

# Hirschmann Scholarship Fall 2022

Scholars and scholarship holders

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## **Maher Akraa**

Place of residence: Zurich

University of Applied Sciences: ZFH

Bachelor: Interior Architecture

Master: Design with specialisation in Trends & Identity

Career intention: In the field of Trend & Design Research / Mediation & Dialogue Design / Teaching in the Department of Media & Design



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## **Hannah Beutler**

Place of residence: Zurich

University of Applied Sciences: ZFH

Bachelor: Bachelor of Arts in School Music

Master: Master of Arts Performance

Career intention: classical singer



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## **Era Bislimi**

Place of residence: Bern

University of Applied Sciences: BFH

Bachelor: Bachelor of Science in Business Administration

Master: Master of Science in Digital Business Administration

Career intent: Business Analyst



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**Estefanía Blanco**

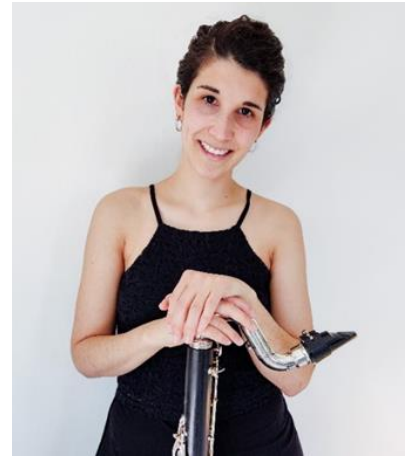
Place of residence: Zurich

University of Applied Sciences: ZFH

Bachelor: Music teacher (clarinet)

Master: Master Music Performance – Concert - Clarinet

Intention to work: Chamber and orchestral musician, clarinet teacher



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**Katja Blaser**

Place of residence: Burgdorf

University of Applied Sciences: Kalaidos

Bachelor: Bachelor of Science in Nursing

Master: Master of Science in Nursing with focus on Clinical Excellence (APN)

Career intention: Nursing expert APN, I would also like to promote the professionalisation of the nursing profession and professional policy



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**Emerson Carias**

Place of residence: Zollikofen

University of Applied Sciences: BFH

Bachelor: Environmental Sciences and Development

Master: Master of Science in Life Sciences,

Intention: Intervene to achieve the Sustainable Development Goals proposed by the United Nations, in particular: 6. Clean water and sanitation, 7. Clean energy and affordable costs, 12. Responsible consumption and production. The idea is to reinvent food production systems, away from the current agricultural model and towards resilient models. Management of water management and the use of natural resources.



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**Lhazen Chhiring**

Place of residence: Samstagern

University of Applied Sciences: FHNW

Bachelor: Business Psychology Major Work and Organisational Psychology

Master: Applied Psychology Work, Organisational and Personnel Psychology

Career intention: In the field of human resources in connection with occupational health management, personnel psychology and/or personnel development. For me, the goal of improving working conditions for employees is particularly important when choosing a career.



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**Arianna Congedi**

Place of residence: Nussbaumen near Baden

University of Applied Sciences: ZFH

Bachelor: Bachelor Music Classical, Piano

Master: Master's in Music Education Classical, Piano

Career intention: Piano teacher, performer of contemporary music and music theatre



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**Mara Danz**

Place of residence: Glarus

University of Applied Sciences: ZHDK

Bachelor: Fashion Design

Master: Art Education

Career intention: Art educator / grammar school art teacher / designer



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**Isabel Garcia Castro**

Place of residence: Lucerne

University of Applied Sciences: HSLU

Bachelor: Music

Master: Music Performance, Major Cello, Minor in Jazz

Intention to work: Professional cellist



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**Dorota Grajewska**

Place of residence: Geneve

University of Applied Sciences: HES-SO

Bachelor: Communication Design

Master: Media Design

Career intent: work for a Speculative Design Studio



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**Nico Grütter**

Place of residence: Basel

University of Applied Sciences: FHNW

Master: Biomedical Engineering

Bachelor: Medical Technology

Career intention: After graduation, an engineering position in a start-up company in the medical technology industry to gain extensive experience.



