, but not the obligation, to live and work in Antigua and Barbuda
-  Citizenship may be passed to future generations
-  Dual citizenship allowed under the laws of Antigua and Barbuda
-  Global mobility

### Main Requirements

- ✓ Over the age of 18
- ✓ Good character
- ✓ Residence requirement of 5 days in Antigua and Barbuda within 5 calendar years of registering as a citizen (*suspension of the five-day physical presence requirement due to Covid-19 travel restrictions has been extended until further notice*)
- ✓ Travel requirement to take the oath of allegiance in Antigua and Barbuda, or in any Embassy, High Commission, or Consulate of Antigua and Barbuda (*applicants subject to travel restrictions can take the oath virtually*)
- ✓ No interview requirement
- ✓ No English language requirement

## Family Inclusion

The following family members may be included in an application for citizenship by investment:

- Spouse
- Children of the main applicant or of the spouse, if:
  - Aged 0 - 30 and financially dependent on the main applicant
  - Aged 18 or over, physically or mentally challenged, living with and fully supported by the main applicant
- Parents or grandparents of the main applicant or of the spouse if aged 55 or above and financially dependent on the main applicant
- Siblings of the main applicant or of the spouse if unmarried

## The Investment

There are four investment options in Antigua and Barbuda.

### 1. NDF Option

A contribution to the Government's National Development Fund (NDF):

- Family of up to 4 persons: US\$100,000
- Family of 5 persons or more: US\$125,000

### 2. Pre-Approved Real Estate Option

A purchase of pre-approved real estate that must be held for at least 5 years.

- Minimum investment: **US\$200,000**

### 3. UWIF Option

A contribution to the University of the West Indies Fund (UWIF). This option is only available to families composed of 6 or more persons and covers the costs of 1 year of tuition at the University of the West Indies for 1 family member only.

- Family of 6 persons: US\$150,000 (including Government Processing Fees for a family of 6)

Moreover, the following Government Processing Fees apply to additional family members: US\$15,000 each

### 4. Business Option

An independent or joint investment in a business.

- Minimum independent investment: **US\$1,500,000**
- Minimum joint investment: **US\$400,000** per investor (total value of the investment: US\$5,000,000)

The following Government Processing fees apply to the NDF option, pre-approved real estate option, and business option:

- Government Processing Fees



Family of up to 4 persons  
US\$30,000



Additional family members  
US\$15,000 each

*Please note that 10% of the Government Processing Fees are non-refundable and due upon submission of an application.*

The following basic fees apply to all the options:

- Due Diligence Fees



Main applicant  
US\$7,500



Spouse  
US\$7,500



Family member aged  
11 or less US\$0 each



Family member aged  
12 to 17 US\$2,000 each



Family member (non-spouse)  
aged 18 or above US\$4,000 each

- Bank Charges
- Bank Administrative Fees
- Passport Fees
- LBA Global Partners Professional Fees