

Bridgeover Scholarship for the year 2023

For doctoral students, postdoctoral and habilitation candidates (Förderlinie A und B)

The Europa-Universität Viadrina strives, within the context of its Equality- & Familyconcept, to support junior scientists with children, care-work or other family tasks.

The Scholarship is financed by funding from the federate state Brandenburg. It is designed for doctorates, post-doctoral researcher and habilitation candidates, who had to take a family-caused hiatus or had other difficulties working on their scientific qualification purpose due to family tasks.

Who can apply:

- Doctoral students
- Postdoctoral researcher and
- Habilitation candidates

Of all disciplines and nationalities whose qualification purpose is looked after by a professor tied to the Viadrina.

Requirements for the application

- A completed academic education/degree or a completed doctoral degree
- Family tasks as a custodian for a child up to the age of 8/as caretaker for a care-dependent relative (§ 7 subparagraph 3 & 4 PflegeZG)
- Outstanding achievements in their field of work and
- A written assurance concerning the doctorate advise (Betreuungszusage) by a professor tied to the Viadrina

Appropriation period

1-6 months from April to December 2023

Amount of Scholarship:

1.350 Euro per month for graduates

1.650 Euro per months for post-doctorates and habilitation candidates

For children and foster children within the meaning of Section 32 (1) EStG up to the age of 18.

On application, a child allowance can be granted in the form of a monthly lump sum of 155 euros. For each additional child, the lump sum increases by 50 euros up to a maximum of 255 euros per month. Children of life partners of applicants within the meaning of the German Civil Partnership Act (Lebenspartnerschaftsgesetz) and of spouses up to the age of 18 can be taken into account if they live in the household of the scholarship applicant. Please provide proof of this, e.g. a certificate from the relevant residents' registration office.

Application documents:

- Applications form Bridgeover Scholarship
- Curriculum vitae
- Exposé including timetable, index and bibliography
- A written assurance, by a professor of the Viadrina, concerning the scientific tie of the applicant to the EUV
- A report from the PhD/habil. academic advisor (Evaluation of the academic accomplishments of the applicant and estimation of the effects the scholarship would have on the result of the

qualification purpose, confirmation that the qualification purpose will be completed during the requested time period (Scholarship time period)) **Note:** Since the scholarships will be evaluated with regard to their effectiveness, a final report is required after the scholarship has expired.

- Certificate of completed university degree and, if existing, a certificate of the completed doctorate
- Suitable demonstration of the personal income during the requested scholarship time period (salary certificate, Scholarships). Your income can be attested by last years' tax assessment. If you current financial situation is different from that, please attest your instantaneous financial situation.
- Certificate of birth of the child(ren) or for not biological children a verification of living together (verification is obtainable at the towns registration office)
- Attest of level of care for the care-dependent relatives

Application Deadline:

20th of February 2023

Please send your application solely electronically (1 PDF, max. 2 MB) via Mail to familie@europa-uni.de, please title the email "Abschlussstipendium". The application has to be received by the family service until the 20th of February 2023. The report from the academic advisor can be submitted separately.

The selection of the scholars will be discussed by the commission for awarding funds in the realm of research and junior scientists at the Europa-Universität Viadrina.

For more information, please look up the guideline for awarding Bridging Scholarship for people with family tasks and Graduations-Scholarship for women (*Brückenstipendien bei Familienaufgaben und Abschlussstipendien für Frauen*), by following this link: www.europa-uni.de/familie

For further information, contact the family service:

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