



Call for Applications: Scholarship for study and research stays at Saxon universities or The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

The Saxon State Ministry for Science and Art offers scholarships for study and research stays at The Hebrew University of Jerusalem or Saxon universities, respectively. The scholarships are granted as part of a cooperation agreement between Saxon universities and the Hebrew University of Jerusalem.

Eligibility:

- (1) Graduate students on research track, PhD students, Postdoctoral Fellows and young researchers up to a maximum of 5 years after their doctorate, who are enrolled or employed at a Saxon university or at The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, from the fields of Political Science, International Relations, Economics, Law, Sociology, Social Psychology, Contemporary History and Cultural Studies, whose research focuses on the field of European Studies, including German-Israeli relations and the Middle East conflict.
- (2) Scholarship holders are obliged to have their place of residence exclusively in Israel (possibly in Jerusalem) or Saxony, respectively, during the time of their stay and to name a full time faculty member of The Hebrew University of Jerusalem/a Saxon university as their mentor.

Mobility duration: 3 weeks to 6 months (mobility should be completed by 30/11/2018).

Funding:

- (1) Monthly subsidy: Graduate students: €410 per month; PhD students: €920 per month; Postdoctoral Fellows and young researchers: a maximum of €1540 per month (depending on their salary bracket).
- (2) Travel: €620 for the trip to Israel/Germany, and €210 for traveling within the country (with individual receipt). Full-time staff ('unbeurlaubt') will receive a scholarship of a maximum of what is provided according to the German Travel Expenses Act, to a maximum of €930 (€620 plus €310).
- (3) The scholarship is *not* meant to be used to cover any tuition fees.

Participating Saxon Institutions:

Universität Leipzig
Technische Universität Dresden
Technische Universität Chemnitz
Technische Universität Bergakademie Freiberg

Application:

Applications should be submitted in English, must not be more than 3 pages long, and should contain (1) Detailed study or research proposal, and (2) the exact dates of the requested stay.

Applications should be submitted to the coordinator of the scholarship program (applications handed in earlier will be considered preferentially):

Juniorprof. Dr. Patrick Brzoska Institute of Sociology at Chemnitz University of Technology Thüringer Weg 09 09107 Chemnitz

Placement decision:

Applications will be reviewed by a selection committee which consists of the above mentioned program coordinator, two professor from TU Dresden and from the University of Leipzig, and former scholarship holders.

Deadline for applications: 25 May, 2018