

**Call for applications:  
Individual scholarships for students in hardship situations**

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**Amount of scholarship**

The amount of the scholarship is based on individual need.

**Scholarship duration**

The scholarship is awarded as a one-off emergency grant and the amount depends on individual need.

**Procedure**

Applications may be submitted at any time. Applications should be addressed to the Chair of the Executive Board of the Hochschulstiftung Südwestfalen.

The Executive Committee of the Hochschulstiftung Südwestfalen decides on the awarding of scholarships, which are granted as one-off emergency aid, the amount of which depends on the individual need.

Please enclose the application:

- a. Statement on the specific hardship situation
- b. Statement of financial circumstances using the form 'Description of financial situation' and bank statements
- c. Current certificate of enrolment
- d. Current transcript of records
- e. Where applicable, signed Declaration of consent to the processing of health data

Candidates will be notified in writing of the decision to award or not to award the scholarship by the Executive Board without further explanation. Your details will be kept strictly confidential.

Application documents and information can be found on the website of the South Westphalia University of Applied Sciences at [www.fh-swf.de/cms/hochschulstiftung-en](http://www.fh-swf.de/cms/hochschulstiftung-en). Ms. Weiß ([svenja.weiss@stifterverband.de](mailto:svenja.weiss@stifterverband.de)) from the Deutsches Stiftungszentrum ([www.deutsches-stiftungszentrum.de](http://www.deutsches-stiftungszentrum.de)) will be happy to answer your questions.

## **Scholarship guidelines for individual scholarships for students in hardship situations**

as of 04/02/2025

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**Miscellaneous:**

By accepting the scholarship, the scholarship holder undertakes to inform the foundation immediately of any changes that may affect the award of the scholarship.

The Hochschulstiftung Südwestfalen reserves the right to

- a. amend or withdraw the scholarship if the scholarship holder does not fulfil the conditions of approval applicable to the scholarship;
- b. to make amendments and additions to the Scholarship Regulations.

Issued on the basis of the decision of the Executive Board of the Hochschulstiftung Südwestfalen of February 4, 2025 in agreement with the Board of Trustees of the Hochschulstiftung Südwestfalen.