

The Konrad-Adenauer-Stiftung supports your higher education at universities in the Federal Republic of Germany!

Deadline for receiving applications: 20th January 2019

The Konrad-Adenauer-Stiftung (KAS) is a political foundation closely associated with the Christian Democratic Union of Germany (CDU). It was established in 1955 and is committed to the legacy of the first Chancellor of the Federal Republic of Germany, Konrad Adenauer.

With more than 100 offices abroad and projects in over 120 countries, KAS aims to make a unique contribution to the promotion of democracy, the rule of law and social market economy.

The KAS scholarship programme offers students the opportunity to obtain a degree from a German university (Master level), a doctoral degree (PhD level) or to opt for a research stay that lasts for at least 2 semesters. KAS aims to make a contribution to the field of education and expects its scholarship holders to assume responsibility in their respective areas after returning to their home country.

Requirements

- Excellent academic record and an extensive interest in politics as well as a democratic mindset
- Social and/or political engagement
- High motivation while staying committed to schedules and realising one's full potential

Being a Master's student, the Foundation will financially support Scholarship holders with 850, - € per month over a maximum period of two years. Students pursuing their doctoral degree will be funded with 1.100, - € per month for a maximum period of three years. Other subsidies might be granted upon request. Our Scholarship holders are part of the Foundation's worldwide network and will be supported throughout their studies by our KAS personnel in Germany. Scholarship holders are expected to take part in a variety of seminars and events offered by KAS. Further, they will join regional groups of Scholarship holders at their respective universities. After finishing their studies, they are expected to actively promote the relationship between India and the Federal Republic of Germany.

Formal Requirements

- The scholarship will apply for a minimum of 2 semesters and only be granted to students of higher education (Master or Doctoral degree). We do not support students who have already obtained a PhD degree and are going in for a second one.
- Medical students should have passed the German intermediate examination ("Physikum") or an international equivalent. Pharmaceutical students should have

completed the German first pharmaceutical examination or an international equivalent. We do not support medical specialization trainings or research stays of postgraduates.

- At the time of the applying, students shouldn't be older than 30 years. We expect our applicants to have good basic knowledge of the German language, even if the course is being taught in English. If students wish to obtain a Master or Doctoral degree taught in German, they are required to prove their German skills on the level B2 (Common European Framework of Reference for Languages) or higher. In very particular cases in which the rest of the qualifications are outstanding, B1 can be accepted. Many Scholarships holders complete the DSH (German language test for assuming higher education studies) or pass the Test-DAF (German as foreign language) with a considerable high score before assuming their studies. If a student wishes to improve his/her German skills, we gladly subsidise language courses at Goethe Institute.

Application documents

Please download and fill out the [application form](#) and attach the following documents:

- A meaningful CV in tabular form including details about your previous voluntary work or social commitment
- Copies of your examination certificates in German translation if the originals are not in English
- Copies of your studies performance records if you have been studying at a University in Germany
- Proof of German language skills
- An informal academic letter of recommendation: This opinion should provide information about your academic qualifications and potential; it should not be older than two months. The author has to be a university professor or teacher holding a doctoral degree.
- An informal letter of recommendation concerning the applicant's personality: This opinion should focus on your personality and interests as well as on your understanding of values and your social commitment. The author cannot be the same as that providing the academic letter of recommendation.
- A photograph

In case you apply for a research stay or doctoral degree in Germany, please also submit the following documents:

- A detailed description of your doctoral thesis: This exposé, written in German or English (4-5 pages), should outline the central research question of your proposed project, its scientific relevance, your theoretical approach and the motives behind your choice of the research subject. It should also contain a work and time schedule and a bibliography.
- A second academic letter of recommendation: This second opinion should be written by the supervisor of your doctoral thesis, providing you already have one. It replaces the letter of recommendation concerning the applicant's personality.

About the selection procedure

Are you interested in applying for a scholarship at KAS? Then, you can visit our Website (<https://www.kas.de/web/begabtenfoerderung-und-kultur/wie-bewerbe-ich-mich-2>) and find out more details about the procedure.

