

Scholarships for the Post Graduate Master Programme 'Landscape Ecology and Nature Conservation (LENC)'

DAAD scholarship programme 'Development-Related Postgraduate Courses - Educating Professionals for Sustainable Development'

Background

In 2016 the international Master Programme 'Landscape Ecology and Nature Conservation (LENC)' offers up to 8 full scholarships to applicants from developing countries (**see DAC list below**).

Scholarship Grant Details

Grants for Master's students can be awarded for up to a maximum of 24 months.

The grant includes:

- Monthly scholarship installment of 750,- EUR
- Home country dependent lump-rate travel allowance
- Annually study and research subsidies, additional support for families
- Costs of insurance for health, accident and personal liability insurance in Germany
- Two-month German language course (in Germany) starting in August 2016
- Additional DAAD services like network meetings and workshops

Entry Requirements

- Bachelor of Sciences or a comparable degree with far above average results (upper third)
- 2 years of work experience in a public authority or a state or private company
- The last academic degree should not be more than six years old

Application

Please submit your application documents strictly according to the requirements described below and in the following order:

1. LENC application form

(http://www.botanik.uni-greifswald.de/msclenc/app_01.html)

2. DAAD application form

(http://www.daad.de/imperia/md/content/en/deutschland/formulare/forschungsstipendium_en.pdf)

3. Curriculum vitae with photo, signature and date

Please use the format "europass" (see <http://europass.cedefop.europa.eu/>)

4. Letter of motivation:

Please add in your motivation letter a reference how you intend to your current employment

Please add a hand signature and date to your motivation letter

5. Reference letters

Please add an academic letter/s of recommendation from your university; the letter must have a signature official letter head, office stamp and must be of recent date (not in a sealed envelope).

Please add additionally a professional letter/s of recommendation from your employer; the letter must have a signature and office stamp and must be of recent date (not in a sealed envelope).

6. Proof of current and previous work situation

Please submit a confirmation of employment from the employer in your home country. It has to include your exact position(s) and period(s) of employment (monthly basis: e.g. from 1/2011 – 7/2013). This dated statement(s) has/have to have a letter head and signature of the employee. Together all certificates should cover a period of 2 years at least. Employments parallel to studying or internship periods will not be accepted. Ideally, the statement entails a guarantee of re-employment upon your return home. Ideally in the letter of reference from your employer(s) a statement is included, guaranteeing re-employment after completion of the postgraduate course in Germany.

7. Certification of English language skills

IELTS (minimum score: Band 6.0) or TOEFL (minimum score: 550 paper based, 213 computer based, 80 internet based).

8. Copies of awarded academic degrees

9. Copies of academic transcripts

10. Copy of School Leaving Certificate

11. Additional application formalities for Cameroon, Nigeria and China: Applications from Cameroon, Myanmar and Nigeria must be submitted via the German Embassy (please contact the German Embassy in time regarding information about the deadlines). Applicants from the People's Republic of China are asked to submit an APS Certificate, as well as 2 address labels written in Chinese characters with their application documents.

All submitted applications forms, including all required documents, copies, etc. become property of the DAAD. The applicant has no right to payment or reimbursement. No documents will be returned.

Application deadline: December 15th, 2015

Applications have to be sent via e-mail to the LENC coordination office (see address below).

Contact and Information

LENC Coordination Office

Institute of Botany and Landscape Ecology

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Further Information

<http://www.botanik.uni-greifswald.de/msclenc>

<http://www.agep-info.de/master>

<https://www.daad.de/pgc>

DAC List of developing countries

Europa	Afrika	Amerika	Asien	Ozeanien
Albanien	nördlich der Sahara	Nord- und Mittelamerika	Naher und Mittlerer Osten	Cookinseln
Bosnien und Herzegowina	Ägypten	Antigua und Barbuda	Irak	Fidschi
Kosovo ²⁾	Algerien	Belize	Iran	Kiribati
Mazedonien	Libyen	Costa Rica	Jemen	Marshallinseln
Moldau, Rep.	Marokko	Dominica	Jordanien	Mikronesien
Montenegro	Tunesien	Dominikanische Republik	Libanon	Nauru
Serbien ²⁾		El Salvador	Palästinensische Gebiete	Niue
Türkei	südlich der Sahara	Grenada	Syrien	Palau
Ukraine	Angola	Guatemala		Papua-Neuguinea
Weißrussland	Äquatorialguinea	Haiti	Süd- und Zentralasien	Salomonen
	Äthiopien	Honduras	Afghanistan	Samoa
	Benin	Jamaika	Armenien	Tokelau
	Botsuana	Kuba	Aserbajdschan	Tonga
	Burkina Faso	Mexiko	Bangladesch	Tuvalu
	Burundi	Montserrat	Bhutan	Vanuatu
	Côte d'Ivoire	Nicaragua	Georgien	Wallis und Futuna
	Dschibuti	Panama	Indien	
	Eritrea	St. Lucia	Kasachstan	
	Gabun	St. Vincent Grenadinen	Kirgisistan	
	Gambia		Malediven	
	Ghana	Südamerika	Myanmar	
	Guinea	Argentinien	Nepal	
	Guinea-Bissau	Bolivien	Pakistan	
	Kamerun	Brasilien	Sri Lanka	
	Kap Verde	Chile	Tadschikistan	
	Kenia	Ecuador	Turkmenistan	
	Komoren	Guyana	Usbekistan	
	Kongo	Kolumbien		Ostasien
	Kongo, Dem. Rep.	Paraguay	China	Indonesien
	Lesotho	Peru	Indonesien	Kambodscha
	Liberia	Suriname	Kambodscha	Korea, DVR
	Madagaskar	Uruguay	Laos	Laos
	Malawi	Venezuela	Malaysia	Malaysia
	Mali		Mongolei	Mongolei
	Mauretanien		Philippinen	Philippinen
	Mauritius		Thailand	Thailand
	Mosambik		Timor-Leste	Timor-Leste
	Namibia		Vietnam	Vietnam
	Niger			
	Nigeria			
	Ruanda			
	Sambia			
	São Tomé und Príncipe			
	Senegal			
	Seychellen			
	Sierra Leone			
	Simbabwe			
	Somalia			
	St. Helena			
	Sudan			
	Südafrika			
	Südsudan			
	Swasiland			
	Tansania			
	Togo			
	Tschad			
	Uganda			
	Zentralafrikan. Republik			

July 3rd, 2015