

Hirschmann Scholarship Spring 2026

Scholarship holders

Benaoudia Amel

Place of residence: Geneva

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

Bachelor: Radiologic Medical Imaging Technology

Master: Health Sciences

Career goals: Radiology Department Manager



Blumer Desirée

Place of residence: Brunnen

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

Bachelor: Business Engineering – Innovation

Master: MSE Business Engineering

Career goals: I would like to pursue a PhD in Operations Management alongside a role in supply chain or manufacturing. I see myself working in the automotive, aerospace or maritime industries.



Brülisauer Aaron

Place of residence: Wettingen

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

Bachelor: Data Science

Master: MSE Data Science

Career goals: Data Scientist



Dössegger Micha

Place of residence: Eiken

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

Bachelor: Mechanical Engineering

Master: MSE Energy and Environment

Career goals: Research and Development Engineer



Espin Anaëlle

Place of residence: Delémont

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

Bachelor: French State Diploma of Social Work (D.E.A.S.S)

Master: Master of Arts HES-SO en Travail social

Career goals: PhD candidate in Social Work and aspiring researcher focusing on action research in New Public Management (NPM), social policy, and forms of institutional abuse.



Floor Hannah

Place of residence: Zurich

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

Bachelor: Liberal Arts and Sciences

Master: Preneurship for Regenerative Food System

Career goals: Nature regeneration facilitator



Gupta Vani Prakash

Place of residence: Lucerne

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

Bachelor: Information Technology

Master: Applied Information and Data Science

Career goals: Work in the field of Responsible AI and build technological systems that can be trusted by society



Heiniger Tanja

Place of residence: Rüegsauschachen

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

Bachelor: Social Work

Master: Life Sciences – Agricultural Science

Career goals: Applied research and development of sustainable cultivation methods



Heinzmann Jimmy

Place of residence: Dübendorf

University of Applied Sciences: Kalaidos University of Applied Sciences Switzerland – Careum School of Health

Bachelor: Nursing

Master: Nursing

Career goals: I aim to work as an Advanced Practice Nurse (APN), drive the evidence-based development of nursing practice, and assume a clinical leadership role in the long term.



Iseli Lara Elena

Place of residence: Lengnau BE

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

Bachelor: Business Psychology

Master: Applied Psychology

Career goals: I want to connect people and organizations that genuinely fit together, and to refine systems so that they work better for people. Additionally, I would like to conduct research in this field and pass this knowledge on to future generations.



Kernen Sabrina Michelle

Place of residence: Wädenswil

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

Bachelor: Natural Resource Sciences

Master: Environment and Natural Resources

Career goals: Work in the field of wildlife ecology and wildlife management



Mazacek Jan

Place of residence: Eptingen

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

Bachelor: Mechanical Engineering

Master: MSE Energy and Environment

Career goals: Research and development engineer with a focus on simulation technologies



Monfort Marina

Place of residence: Zurich

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

Bachelor: Vocal Performance

Master: Music Performance – Major Voice

Career goals: My professional goal is to build an international career as a freelance opera soloist. At the same time, I would be honored to become a member of a distinguished professional ensemble in Switzerland.



Müller Irina

Place of residence: Basel

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

Bachelor: Theatre Education / space&design Strategies

Master: Theatre

Career goals: Independent artist in the fields of theatre, theatre education, performance and site specific arts.



Ospina Savdie Isabella

Place of residence: Cavigliano

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

Bachelor: Performing Arts

Master: Physical Theatre

Career goals: Applying research as a performing artist focused on physical theatre to social and artistic fields, always using encounter and play as a fundamental axis.



Rawson Ruby

Place of residence: Zurich

University of Applied Sciences: University of applied sciences and Arts (ZHdK)

Bachelor: Acting

Master: Theatre

Career goals: Director and Performer



Reissmann Leonie

Place of residence: Dübendorf

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

Bachelor: School Music – Major Violoncello

Master: Music Pedagogy – Major School Music II

Career goals: I would like to work both in music education and as a cellist. I am particularly interested in studio sessions and other projects that combine multiple art forms.



Reymond Mathilde

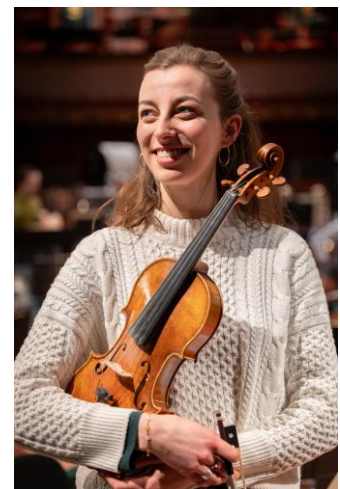
Place of residence: Le Sentier

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

Bachelor: Violin

Master: Performance

Career goals: Professional violonist



Schmid Max Mauro

Place of residence: Zurich

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

Bachelor: Media Arts

Master: Theatre

Career goals: Directing, dramaturgy, fine arts



Schmidt Matthias Aaron

Place of residence: Basel

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

Bachelor: Civil Engineering Trinationl (DE/ CH/ FR)

Master: Civil Engineering – Structural Engineering

Career goals: Holistic, energy-efficient building design and engineering.



Schönbeck Janik

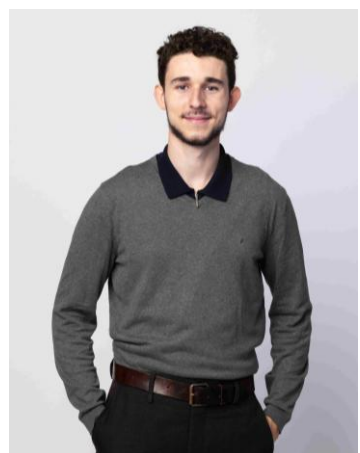
Place of residence: Wädenswil

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

Bachelor: Physiotherapy

Master: Pain Physiotherapy

Career goals: Research and teaching alongside continuing clinical practice.



Straub Mirielle

Place of residence: Basel

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

Bachelor: Social Work

Master: Social Work – Major Social Innovation

Career goals: Research Associate



Tollardo Angela

Place of residence: Zofingen

University of Applied Sciences: Bern Academy of the Arts (HKB)

Bachelor: Conservation – Major Graphics, Written Material and Photography

Master: Conservation-Restoration

Career goals: Conservator



Underwood Chloe

Place of residence: Biel

University of Applied Sciences: Bern Academy of the Arts (HKB) – Swiss Opera Studio

Bachelor: Music

Master: Music and Performance

Career goals: Professional opera singer