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**Elisabeth Hubmann**

Place of residence: Geneva

University of Applied Sciences: HES-SO

Bachelor: Musicology

Master: Organ

Career intention: Musician, researcher



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**Gilles Jacot**

Place of residence: Zurich

University of Applied Sciences: FHNW

Bachelor: Art

Master: Contemporary Art

Career intention:



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**Cynthia Jucker**

Place of residence: Oberglatt

University of Applied Sciences: ZHAW

Bachelor: Applied Psychology

Master: Applied Psychology

Career intention: federally recognised psychotherapist GRC (Gespräch [talk], Focusing, Körperpsychotherapie [person-centred-experienced]), in own practice



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**Sara Kashir**

Place of residence: Mendrisio, Switzerland

University of Applied Sciences: SUPSI

Bachelor: Bachelor of Environmental Studies in Urban Planning  
with Specialisation in Urban Design

Master: Master of Arts in Interaction Design

Career intent: Creative Director



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**Simon Knoch**

Place of residence: Geneva

University of Applied Sciences: BFH

Bachelor: Material and Science engineering, EPFL, Lausanne

Master: Wood Technology, BFH, Bienne

Career intention: To make progress in the world we face with all its challenges, decision makers with specific as well as global knowledges are needed. In this context, I dedicate myself to the search for sustainable solutions for daily life to bring the maximum benefit to human beings.



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**Salome Locher**

Place of residence: Kriens, LU

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

Bachelor: Social Work - Social Pedagogy

Master: Social Work - Transitions and Interventions

Career intention: Research assistant and lecturer



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**Lis Marti**

Place of residence: Bern

University of Applied Sciences: BFH

Bachelor: Music Classical, Piano

Master: Music Pedagogy Classical, Piano

Career intention: Piano teacher, freelance pianist in the field of contemporary music and interdisciplinary art projects



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**Yvonne Mattmann**

Place of residence: Thun

University of Applied Sciences: FHNW

Bachelor: Work, Organisational and Personnel Psychology

Master: Work, Organisational and Personnel Psychology

Career intention: Work in the fields of organisational development and/or safety psychology



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**Sofija Mitrova**

Place of residence: Windisch

University of Applied Sciences: FHNW

Bachelor: Energy Technology, Automation and Renewable Energy Sources

Master: Electrical Engineering

Career Intent: The most rewarding experience for me is using my skills and platform in the industry to solve the sustainability and energy problems of today and tomorrow. Creating innovative and efficient solutions in the areas of transport, energy storage and supply and contributing to the most important environmental goals for the future are what fulfils me as an engineer.



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**Gabriela Niederberger**

Place of residence: Lucerne

University of Applied Sciences: HSLU

Bachelor: Architecture

Master: Architecture

Career intention: grad. architect MA



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**Sara Rottenwoehr**

Place of residence: Meyrin

University of Applied Sciences: HES-SO

Bachelor: Visual arts

Master: Workmaster Contemporary Pra Artistic

Career intention: artist, teacher



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**Matthias Schär**

Place of residence: Solothurn

University of Applied Sciences: FHNW

Bachelor: Mechanical Engineering

Master: engineering, Mechanical Engineering

Career intention: Research activity in the field of 3D printing for medical applications.





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**Lukas Umiker**

Place of residence: Zurich

University of Applied Sciences: HSLU

Bachelor: Industrial Engineering

Master: Business Engineering

Career intent: Consulting



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**Silvan Waidmann Irastorza**

Place of residence: Bern

University of Applied Sciences: BFH

Bachelor: Product and Industrial Design

Master: MA Multimedia Communication & Publishing  
specialising in Journalism

Career intent: Data and tech journalist



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**Leonie Florina Wittwer**

Place of residence: Basel

University of Applied Sciences: FHNW

Bachelor: Bachelor of Science in Psychology

Master: Master of Science in Applied Psychology

Career intention: sustainable product development



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**Samuel Zurbriggen**

Place of residence: Visp

University of Applied Sciences: HES-SO

Bachelor: Bachelor of Science in Life Technologies, major in Biotechnology

Master: Master of Science in Life Sciences, major in Applied Biosciences

Career intention: Research & process development to produce new molecules in the field of biotechnology

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