



The Faculty of Natural Sciences at the University of Hohenheim is offering

**four scholarships for outstanding participants  
in the Research Training Group "Biodiversity through time"**

who are at the beginning of their doctoral studies. The scholarships will be awarded in the amount of 1500 Euro per month for a period of three years, starting in Dezember 2024. An extension is not possible. Applicants must meet the formal requirements for admission to doctoral studies at the Faculty of Natural Sciences at the University of Hohenheim. If not already done, an application for admission to the Faculty of Natural Sciences must be submitted with the application; the scholarship may be awarded subject to acceptance by the Faculty. Please note that scholarship holders must apply for and participate in the Faculty's doctoral program "Biodiversity through times". If not, the application for admission to the Ph.D. program (<https://natur.uni-hohenheim.de/en/doctoral-study-program-n>) must also be submitted. The four Ph.D. projects will deal with the following topics (areas), whereby the applications must be submitted on a topic-specific basis:

- Learning from the past and conserving for the future: Temporal dynamics of multi-diversity in biodiversity hotspots in Baden-Württemberg (Pierre Liancourt, SMNS & Frank Schurr, UHOH)
- Adaptive Introgression and Biodiversity Dynamics in the Arion Slug Complex (Ricardo Pereira, SMNS & Martin Hasselmann, UHOH)
- Spatiotemporal drivers of insect biodiversity and its decline across Germany (Michael Orr, SMNS, Christian Rabeling, UHOH)

- Hidden biodiversity during climate change – Avian Malaria in Baden-Württemberg: Haemosporidian parasites in resident and migratory bird species (Friederike Woog, SMNS & Ute Mackenstedt, UHOH)

For non-subject-specific information on applying as a doctoral candidate, please contact the Graduate Academy Hohenheim (<https://www.uni-hohenheim.de/en/state-graduate-support>). Applications as a pdf file with all documents and detailed information should be sent by e-mail to the chairman of the Doctoral Committee Natural Sciences (100), Prof. Dr. Reinhard Kohlus: [promotion-natur@uni-hohenheim.de](mailto:promotion-natur@uni-hohenheim.de). The deadline for this application is 09/30/2024. Please note that only complete applications will be considered. The application form is available from the Graduate Academy: <https://www.uni-hohenheim.de/en/state-graduate-support>.