FAQ - Adlerbertska Hospitality Foundation Scholarship

Why can't I see the Adlerbertska Foreign Student Hospitality Foundation scholarship in the application system?

The application form is only available during the application period, which normally starts in January and ends in February.

I studied during the autumn semester at the University of Gothenburg. Am I eligible?

Yes. You need to have studied for three months during the scholarship year, which runs from July 1 to June 30. You do not need to be a student at the University of Gothenburg at the time of your application.

I'm studying at the University of Gothenburg during the scholarship year, but I'm not registered in the Ladok study documentation system. Am I eligible?

Yes, but you need a certificate from your department confirming that you are a student. Please send the certificate to adlerbertska@gu.se

If I am unable to apply in time, can I apply later?

No. Applications submitted after the deadline will not be considered.

When setting up an account, it says that my personal identity number is incorrect. What can I do?

Please enter your personal identity number with a hyphen (YYMMDD-NNNN) and use the Student ID number that you can find in Ladok through the <u>Student Portal</u>

Do I need to submit a CV, personal motivation letter, or anything else?

No, it is sufficient to submit the application in the application system.

Can I be granted this scholarship if I am Swedish?

No, it is only for visiting students.

Who qualifies as a guest student?

A guest student is a non-Swedish citizen who is in Sweden for the purpose of studying at the University of Gothenburg and intends to return to their home country or equivalent after completing their studies, internship, or similar. You may be a free-moving student, an exchange student, a guest researcher, etc.

What if I stay in Sweden after my studies?

You may stay in Sweden for a while after your studies, for example for an internship or similar. If you end up living permanently in Sweden, please contact us at adlerbertska@gu.se and we will guide you on how to repay your scholarship.

What is a permanent residence permit?

- A permanent residence permit allows you to live and work in Sweden for an indefinite period of time.
- If you have a student visa, then you do not have a permanent residence permit.
- If you are a European citizen, you do not automatically have a permanent residence permit.

What is a Swedish study loan from CSN?

The Swedish Board of Student Finance (CSN) is the government agency that manages Swedish student grants and loans. Please find more information on the <u>CSN webpage</u>.

If I change my Swedish address during the application period, which address should I use?

Please use the one where you stay most frequently. We mainly communicate via email, so we rarely use postal addresses.

If I receive other scholarships, can I still receive this scholarship?

Yes, if the other scholarship allows you to receive additional scholarships.

How much is the scholarship?

The amount depends on how many applicants are granted the scholarship. In recent years, the amount has been around 4,000–6,000 SEK.

When will I know if I have been awarded the scholarship?

We will contact all applicants by email in the end of April, and let them know if they received the scholarship or not.

When will the payment be made?

Payments will be made in May.

What happens if my bank information is incorrect?

Please ensure that your bank account information is correct. Incorrect bank information may result in a fee of 750 SEK. The fee will be deducted from your scholarship. The fee from our bank will not be deducted if your bank account information is correct.

My scholarship amount is different from my friend's. Why?

The difference is due to varying exchange rates between banks. Payments to Swedish bank accounts will be made in Swedish krona (SEK), payments to European bank accounts will be made in euros (EUR), and payments to countries outside the EU will be made in US dollars (USD).

I will receive a Swedish bank account after the last application date. What should I do?

Please contact us at adlerbertska@gu.se with your new bank information as soon as you receive it.

What happens if I end my studies at the university before completing three months of studies?

You must repay the scholarship. Please contact us at adlerbertska@gu.se so we can assist you.