

Hirschmann Scholarship Spring 2025

Scholarship holders

Dario Allgäuer

Place of residence: Hergiswil NW

University of Applied Sciences: Lucerne University of Applied Sciences and Arts (HSLU)

Bachelor: Mechanical engineering

Master: Engineering (Energy and Environment)

Career goals: Engineer in process and energy technology.



Lisa Bach

Place of residence: Zurich

University of Applied Sciences: Zurich University of the Arts (ZHdK)

Bachelor: Game Design

Master: Game Design

Career goals: Game Developer.



Stavros Balis

Place of residence: Zurich

University of Applied Sciences: Zurich University of the Arts (ZHdK)

Bachelor: Architecture

Master: Theater

Career goals: Stage Designer, Multimedia Artist, Theater Maker, Architect.



Nikola Bankov

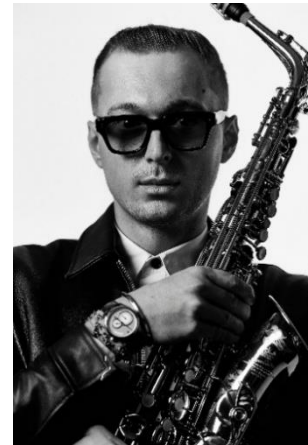
Place of residence: Zurich

University of Applied Sciences: Zurich University of the Arts (ZHdK)

Bachelor: Rhythmic Music (Saxophone)

Master: Music (Performance, Major in Jazz & World Music)

Career goals: To perform my original music around the world, to collaborate with my heroes and to teach young and aspiring students.



Cyril Bouilloux

Places of residence: Basel, Offenburg, Strasbourg

University of Applied Sciences: University of Applied Sciences and Arts Northwestern Switzerland (FHNW)

Bachelor: Energy and Environmental Engineering

Master: Sustainable Business Development (trintational)

Career goals: As a responsible leader or with my own company, I strive to develop solutions for sustainability issues and actively combat climate change.



Daniela Charraga Garcia

Place of residence: Basel

University of Applied Sciences: University of Applied Sciences and Arts Northwestern Switzerland (FHNW)

Bachelor: Biomedical Sciences

Master: Data Science in Life Sciences

Career goals: Bioinformatician with focus on cancer genomics.



Federico Donghi

Place of residence: Lugano

University of Applied Sciences: University of Applied Sciences And Arts of Southern Switzerland (SUPSI)

Bachelor: Engineering and Management

Master: Engineering (Business Engineering)

Career goals: To work in the field of industrial innovation and automation, with a focus on sustainable process optimization.



Julia Fanger

Place of residence: Neuhausen am Rheinfall

University of Applied Sciences: Zurich University of Applied Sciences (ZHAW)

Bachelor: Modern Languages and Intercultural Communication

Master: Applied Linguistics (Specialized Translation, Multilingual Communication Management)

Career goals: Independent translator and language service provider or employment in the language/social sector.



Jaspar Fucker

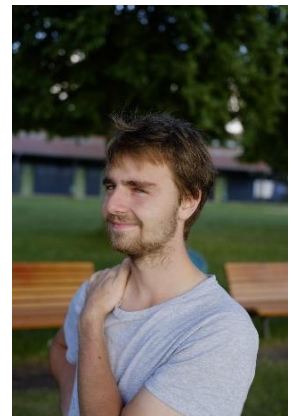
Place of residence: MuttENZ

University of Applied Sciences: University of Applied Sciences and Arts Northwestern Switzerland (FHNW)

Bachelor: Biotechnology

Master: Life Sciences (Biotechnology)

Career goals: Process engineer (Pharma / Biotechnology).



Tobias Hirsbrunner

Place of residence: Bern

University of Applied Sciences:
University of Applied Sciences and Arts
Northwestern Switzerland (FHNW)

Bachelor: Energy and Environmental
Engineering

Master: Engineering (Energy and
Environment)

Career goals: Engineer in the field of renewable energies.



SueJin Hong

Place of residence: Winterthur

University of Applied Sciences: Zurich University of the
Arts (ZHdK)

Bachelor: Fine Arts

Master: Fine Arts

Career goals: To develop artistic works that engage
critically with history, technology, and environmental
change across different disciplines.



Katja Kleikemper

Place of residence: Lucerne

University of Applied Sciences: Zurich University of Applied
Sciences (ZHAW)

Bachelor: Biotechnology

Master: Life Sciences (Pharmaceutical Biotechnology)

Career goals: Research and development of new drugs and
therapeutic approaches.



Sandra Kollat Menon

Place of residence: Winterthur

University of Applied Sciences: Zurich University of Applied Sciences (ZHAW)

Bachelor: Mechanical Engineering

Master: Engineering (Mechatronics and Automation)

Career goals: Systems engineer with a focus on sustainable start-ups.



