**SBW Berlin**

**SBW Berlin Scholarship**

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**About**

Through their scholarship, SBW Berlin supports young talented people from abroad who have been socially committed in volunteer work in their home countries.

**Overview**

**Scholarship Type:** Need-based

**Number of Scholarships to Award:** Multiple

**Grant:** EUR 480 per month

**Scholarship Coverage:**

* Tuition fee reduction
* Living expenses
* Accommodation
* Other

**Description**

The SBW Berlin scholarship is aimed at international students who are socially committed and come from financially disadvantaged family backgrounds. It is crucial that SBW Berlin's scholarship recipients return to their home countries after the completion of their studies.

**Eligibility**

* Applicants must meet the following requirements:

**Age:** Between 18 and 30 years old

Professional or volunteer experience in the non-profit/social sector (proven by a social institution’s letter of recommendation)

Able to prove that they have not stayed in Germany for more than 18 months before the application

Qualification for university entrance

Intention to work in their country of origin for at least 18 months after graduation or to engage in non-profit work until the repayment plan has been fulfilled

Able to prove a relatively low net income

Average grades corresponding to a German grade point average of at least 2.0

No first-degree family members who reside permanently in Germany

Application before the start of their university education or fully enrolled in the first, second, or max. third semester at a state-recognized university (in Germany or abroad) or application for a master’s degree shortly before or after obtaining a bachelor’s degree.

**Scholarship Requirements**

**Disciplines:** Any

**Locations:** Germany

**Nationality:** 226 nationalities

**Study Experience Required:** High school

**Application**

**Application Deadline:** Not specified

When applying for the scholarship, proof of the applicant’s social commitment in the form of a letter of recommendation from a non-profit organization or social institution is required.

**Benefits**

* For the duration of the scholarship (max. funding period equivalent to the regular period of the study program), SBW Berlin covers necessary living expenses of the scholarship recipients. The scholarship includes:
* A furnished room in shared student flats in Berlin
* Cost-of-living allowance currently in the amount of 480 Euro per month
* Tuition fees
* Possibly also a travel contribution for the journey to Berlin before the start of the course of study and for the journey home after successful completion of the course