

Semesterticket Refund/ Exam Scholarship

Semesterticket refund

Reimbursement of the contribution share for the semester ticket from the hardship fund.

Examn scholarship for international students

for students of HAW, TUHH, HfbK, HfMT and HCU

International students who are not entitled to BAföG can receive support for the completion of their studies from state funds. However, there is no legal entitlement to this funding.

Requirements

You must complete your studies no later than two semesters after submitting your application and be able to demonstrate a level of performance that corresponds to the current semester. In addition, you must be needy, i.e. you must not receive any allowance from your parents or be financially secure in some other way.

Contact for students of Universität Hamburg:

www.uni-hamburg.de/examensstipendien
Department Internationales der Universität Hamburg
Mittelweg 177 · 20148 Hamburg · Phone 040 / 42 838 - 3311

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Current service times and more info at:

www.stwhh.de

↪ International affairs ↪ Students from abroad

Counselling Centre Accommodation - BeWo

We advise

- Students and prospective students
- Student interns and guests at Hamburg universities
- Trainees from companies based in Hamburg

The Counselling Centre Accommodation is the point of contact for questions concerning housing in Hamburg for students.

All-inclusive-rent from approx. 310 to 480 €/month

The rent already includes:

- Furnishing
- Electricity, heating and water
- Internet and cable fees
- Use of common rooms and leisure activities (for example fitness room, bar, study rooms, music rooms, laundry and drying rooms)
- Also on site: House manager and welcome tutors

In addition to students, trainees from companies based in Hamburg are also eligible for housing. An application for a room is possible **at any time** via our online form. There are long waiting times for 1-room-apartments. Applying for „rooms“ and „all student residences“ increases the chances of receiving a room offer as quickly as possible.

Online application:



Welcome Tutor Programs for students:

A team of tutors helps students get off to a good start in Hamburg, supports them in integrating into the residential complexes and promotes the dialogue between international and German students. The tutors help with questions about housing, studying and jobs, language problems and administrative matters.

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↪ Accommodation for students and trainees

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↪ Our counselling services

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To make studying successful!

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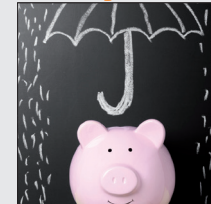
- Eat & Meet! Breakfast, lunch and dinner, snacks – 12 cafeterias, 19 cafés and 2 pizzerias.

Accommodation for Students and Trainees



- Our 25 halls of residence provide a home to approx. 4,390 german and international students and trainees.

Study Financing



- We offer advice on study financing (BAföG, scholarships, student loans etc.), and pay to approx. 102 million € in BAföG funding a year.

Social & International Affairs



- Social counselling, emergency fund, international affairs, studying with chronic illnesses/disabilities, studying with a child, 5 child day-care centres, and flexible child care.



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Counselling and services offered by the Studierendenwerk Hamburg



Counselling Centre for Social & International Affairs – BeSI

We advise students and prospective students, especially

- with child/children
- with chronic illness/disability/impairment
- from abroad.

Individual counselling takes place in a protected and confidential setting. The counsellors are bound by professional secrecy.

Social benefits:

- Housing benefit, child benefit, livelihood security, integration assistance, etc.
- Requirements, application process
- Benefits: Reduction or exemption from the broadcasting licence fee, tax savings, certificate of eligibility to public housing or certificate of urgency

Jobbing next to your studies:

- Job types (e.g. mini job, student job, self-employment) and combinations
- Social security contributions and taxes
- Work permit
- Job offers

Health insurance:

- Clarification of access
- Differences between statutory and private health insurance
- Extension of compulsory health insurance for students or family insurance
- Orientation in the healthcare system

Change in study status (full- or part-time, leave for sabbatical term, de-enrolment for family reasons, chronic illness etc.):

- Impact on study financing
- Acquisition/Discontinuation of social benefits (e.g. Citizen's benefit)
- Impacts on jobs, residence permit for study purposes and childcare
- Orientation and decision-making assistance

Crisis and conflict situations:

- Counselling and orientation in difficult life situations, doubts about studying or dropping out of university; Information on specific university services, municipal establishments, and counselling centres in Hamburg
- Communication with authorities, health insurance companies, landlords, creditors; advice on application procedures and legal options, dealing with payment arrears and creditors
- Financial aid from the emergency fund and free meals at cafeterias to bridge times of financial stress

Consulting & Coaching

On the compatibility of family and studies:

Here, student mothers and fathers have the opportunity to address the challenges of everyday life and develop solutions.

