



Deutscher Bundestag

International Parliamentary Scholarship

Programme for African Countries 2024

IPS

Internationales Parlaments-Stipendium
des Deutschen Bundestages



Would you like to get to know the German Parliament?

The German Bundestag invites you to spend four weeks in Berlin in January 2024.

The IPS Programme for African Countries is aimed at highly qualified young people from the countries of Botswana, Namibia, South Africa, Kenya, Tanzania and Uganda who are interested in politics and who wish to make an active contribution to democracy and a vibrant civil society in their home countries after completing the programme. The German Bundestag offers you the opportunity to learn about the German parliamentary system during an intensive programme. The programme includes a one-week internship with a Member of the German Bundestag to gain first-hand experience of parliamentary work and to make contact with political decision-makers.

An independent selection committee of the German Bundestag will select the scholarship holders.

The scholarship

Participants will receive a stipend of 700 euros. In addition, shared accommodation in an apartment complex will be provided free of charge, and travel costs to and from Berlin will be covered, as well as health, accident and personal liability insurance.



Alumni of the
programme years
2020-2022
(IPS Africa)

Application requirements

- Citizenship of one of the six participating countries
- Under 30 years of age at the start of the scholarship
- University degree
- Good knowledge of German
- An interest in politics, and social/political commitment

Application deadline: 15 July 2023

- Full details of how to apply and the application form can be found at www.bundestag.de/ips_afrikanisch. Dort finden Sie auch den Bewerbungsbogen.
- Please complete the application form (in German) and send it together with the required documents to the German Embassy in your home country as a single PDF file. Please name the file with your surname first, followed by your first name (surname-first name.pdf).

Parliamentary Coordination

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