Lovina Maja König

Place of residence: Zurich

University of Applied Sciences: Zurich University of the Arts (ZHdK)

Bachelor: Major in Education & Psychology, Minor in Popular Cultures

Master: Theater (interdisciplinary)

Career goals: Choreographer.



Lucas Krebs

Place of residence: Basel

University of Applied Sciences: University of Applied Sciences And Arts Northwestern Switzerland (FHNW)

Bachelor: Chemistry

Master: Life Sciences (Bioanalytics)

Career goals: I am seeking a position in (bio)analytical development and would like to take on a leadership role in the medium term, helping to shape and develop innovative projects and interdisciplinary teams.



Ingrid Maillard

Place of residence: Grolley

University of Applied Sciences: University of Applied Sciences and Arts Northwestern Switzerland (FHNW)

Bachelor: Life Sciences (Analytical and Bioanalytical Chemistry)

Master: Life Sciences (Analytical Chemistry)

Career goals: Teacher at a vocational school for apprentice laboratory technicians, while remaining active in the industrial sector.



Ramon Marti

Place of residence: St. Erhard (LU)

University of Applied Sciences: Zurich University of Applied Sciences (ZHAW)

Bachelor: Communication Science and Media Research (Minor: Environmental Sciences)

Master: Applied Linguistics (Communication Management)

Career goals: Communication management in an organization/NGO/startup that is also committed to social or environmental goals, in Switzerland or abroad.



Seyedeh Azam Monfared

Place of residence: Bern

University of Applied Sciences: Bern University of Applied Sciences (BFH)

Bachelor: Conservation

Master: Conservation-Restoration

Career goals: Restorer in the field of architecture.



Corentin Pannatier

Place of residence: Geneva and Vétroz

University of Applied Sciences: University of Applied Sciences and Arts Western Switzerland (HES-SO)

Bachelor: History, Economics and Society

Master: Social Work

Career goals: Social sciences researcher – head of a social institution/association – adult educator and social work teacher.



Kai Reinacher

Place of residence: Wädenswil

University of Applied Sciences: Zurich University of Applied Sciences (ZHAW)

Bachelor: Integrative Biology

Master: Life Sciences (Preneurship for Regenerative Food Systems)

Career goals: Social entrepreneur in development cooperation.



Angela Rickli

Place of residence: Zurich

University of Applied Sciences: Kalaidos University of Applied Sciences

Bachelor: Business Administration (Business Psychology)

Master: Business Psychology (International Management & Leadership)

Career goals: Strategic management or leadership role at the intersection of business, psychology, innovation, and sustainable human resources development. At a later stage, share my knowledge through teaching, coaching, continuing education, or as a lecturer.



Nina Schmit

Place of residence: Hedingen

University of Applied Sciences: Zurich
University of Applied Sciences (ZHAW)

Bachelor: Biotechnology

Master: Life Sciences (Pharmaceutical
Biotechnology)



Career goals: I am seeking a position in pharmaceutical research and development so that I can play an active role in the creation of new drugs and develop innovative solutions to existing challenges such as compliance issues and side effects. My goal is to use scientific work to simplify the application of drugs, increase their effectiveness, and thus improve patient care in the long term.

Leoni Trips

Place of residence: Basel

University of Applied Sciences: University of Applied
Sciences and Arts Northwestern Switzerland (FHNW)

Bachelor: Music (baroque violin / baroque viola)

Master: Music performance

Career goals: As a musician, it is important to me to move people and bring them together, whether on stage, in the rehearsal room, or in the audience through my violin playing and artistic direction. I aim to create spaces for moving and collaborative communication through precise and open artistic work.



Lukas Tschannen

Place of residence: Zurich

University of Applied Sciences: Zurich University of Applied Sciences (ZHAW)

Bachelor: Business Engineering

Master: Accounting and Controlling

Career goals: Business Controller, CFO.



Jonas Wettstein

Place of residence: Alpnach Dorf

University of Applied Sciences: Zurich University of Applied Sciences (ZHAW)

Bachelor: Chemistry

Master: Life Sciences (Chemistry)

Career goals: I would like to work in medical research and development to help develop new drugs and therapies for serious diseases. I am particularly interested in combining scientific work and practical application — from early research to production — with the aim of sustainably improving treatment options for patients.



Michael Wyss

Place of residence: Kehrsatz

University of Applied Sciences: Bern University of Applied Sciences (BFH)

Bachelor: Architecture

Master: Architecture

Career goals: Self-employed architect specializing in urban planning, sustainable construction methods, and social responsibility in planning and design, as well as teaching in the field of architecture.



Dorothea Zimmermann

Place of residence: Ludwigshafen am Rhein

University of Applied Sciences: Zurich University of Applied Sciences (ZHAW)

Bachelor: Physiotherapy

Master: Physiotherapy (Pediatrics)

Career goals: Research in pediatric physical therapy, independent consulting to support motor development in babies and children.