Pre-selection

There will be a preliminary screening among all completed applications received on time by the KAS India office. Based on the above mentioned requirements of our scholarship programme, we will take a decision whether to invite you for the ensuing process.

The selection conference

In case your submitted documents convince us, you will be invited to the second selection round. Then, the final decision awarding a scholarship is taken by a committee at a selection conference. The selection interviews will be conducted mainly in German and take place in Hongkong in the first week of April 2019. All travel expenses of the applicants will be covered by the Konrad-Adenauer-Stiftung.

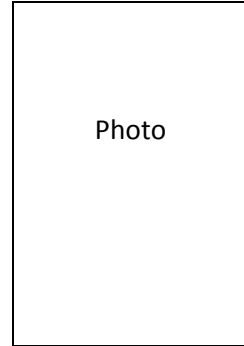
How to apply

Please send your application documents to the KAS India office (Website: <https://www.kas.de/web/indien>) to Romina Elbracht (Romina.elbracht@kas.de) and Deepica Sachdeva (deepica.sachdeva@kas.de) until 20th of January 2019. Good luck!

**Konrad-Adenauer-Stiftung e.V.
Begabtenförderung**

Bewerbung um die Aufnahme in die Studienförderung der Konrad-Adenauer-Stiftung
(Bitte vollständig in Druckbuchstaben oder maschinenschriftlich ausfüllen und unterschreiben)

Application for acceptance for support from the Konrad-Adenauer-Stiftung while studying
(Please complete fully in capital letters or by typewriter, and sign)



I. Angaben zur Person (Bitte genau wie im Pass angeben)

Personal details (please give the same information as in you passport)

1. Name:

Name (Familiename / surname)

(Vorname / first name)

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(Geburtsname bei Ehefrauen /

Maiden name if married woman)

Staatsangehörigkeit:

Nationality

2. Geburtsdatum:

Geburtsort:

Date of birth

Place of birth

3. Anschrift / Address:

a) im Heimatland:
in home country (Ort / Town) (Straße+Hausnummer / Street+house number)

4. Religion: Telefon / Fax:

E-Mail:

5. Familienstand: a) ledig /single b) verheiratet / married
Marital status c) getrennt /separated d) geschieden / divorced
e) verwitwet / widowed

6. Name des Ehepartners: Vorname / first name:
Name of spouse

Beruf des Ehepartners / occupation of spouse:

Staatsangehörigkeit des Ehepartners / nationality of spouse:

7. Anzahl der Kinder / Number of children:

Name / Name	Geburtsdatum / Date of birth
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II. Angaben über Schul- und Hochschulausbildung:

Details of school and college / university education

1. Höhere Schule, Kolleg bzw. Institution, in der die Hochschulreife erworben wurde

High school, college or other institution in which university entrance qualifications were obtained

Name des Instituts Name of institution	Status Status	Dauer des Besuches Duration of attendance	Zeugnis bzw. Grad Certificate or degree	Notendurchschnitt bzw. Punkte Average marks or points awarded
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2. Universität bzw. Institution, an der das Hochschulstudium mit Erfolg abgeschlossen wurde

University or institution at which university education was successfully completed

Name der Universität bzw. Institution Name of university or	Status / Status	Dauer des Besuchs / Duration of	Studienfach bzw. Studienfächer / Branch of branches	Zeugnis bzw. Grad / Certificate	Noten bzw. Punkte / Marks or

institution		attendance	of study	or degree	Points
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3. a) Thema und Seitenzahl der Studienabschlussarbeit (Thesis)

Subject and number of pages of thesis

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aa) Benotung der Studienabschlussarbeit:

Marks awarded for thesis

b) Berechtigt Sie Ihr Hochschulabschluss, an einer Hochschule Ihres Heimatlandes den Doktorgrad zu erwerben?

