

BMZ-Scientific Literature Programme

What is the aim?

Support former scholarship holders as well as former German studies scholarship holders advance their academic and linguistic knowledge.

Who can apply?

- Former DAAD scholarship holders (who received support for a period of at least 10 months) from developing countries as well as
- former DAAD German studies scholarship holders (who received support for a period of at least 5 months) from developing countries

and who returned to their home country. Not eligible to apply are former scholarship holders from all members of the European Union.

What can you apply for?

Scientific books. As a general rule, scientific literature can ONLY be delivered to your home country.

What should the application include?

Your PKZ (Personal Identification Number)

Type and Extent of Support

- 1) Scientific literature up to a maximum value of € 200 can be applied for **once a year**.
- 2) Grants for scientific books can only be approved if produced by German-language publishers.

Procedure

Online-orders: The password-protected Service Area for Alumni on the DAAD website (<https://alumni.daad.de/profil/login>) enables you to submit direct orders online to the DAAD. However, to be able to do this you need your DAAD personal identification number (PKZ - Persönliche Kennziffer). You benefit by having a user-friendly overview of all available literature, including their price. If you access this page for the first time and require a User-ID and password simply complete the initial registration.

In case of queries about the log-in please contact per e-mail: [alumni\(at\)daad.de](mailto:alumni(at)daad.de).

The applications will be examined as to what extent it helps advance the academic and linguistic knowledge of the former scholarship holders. The respective field of studies for which a DAAD scholarship was granted is taken as a basis.

Application Deadline

Applications can be placed **once a year only** (from January 1st until October 31st). Please note that longer delivery times must be expected.

Contact Address and further information

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