

# Funding Options for Internships

## 1. Müller-Fahnenberg Foundation (Müller-Fahnenberg Stiftung)

The faculty's Müller-Fahnenberg Foundation is offering financial support for travel costs related to internships but also to field research. The call is usually published in April and the deadline for application is in May. Applicants will be informed in July/August about the decision of the foundation committee and funds will be paid as from September/October.

! The Internship/field research has to be finished before handing in the application and travel cost receipts/proofs need to be attached to your application.

! Application is only possible after the call has been sent to you by e-mail, not before.

For the application you have to submit:

- a letter in which you
  - explain for what you apply
  - describe your financial situation
  - list the expected travel costs (as precise a possible)
  - add your postal address and
  - your bank account
- your internship contract (or a printed e-mail which confirms your internship placement)

The chances to get at least a partial funding through the Müller-Fahnenberg-Foundation are very high.

## 2. ERASMUS Student Mobility Placements (SMP)

Erasmus SMP is providing scholarships for internships in EU countries as well as Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway, Croatia, Switzerland and Turkey. Applications have to be submitted at the EU-office of our University. More information (although the English website is not up-to-date) [here](#).

Chances to get the funding are very high.

## 3. Freunde der Universität e.V.

This association is supporting Master students of Freiburg University with (among others) funds for internships abroad. Unfortunately, the website is available only in German. More information [here](#).

## 4. DAAD PROMOS

With the [PROMOS internship abroad](#) (except EU+) DAAD provides German universities with the means to help facilitate short stays abroad, but only outside of Europe. The programme is managed by the International Office. There are two types of application forms, depending on the length of your internship:

- [Duration 6 to 10 weeks](#)
- [Duration 10 weeks to 6 months](#)

## 5. DAAD Kurzstipendien (short scholarships)

Only for internships at international organisations like EU, UN, Worldbank etc.

[Website](#) is only in German, but international students who are enrolled at a German university can apply too.

## 6. STUBE-BW / BSPA

→ Only for students from Africa, Asia, Latin America and Eastern Europe

The [BSPA programme](#) provides support for or an internship in the home or in a neighbouring country. They pay airfares and monthly travel allowances. It is required that applicants must have participated in minimum 2 [STUBE seminars](#).

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### **Attention DAAD/EPOS scholarship holders!**

You have to apply for internship travel costs at DAAD; the funding is part of your scholarship. You are not entitled to apply for the funding options above mentioned.

If you have a paid internship and earn more than 400€ per month you have to inform DAAD. In this case, your scholarship will be reduced or waived, depending on your salary.