

# MERIT SCHOLARSHIP for the academic year 2021/22

According to § 57 Studienförderungsgesetz (StudFG) study grant act, merit scholarships exist to award outstanding degree work. Students with Austrian citizenship, those who are considered equivalent to Austrian citizens, and stateless persons according to § 4 StudFG can be awarded a scholarship.

A merit scholarship cannot be less than € 750 and cannot be more than € 1,500. According to § 61 (3) StudFG, the university body responsible for study matters awards the grant. There is no entitlement to a grant.

## **A Requirements according to § 60 StudFG**

1. Compliance with entitlement period of the relevant stage of a degree programme according to § 18 (this is the legally defined period of study plus one additional semester), taking into account possible important reasons stipulated in § 19 (e.g. pregnancy, military service, etc.)
2. Average grade of the examinations, courses and academic papers referred to for the assessment cannot be lower than 2.0.\*)
3. Compliance with the submission requirements: Submission of transcript (from 01.10.2021 to 30.09.2022).

\*) minimum requirement to be taken into account in selection process.

Further information on additional requirements:

- At least 60 ECTS must be completed within one academic year
- NAWI Graz students can only apply for a merit scholarship at their “original” university.
- Ranking is based on the average grade and the best 60 ECTS.

The application is made via the [online form](#).

Submission deadline: November 4<sup>th</sup>, 2022

If you have any questions, please contact the Dean's Office for Technical Chemistry, Chemical and Process Engineering, Biotechnology ([studien.tcvb@tugraz.at](mailto:studien.tcvb@tugraz.at)).