



**I) What kind of support does the fund offer?**

- a) The emergency fund provides basic financial support for music students at Anton Bruckner Private University who are facing financial hardship due to the COVID-19 crisis.
- b) The emergency fund cannot compensate for entire monthly incomes, fees etc. It was established to support students covering their most existential expenses.

**II) Who can apply for financial support?**

All music students who are enrolled at ABPU as their primary university may apply. Scholarship holders may apply as well but they must state the scholarship amount.

**III) How are funds allocated?**

Financial support is assigned according to financial need, actual loss of earnings and resulting hardship - taking account of current assets.

**IV) How can I apply?**

Applications and allocations are processed digitally (no exceptions).

Please submit all required documents via e-mail: [notfalltopf@bruckneruni.at](mailto:notfalltopf@bruckneruni.at)

Required documents: completed application form, confirmation of enrolment, bank account statements (please see application form for details).

**V) Can I hand in documents later?**

Only in duly justified cases. Please contact [notfalltopf@bruckneruni.at](mailto:notfalltopf@bruckneruni.at) if you plan to submit documents at a later time.

**VI) What are the application deadlines?**

The application can be submitted between 14 September and 23 October 2020.

**VII) Do I have to refund the financial support?**

No. But please note that deliberate false statements about your financial situation lead to legal consequences regarding your studies.

**VIII) Where do the funds come from?**

The Ernst von Siemens Music Foundation provides this emergency funding in response to the Covid 19 pandemic for music students at the Anton Bruckner Private University.

**IX) I have further questions**

Please find up-to-date information concerning the scholarship at [www.bruckneruni.at](http://www.bruckneruni.at)

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