Does your university degree entitle you to study for your doctorate at a university in your home country?

ja / yes

ja, nach Erfüllung folgender Auflage:

yes, after fulfilling the following conditions:

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nein / no

III. Angaben über den beruflichen Werdegang nach Abschluss der Hochschulausbildung

Details of professional career after completion of university education

1. Berufsausbildung / Lehre / Praktikum

Professional training / apprenticeship / practical training

Firma / Institution	Ort	Fachbereich	von / bis	Zeugnisse
Firm / institution	Place	Branch	from / to	certificates

2. Besuch von Kursen / Seminaren zur beruflichen Weiterbildung

Attendance at courses / seminars for further professional education

Art	Ort	Fachbereich	von / bis	Zeugnisse
Type	Place	Branch	from / to	certificates

3. Berufliche Tätigkeiten

Professional experience

Firma / Institution	Art	von / bis	Funktion
Firm / institution	Type	from / to	capacity

4. Wissenschaftliche Tätigkeiten

Academic occupations

Institution	Art	von / bis	Funktion
Institution	Type	from / to	capacity

5. Themen und Seitenzahl von wissenschaftlichen Veröffentlichungen, Erscheinungsjahr, Verlag:

Subject and number of pages of academic publications, year of publication, publisher's name:

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IV. Besondere Interessen und Betätigungen

Personal interest and sphere of activity

1. im kulturellen Bereich:

in the field of culture

2. im sozialen und politischen Bereich:

in the social and political field

3. im hochschulpolitischen Bereich:

in the field of higher education policies

V. Familiäre und wirtschaftliche Verhältnisse

Family and financial details

1. Eltern / parents

Name des Vaters:

Beruf:

Name of father

Profession

Name der Mutter:

Beruf:

Name of mother

Profession

Adresse der Eltern:*

Address of parents * *falls verstorben, Anschrift der Geschwister oder einer anderen Person, die im Notfall benachrichtigt werden kann.

*if deceased, address of brother/sister or other person who should be informed in an emergency.

IV. Angaben über das Studienziel, das in Deutschland erreicht werden soll.

Details of proposed study goal in Germany

1. Wozu soll Ihr Studium in der Bundesrepublik dienen? (Zutreffendes bitte ankreuzen)

What is the purpose of your studies in the Federal Republic? (mark as appropriate)

Fortführung des bisherigen Fachstudiums

Continuation of previous studies

Aufnahme eines zusätzlichen (anderen) Fachstudiums

Commence an additional (other) field of study

Legen Sie bitte dem Bewerbungsbogen ein Blatt bei, auf dem Sie ausführlich Studienziel und –plan inhaltlich darstellen und einen zeitlichen Rahmen abstecken.

Please append a sheet to your application, giving details of your study goal and your study plan, and an indication of the proposed timetable.

2. Falls Sie innerhalb der Förderungsdauer einen Studienabschluss erreichen können, welche Art von Abschlussexamen

streben Sie an? (Zutreffendes bitte ankreuzen)

If you could complete a course of study during the period of sponsorship, which type of degree would you aim at?

Master: Hauptfach:

Master's degree: Main subject

1. Nebenfach:

1st subsidiary subject

2. Nebenfach:

2nd subsidiary subject

Diplom: Hauptfach:

Diploma: Main subject

Staatsexamen: Hauptfach:

State examination: Main subject

1. Nebenfach:

1st subsidiary subject

2. Nebenfach:

2nd subsidiary subject

Promotion: Hauptfach:

Graduation: Main subject

1. Nebenfach:

1st subsidiary subject

2. Nebenfach:

2nd subsidiary subject

3. Möchten Sie an einer bestimmten deutschen Universität bzw. bei einem bestimmten Professor studieren?

Do you wish to study at a particular German university or with a particular professor?

Universität:

University

Professor:

4. Welche Vorarbeiten für das in Deutschland geplante Studium haben Sie geleistet?

What preparatory work have you carried out for your planned course of studies in Germany?

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VII. Sprachkenntnisse / Languages spoken: gut / mittel / gering

bisheriger Deutschunterricht / previous German language courses: good / fair / slight

von: bis: in:

from to in

mit welchem Abschluß / final examination: Note / mark:

VIII. Berufsziel / Professional goal

Ich beabsichtige, nach Rückkehr in mein Heimatland tätig zu werden als:

On returning to my home country, I intend to work as:

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(Ort / Place)

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(Datum / Date)

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(Unterschrift / Signature)