#### 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

# COUNSELLING CENTRE OF THE STUDIERENDENWERK HAMBURG

# Semesterticket Refund / Examn Scholarship for international students

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Current service times and more info at:

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- 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. 280 to 450 €/month

The rent already includes:

- furnished rooms
- Heating, water, electricity, internet and cable connection facility
- Common areas like bar, library, fitness rooms and much more
- Support by 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:



# New in Hamburg as a student intern or guest at a Hamburg university?

In two student residences there are some rooms available for short-term rent from 1 to 6 months.

#### Welcome Tutor Programme for international students:

A team of tutors helps international 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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#### **COUNSELLING CENTRE Accommodation – BeWo**

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Accommodation for students and trainees

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- Our counselling services
- Counselling Centre Accommodation − BeWo

# To make studying successful!

#### **Gastronomy**



Eat & Meet! Breakfast, lunch and dinner, snacks – 12 cafeterias, 22 cafés and 2 pizzerias.

## **Accommodation for Students** and Trainees



Our 26 halls of residence provide a home to approx. 4,400 german and international students and trainees.

#### **Study Financing**



→ We offer advice on study financing (BAföG, scholarships, student loans etc.), and pay to approx. 89 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 daycare 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 counselors are bound by professional secrecy.

#### Social benefits:

- Housing allowance, child allowance, 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 jobs, student jobs, self-employment) and combinations
- Social security contributions and taxes
- Work permits
- Job offers

#### Health insurance:

- Adminission clarifications
- → Differences between statutory and private health insurance
- Extension of compulsory health insurance for students or familiy insurance
- Orientation to the health system

Change to 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)
- ightarrow Impacts on jobs, residence permit for study purposes and childcare
- Orientation and decision-making assistance.

#### Crisis and conflict situations:

- Counseling 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
- Financial aid from the emergency fund and free meals at cafeterias to bridge times of finacial 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.

# COUNSELLING CENTRE OF THE STUDIERENDENWERK HAMBURG

#### COUNSELLING CENTRE Social & International Affairs – BeSI

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**General social counselling** 

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#### Counselling for students with child

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Current service times and more info at:

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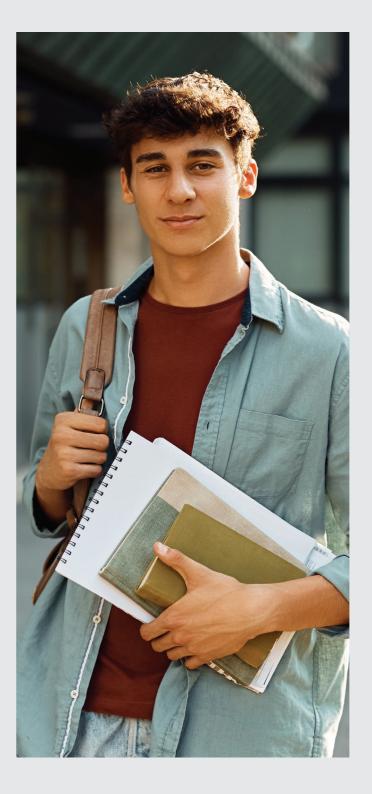
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#### **Support Services**

We offer professional and reliable care in 5 daycare centers and in flexible forms of care.

#### www.stwhh.de

- → Daycare centres and flexible childcare services



# Counselling Centre for Study Financing - BeSt

#### We offer counselling for

- Students (school)
- Prospective students
- Students (full/part-time, first and second degree, doctoral students, etc.)

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

#### BAföG: inland and abroad

- (Initial) Consultation
- BAföG Überbrückungsdarlehen (advance payment)
- BAföG sample calculations for prospective students at Hamburg universities

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

- Initial consultation
- Awarding of in-house scholarships

#### Student loans:

all federal student loans, education funds

Consultation

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