

Saarland Scholarships for international students DAAD Matching Funds (STIBET III programme)

StudienStiftungSaar is awarding Saarland Scholarships in cooperation with the DAAD funding programme STIBET III.

StudienStiftungSaar and DAAD are inviting applications for Saarland Scholarships ('Saarland-Stipendien') for international students who will be studying in the summer semester 2021 at the University of Applied Sciences (htw saar). The scholarships are co-funded by the German Federal Foreign Office.

Applications are invited from international Bachelor- and Master students who are in the final stage of their degree programme. Application requirements are:

- a minimum of 60 ECTS for Bachelor students
- a minimum of 30 ECTS for Master students

This call for applications is aimed at international students who have obtained their higher education entrance qualification outside Germany. Applications will not be accepted from German nationals.

Please ensure that you only apply for the scholarship associated with the institution at which you are enrolled. When Saarland Scholarships for international students are announced, the names and logos of the relevant institutions are clearly indicated. If you apply for a scholarship that is not associated with the institution at which you are enrolled, your application will not be considered.

Saarland Scholarships are awarded primarily on the basis of an applicant's academic performance during their studies. However, in addition to academic performance, the applicant's family and personal background is also of relevance. Evidence of voluntary social or community service will be viewed positively.

The application period begins on **20 January 2021** and closes at **11:59 pm** on **3 March 2021**.

<https://bewerberportal.studienstiftungsaar.de>

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Please complete the online application form and upload it together with the following documents as a **single PDF file** via the online application portal:

- CV/resume
- Current certificate of enrolment
- Transcript of records (only for applicants on a Bachelor's or Master's degree programme)
- Two short assessments (download the form from online application)
- Completed and signed application form with the stamp of the relevant examination office. (Please print out your online application form once you have filled it in.)

Scholarship holders usually receive €300 per month for the duration of the funding period. The earliest start of funding is 1 April 2021. The Saarland Scholarship is not means tested (i.e. it is independent of the applicant's assets and income) and can be awarded in addition to any financial support the applicant may receive under the Federal Training Assistance Act (BAföG). Please note that Saarland Scholarships cannot be awarded to persons receiving financial support for the same purpose from other domestic and/or foreign funding bodies.

Application guidance: "How do I apply for a Saarland Scholarship for international students?" To assist you with your application, application guidance will be provided on **12.02.2021 at 2 pm** and on **23.02.2021 at 2 pm**. To register, please go to: <https://eveeno.com/170202478>.

Contact: StudienStiftungSaar; Email: studierende@studienstiftungsaar.de

Please note: There is no entitlement in law for applicants to receive funding.