Application Agreement for the Deutschlandstipendium

Application period: 1 April 2026 (00:01) – 31 May 2026 (23:59)

I. Note about data protection

The personal information you provide for the purpose of applying for a Deutschlandstipendium is handled confidentially and used exclusively for the selection of suitable applicants and administering the Deutschlandstipendium. The regulatory basis for the collection and processing of the information is § 10 of the *Stipendiumprogramm-Gesetz* [Scholarship Programme Act] (StipG). Pursuant to this article, applicants for the scholarship programme are obliged to provide the information and provide respective documentation that is required for the review of the qualification and eligibility requirements.
We are aware that the data includes highly confidential information, some of the information (e.g., about illness or cultural background) is also data from so-called special categories of personal data in terms of the Data Protection Regulation. Your personal data is always handled confidentially and protected by current technical security measures together with our IT service provider.
If your application is not selected for a scholarship, your information will be saved for a maximum of 15 months, in order to facilitate a subsequent application in the next application period.

During the selection process, your information - without stating your name or contact information - will be made available to sponsors within the context of selection committee meetings.

Statistics / Evaluation Anonymisation
Pursuant to § 13 StipG, we are required to submit data to the State Statistics Office (*Statistische Landesamt*) in order to produce federal statistics on scholarship recipient data. This occurs under a pseudonym; your name is not shared.

Preclusion of Double-funding
Pursuant to § 4 Para. 2 StipG, the BMBF conducts random checks to prevent double-funding. To this end and pursuant to StipG regulations, the BMBF may collect family names, given names, birth dates, addresses, and university location of the individuals who receive a scholarship from the universities.
The BMBF may save these data and compare them with data from the *Begabtenförderungswerke*, the German Academic Exchange Service, the *Stiftung Begabtenförderung berufliche Bildung*, and other domestic or foreign institutions. The universities are required to transfer these data. The data must be destroyed after the random check has been completed.

Contact with Sponsors
Your sponsor may wish to meet you, possibly to invite you to events or potentially to offer you an internship. You agree, when you apply, that we may pass on your personal information to the sponsor of your scholarship, if you are awarded one.
Important: You have no obligations to the sponsor of your scholarship.

II. Instructions

Students at and applicants to the Technische Hochschule Nürnberg can apply for a Deutschlandstipendium. Students must have at least 2 more semesters remaining before the end of their regular programme duration when they apply.

Please answer all of the fields in the online application form and upload the following **attachments**:

- CV in table form
- Confirmation of grades with ECTS points and average grade
  (students from the 2nd semester onwards)
- Applicants who have been offered a place in a bachelor's or master's programme, but have not yet begun their first semester in the programme (first-semester students): Please submit your university entrance qualification (HZB), if you have been admitted to an undergraduate programme, or the final official transcript for your bachelor's degree, if you have been admitted to a master's programme. This will be used for the selection decisions.
- University entrance qualification certificate (in the case of foreign certificates, a translation and conversion into the German grading system)
- If applicable, proof of a special qualification entitling the holder to study the relevant degree programme at the Technische Hochschule Nürnberg
- Supporting documents and references relating to professional training and activity, social commitment, personal circumstances, and other documents and references required in the application form

If any of these documents are not in German or English languages, a certified translation into German must be attached.

Applications that are incomplete or submitted after the deadline cannot be considered and will not be included in the selection process. Please refrain from applying more than once within the application period. Documents sent by email, fax, or post will not be accepted.

Important note: Individuals who have applied in the preceding year should log in with the user information (login) from their previous application and upload only those documents which have changed since their last application (transcript, etc.).

III. Applicant's Declaration

By applying, the applicant confirms that all information they provide is complete and correct and that they have noted all information and instructions about applying. The applicant is aware that the scholarship will be reclaimed if false information is provided. The applicant accepts all data protection information described under point I, all information provided under point II, and is aware that there is no legal entitlement to a Deutschlandstipendium.