



DAAD STIBET I scholarship for international degree students and doctoral students in the final stage of their degree at the University of Stuttgart

The German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) provides funds for scholarships which can be tendered by the University of Stuttgart (subject to an annual confirmation of the contract by the DAAD). The scholarship line "**scholarships for graduation**" is directed towards international students in their final phase of studies or PhD. The aim is to support qualified students so they can concentrate on terminating their studies.

Who can apply?

International students (Bildungsausländer/innen)

- who will earn their degree from the University of Stuttgart (BSc, MSc or PhD)
- who are about to start or are in their final semester (regular study period):
BSc: 6th semester at the earliest, MSc: 4th semester at the earliest, PhD:
within the final 12 months of doctoral studies and only with certification of acceptance by the faculty
- who have good grades and a positive prognosis concerning the final exams or the graduation of studies/PhD studies
- who are in a difficult financial situation/financial emergency
- who do not receive a full scholarship from a German or foreign organization

Applications can be handed in at the International Office twice a year by the deadlines **31st of January** and **30th of June**. The scholarship can be awarded for a maximum period of 6 months.

To apply, please submit the following documents:

- Properly completed and signed application form (only available in person from your contact person at the International Office, see: www.ia.unistuttgart.de/kontakt/mitarbeiterinnen/mitarbeiterinnen_abteilung1.html)
- CV including a (passport sized) photo
- Current certificate of enrollment
- Current transcript of records of your studies at the University of Stuttgart
- Reference letter of a professor and one of an academic staff member of your study course confirming your qualification for the studies. The letter must also include a positive prognosis concerning graduation and a time frame in which a successful graduation can be expected



- A written statement why you apply with specific regard to your financial situation (cessation of income or financial support, expiry of a previous scholarship etc.)
- Complete and current proof of income (e.g. printouts of all bank accounts of the last three months, pay slips)
- Current job contracts with current salary slips (if any)
- Current scholarship letters / contracts (if any)

Please note:

There is no legal entitlement for a scholarship. All submitted documents or any information provided may be considered in the selection process for the awarding of scholarships. Usually, candidates will be informed about the results of the selection within 4-6 weeks after the application deadlines.