Global Immersion Experience Israel: Visa Information*

*Subject to updates

Flights	The FT MBA February exam period will end on <u>Thursday, February</u> 9 th , 2023 at 10 PM. Do not book flights until after the exam period is completed. International flights require passengers to arrive 2 hours before departure; therefore, flights leaving before midnight on February 9 th , 2023 will not be an option. Missed exams will not be re-scheduled. Be sure to purchase tickets that arrive on location in Tel Aviv by Saturday Feb 11th . Your ticket to the destination should be for the
	duration of the program. The program will start on Sunday Feb 12 th and the <u>last program day in location will be Thursday</u> , February 23 rd so you can depart anytime from Friday, February 24 th . FT MBA students must return to Vancouver before Period 4 begins at 8:00 AM on March 6 th , 2023.
	We highly recommend purchasing trip Cancellation and Interruption Insurance and flexible airfare. In the event of a medical emergency, illness, travel advisory from the Canadian Government not recommending any travel, or natural disaster, you could be refunded for some/all of your flight purchase. The type of coverage may vary depending on the policy you choose to purchase. The cost is often determined by the price of your ticket and may range between \$100 – \$150 CAD.
Hotel	Due to the logistical challenges and safety requirements students on GIE will stay at the same hotel in each destination. Booking information will be made available by the RHL Office. You will be notified of the details and costs in the upcoming weeks.
Visa Requirements & Type	For the purposes of the GIE, students should apply for <u>a B/2 Visitor's</u> <u>Visa</u> . For full details, see: <u>https://embassies.gov.il/toronto/ConsularServices/Pages/Visas.aspx</u> Some citizenships require a visa to enter Israel. For a complete list of citizenships that require or are exempt from needing an Israel visa, see this link: <u>https://www.gov.il/BlobFolder/reports/tourist-visa-</u> <u>table/en/2022_Foreign_Visa_to_Israel.pdf</u> Students can apply for a <u>B/2 Visitor's Visa</u> by mail through the Consulate General of Israel in Toronto (contact details below). <u>Note:</u> The RHL Global Learning Team has collected this information based on the information available to us. You are advised to contact your GIE country Consulate/Embassy (information at the end of this document) to verify your specific visa requirements.

Processing Time & Cost	A B/2 visa is valid for up to three months from the date of issue. The duration of the stay in Israel will be determined by the Border Police. The processing time for a B/2 visa is variable. Please be sure to allow sufficient mail transit time to and from the Consulate in Toronto in addition to the visa processing time. Cost: CA\$36 for a B/2 Visitor's Visa. Click the link below to <u>see the table of fees :</u> <u>http://embassies.gov.il/toronto/ConsularServices/Pages/Consu</u> <u>lar- Fees.aspx</u>
Documents Needed	 B/2 Visitor's Visa Requirements: Application form: must be completed and signed https://embassies.gov.il/toronto/Documents/visanewform.pdf Passport: at least one blank page in your passport (which must be valid for at least 6 months beyond your period of stay in Israel); enclose photocopy of your passport with your application Photocopy of applicant's Canadian PR card or Canadian visa if applicable Payment: Paid by certified bank cheque to the Consulate General of Israel OR through completed credit card information form: http://embassies.gov.il/toronto/ConsularServices/Documents/cre_ ditcard.pdf Check fee schedule here: http://embassies.gov.il/toronto/ConsularServices/Pages/Consular -Fees.aspx Flight information: proof of round-trip airline tickets to and from Israel Financial information: proof of sufficient financial means for your trip (e.g. Bank statements from past 3 months) Accommodation information: Proof of where the applicant will reside during their stay in Israel, such as a hotel Passport photos: 2 passport pictures (5 cm x 5 cm) Invitation letter: if applicable, will be provided by the RHL Prepaid express envelope: Prepaid express envelope from Canada Post, completed with your return address For more information about Israel Visa requirements, see this link (scroll down to B/2 Visitor's Visa): http://embassies.gov.il/toronto/ConsularServices/Pages/Visas.aspx

	B/2 Visitor's Visa Application:
Steps of Application	 Fill out the application form: <u>https://embassies.gov.il/toronto/Documents/visanewform.pdf</u> Assemble all required documents outlined above (double check against this link): <u>https://embassies.gov.il/toronto/ConsularServices/Pages/Visas.aspx</u> Please send your application by registered mail, and pay with credit card details or a certified bank cheque. Please make sure you send your travel document, as the Consulate cannot issue a visa without it. Mailing and payment information can be found here: <u>http://embassies.gov.il/toronto/ConsularServices/Pages/Mailing-Documents.aspx</u> Mail the completed application form and all supporting documentsto the Consulate General of Israel in Toronto below.
	Location (check the website):
	https://embassies.gov.il/toronto/ConsularServices/Pages/General-
General of	Information.aspx
	Consular Department
Israel in	Consulate General of Israel in Toronto
Toronto	Address:
Toronto	2 Bloor Street East, Suite 400
	Toronto, Ontario, M4W 1A8 Hours:
	Open to Public: 9:30 am – 12:30 pm Monday – Friday (by
	appointment only)
	Telephone Reception Hours: 10:00 - 13:00 Monday – Friday
	Contact: Phone: 416-640-8505
	Email: use the form provided at this link
	http://embassies.gov.il/toronto/AboutTheEmbassy/Pages/contac t-
	<u>us.aspx</u>