



German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) Study Scholarship

Award Details

Emphasis: Academic; Travel

Highly qualified final year undergraduate students (graduating seniors) or those who have received an undergraduate degree of all disciplines may apply for the DAAD Study Scholarship for a year of independent study or a full master's degree program at a German university. Study Scholarships are granted for one academic year (10 months) with the possibility of a one-year extension for those wishing to complete a full degree program in Germany. Monthly stipends are approximately € 750. DAAD will cover health insurance and provide a flat rate subsidy for travel costs (US East: € 925 / West: € 1,300). In addition, limited funds are available for a rent subsidy and family allowance. 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. Funding periods are restricted to the exact dates of the German academic year, i.e. October – July.

Eligibility

- Application is open to seniors/recent BA/BS or MA/MS/graduate students.
- The scholarship is open to (non-U.S.) international students as well.

Candidate Profile

Key Characteristics Sought by Review Committee

- Has a well-defined study, research or internship plans for stay in Germany
- 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

Application

Date Application Available: September

Internal Application Due Date: October

Final Application Due Date: November

Specific Notes/Exceptions: AT A DAAD PARTNER UNIVERSITY: applicants must be submitted to the DAAD campus coordinator; there may be an earlier internal deadline date. If students miss the internal deadline date, they may alternatively submit directly to DAAD New York. Please note this doesn't apply to performing/visual artists. NOT A DAAD PARTNER UNIVERSITY: students send applications directly to the DAAD New York office.