

# Higher KOS Scholarships

Students, professionals and PostDoc researchers from Kosovo who are staff members of Kosovan public universities are invited to apply for a PhD/PostDoc fellowship for (Austrian) universities. The objective is that PhD students and PostDoc researchers will contribute to the institutional capacity development of their home institutions in Kosovo by completing their PhD studies and the PostDoc research at a university abroad.

After having finished the fellowship the scholars are obliged to return back to their home institution. Candidates already enrolled at an Austrian or foreign university are not eligible and applicants must not have studied/pursued research/pursued academic work in Austria in the last six months before taking up the grant.

## Quota

15 PhD or PostDoc scholarships (at least 5 scholarships alongside the programmatic partnerships)

## Duration of grant

- Grants for PhD Studies: 36 months (Sandwich)
- PostDoc Research Grants: 1-6 months

## Target Group

- Postgraduates (not older than 35 - born on or after Oktober 1<sup>st</sup>, 1977, or exceptionally max. 40 years in cases of considerable care responsibilities)
- PhD holders (not older than 40 years or maximum 5 years after the award of the PhD degree)

## Grant benefit paid

- Monthly grant rate (for Graduates: 940 euros, for PostDocs: 1,040 euro)
- Travel Grant: 500 euros (one time)

## Area of study or research

Natural Sciences, Technical Sciences, Medicine, Agriculture and Forestry, Veterinary Medicine, Social Sciences, Law and Economics, Humanities

## Closing date for applications

10.10.2012

## Where to submit the application

online at [www.scholarships.at](http://www.scholarships.at) only

## Information workshops

- 10. 9. 2012: University of Prishtina and University of Mitrovica
- 11. 9. 2012: University of Prizren

## Further information

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### Are you interested?

Further information, scholarship announcement, application form, etc. at:  
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