

Studienwerk

Scholarships for international students and doctoral candidates from abroad wishing to study in Germany

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What are we doing?

The Heinrich Böll Foundation offers scholarships for students in all academic fields in Germany:

- Master
- Doctorate/PhD

Who can apply?

International students of all academic fields who wish to study or attain a doctorate in Germany. Key regions include students from North Africa and the Middle East.

Requirements:

- completion of a first degree
- above-average academic performance
- social commitment or political interest
- B2-level German language skills

When can you apply?

Deadlines for applications are September 1 (2019) or March 1 (2020).

How can you apply?

Apply online via the application portal of the Heinrich Böll Foundation. The portal is open from July 20 to September 1 (or January 20 to March 1).

We recommend collecting the necessary documents before the portal opens.

See: <https://www.boell.de/de/stipendien-bewerbung>

Do I already need to be admitted to a German university when applying?

No, but you must submit a certificate of enrolment from the university shortly before the start of the scholarship period at the latest.

What does the scholarship involve?

Funding (material support):

Financial support for living expenses, German courses, other study-related expenses etc.

Non-material support:

Participation in the accompanying program: events on political education, the development of key qualifications, networking meetings with other scholarship holders, events on vocational orientation and much more.

The Heinrich Böll Foundation also offers study and doctoral scholarships for:

- students from Germany or living in Germany
- PhD students of all academic fields, including researches about ecological and social transformation process (“Transformationsforschung”)
- students from an immigrant background seeking a career in journalism
- refugees living in Germany

See: <https://www.boell.de/de/stipendium>

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