



German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) Undergraduate Scholarship

Award Details

Emphasis: Academic; Travel

Highly qualified undergraduate students are invited to apply for scholarship funding study, senior thesis research and/or internships in Germany. The goal of this program is to support study abroad in Germany and at German universities. Preference will be given to students whose projects or programs are based at and organized by a German university. Scholarships are available either as part of an organized study abroad program or as part of an individual, student-designed study abroad semester or year.

Scholarships may be granted for a minimum of four (one semester) and a maximum of 10 months (one academic year). Recipients will be awarded a monthly stipend of approximately € 650, plus additional funds to help defray travel and research expenses as well as health insurance. The scholarship periods must take place during the German academic year, i.e. October – July.

Eligibility

- Applicants must be in their sophomore or junior year at university.
- The scholarship is open to (non-U.S.) international students.

Candidate Profile

Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee

- Possesses outstanding academic record and personal integrity, as evinced by both his/her grades and letters of recommendation
- Has a well-defined study, research or internship plans for stay in Germany
- Submits the DAAD language evaluation form with application, although German language competency is not mandatory
- Demonstrates an interest in contemporary German and European affairs and explains the significance of his/her project in Germany to future studies, research or professional goals
- Is an enrolled, full-time student in an undergraduate degree-granting program at an accredited North American college or university
- Will return to the U.S. or Canada after scholarship period to complete bachelor's degree

Application

Date Application Available: December

Internal Application Due Date: December

Final Application Due Date: January