



Doctoral Scholarships

Funding begin April 1st, 2025

Universität Hamburg doctoral students are invited to apply for scholarships with funding to begin in April 2025. The scholarships will be awarded in accordance with the Hamburg Act for the Promotion of Young Researchers and Artists (Gesetz zur Förderung des wissenschaftlichen und künstlerischen Nachwuchses, HmbNFG).

Application period: October 7th – October 20th, 2024 (23:59 CET)¹

Only evaluations from professors required for the application may be submitted until October 25th, 2024.

The scholarship amounts to €1,200 per month plus up to €1,023 per funding year for material and travel expenses. Childcare allowance amounts to €154.

You may apply for either a basic scholarship or a completion scholarship.

Requirements for basic scholarships providing support for up to **two years**:

- proof of above-average academic achievement in a degree entitling you to begin doctoral studies
- funding begins no later than approximately one year after completion of higher education degree program

Requirements for completion scholarships providing support for up to **one year**:

- reception of the basic scholarship in accordance with the HmbNFG
- OR**
- previous employment in an academic position financed by public funds at an FHH (Free and Hanseatic City of Hamburg) academic institution, funding to begin when employment contract ends
 - above-average dissertation is expected to be completed within a max. of one year

Please send applications via email as a single PDF file (max. 4MB) with the materials below in the following order to fhh-promotionsfoerderung@uni-hamburg.de:

- application form
- income assessment
- tabular CV
- final transcript or, if necessary, graded proof of completed coursework and examinations
- research proposal for your doctoral degree project with project plan and timetable
- evaluation from dissertation supervisor
- evaluation from another faculty member

For more information please contact:

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The application forms and information can be downloaded here:

www.uni-hamburg.de/en/forschung/nachwuchs/stipendien/promotionsfoerderung/landesgraduiertenfoerderung.html

¹ Applicants are responsible for the full and timely submission of their application. Late applications will not be accepted.