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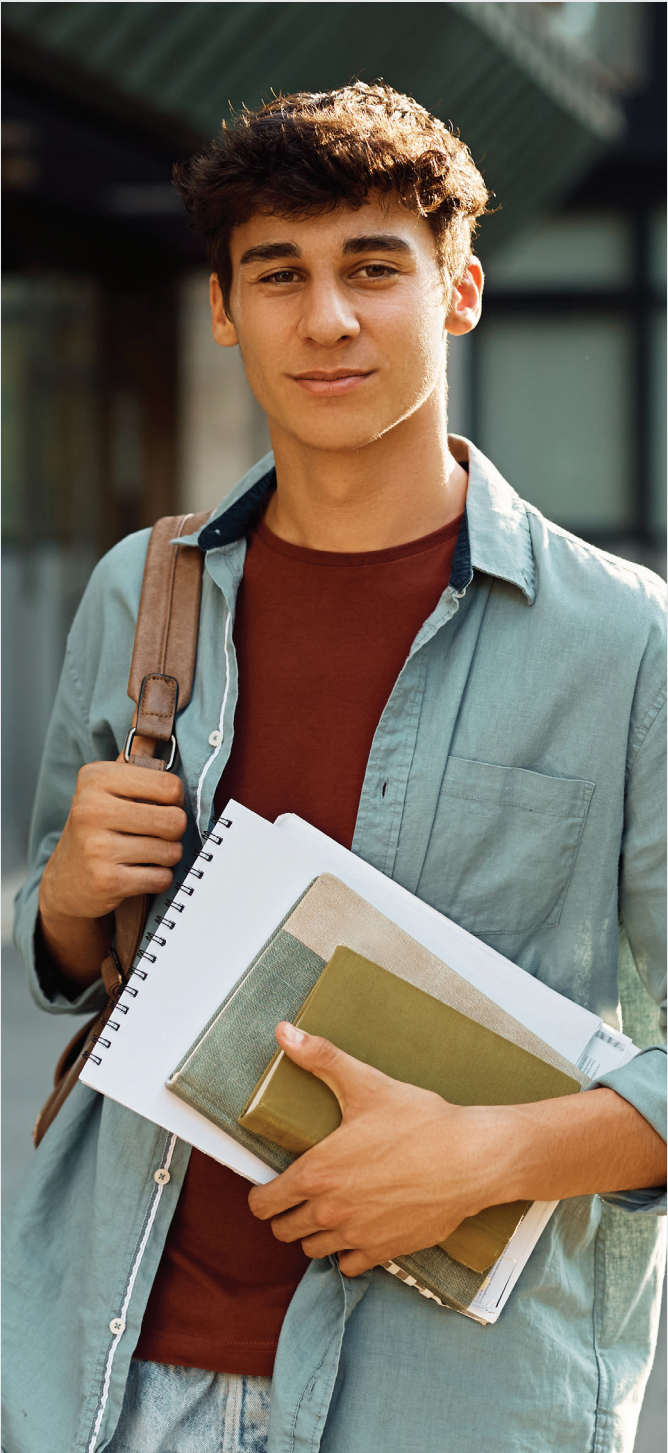
General social counselling
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www.stwhh.de ↪ Studying with chronic illness/disability/impairment
www.stwhh.de ↪ International affairs
www.stwhh.de ↪ Family service

Counselling for students with child
Phone +49 40 41 902 - 183 · studierenmitkind@stwhh.de

Current service times and more info at:
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↪ Our counselling services
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Support Services

We offer professional and reliable care in 5 daycare centers and in flexible forms of care.
www.stwhh.de
↪ Family service
↪ Daycare centres and flexible childcare services



Counselling Centre for Study Financing – BeSt

We offer counselling for

- Prospective students
- Students

Please **note** that study financing depends largely on your residency status. Therefore, please always contact BeSt for a consultation.

BAföG:

- Consultation
- BAföG Überbrückungsdarlehen (advance payment)
- BAföG sample calculations for all those interested in studying at Hamburg universities
- Study start-up aid for first-year students

Please **note** that the official language in the BAföG office and on all forms is German. If necessary, please bring a translator. At BeSt you can get a first and/or general counselling in English.

Scholarships

- Consultation
- Awarding of in-house scholarships

Student loans:

All federal student loans, education funds

- Consultation

Loan fund of Studierendenwerk Hamburg

- Consultation

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