

## Visa Facilitation Agreements between the EU and non-EU countries

So far, the EU has concluded visa facilitation agreements with following non-EU countries (entry into force):

Russia (01. June 2007)

Albania (01. January 2008)

Bosnia and Herzegovina (01. January 2008)

FYROM / Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia (01. January 2008)

Moldova (01. January 2008)

Montenegro (01. January 2008)

Serbia (01. January 2008)

Ukraine (01. January 2008)

Georgia (01. March 2011)

Nationals of **Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, the Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Montenegro, Moldova and Serbia**, who are in possession of a biometric passport, are exempt of visa requirements for short-term stays in the Schengen-zone (up to 90 days). For nationals without a biometric passport, the regulations of the facilitation agreements are furthermore applicable.

*As of May 2014. Source and further information: Website of the European Commission*

*[www.ec.europa.eu/dgs/home-affairs/what-we-do/policies/borders-and-visas/visa-policy/index\\_en.htm](http://www.ec.europa.eu/dgs/home-affairs/what-we-do/policies/borders-and-visas/visa-policy/index_en.htm)*