Staatliche Hochschule
für Musik und Darstellende Kunst Stuttgart
University of Music and Performing Arts
Announcement of scholarships
Remission for international students

On the basis of the Charter related to the award of grants and waiver of tuition for international students (Grant Charter) accepted by the Senate of the Staatliche Hochschule für Musik und Darstellende Kunst Stuttgart (HMDK) on 4 October 2017, HMDK offers scholarships for international students.

1 Eligibility
Students enrolled at HMDK, as well as potential students who have applied for a study place, have already been accepted for studies and who do not have the nationality of a member State of the European Union or another contracting State of the Agreement on the European Economic Area (international students) may apply for a scholarship.

2 Study support
So-called Basic Grants as well as other grants are awarded. Subsidized students who receive a Basic Grant are exempted from the study tuition fee for international students pursuant to the Baden Wuerttemberg Land Act on Tuition Fees. Subsidized students who are awarded another grant receive financial support in an amount determined by the awarding committee based on the funds available. The tuition fee for international students is waived or refunded in said amount. If the financial support granted exceeds the fees to be paid by the student or if the student is not subject to paying the fee for other reasons, the student receives a payout.

3 Selection procedure
The awarding committee is responsible for determination of the grant of a scholarship. The committee is made up of the members of the extended rector’s office. The Equal Opportunity Commissioner and a representative of the ASTA (Allgemeiner Studierenden Ausschuss - Students’ Union Executive Committee) participate in the meetings in an advisory capacity.

4 Form of application, documents to be submitted and closing date for applications
The application may be submitted in writing or via e-mail. The application must comprise the requisite information and be accompanied by the relevant documentation on which the awarding commission is to base its decision. The scholarships are awarded based on ability and achievement as well as the applicant’s social situation. In addition to the background, development and achievements made so far, the applicant’s social commitment, willingness to assume responsibility and other special social, familial, personal or economic circumstances are considered. For further details please refer to the awarding statute.
The application must specifically contain the following information:

- Information on the citizenship of the applicant (e.g. copy of residence permit)
- Information on your personal and artistic career. Achievements and ability can be documented in particular as follows:
  - For new students: by their particular artistic ability qualifying them to study at the HMDK.
  - For the continuation of a scholarship for students already enrolled: by their study achievements so far, particularly the artistic examinations.
- For substantiation, e.g. report cards, documents on artistic success and/or statements by lecturers/instructors can be attached. Please only submit copies, as the documents cannot be returned.

Please send your application - if possible via e-mail –

before 14 October 2019

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