

## Study costs | Education time needed

(so-called Bildungsurlaub)

Tuition fees are not charged. However, when registering and re-registering for the next semester, there are costs such as the semester ticket, a contribution to material costs, the social contribution to the studierendenWERK BERLIN and the contribution to the student body of the EHB. The total amount per semester is currently about 340 euros.

In accordance with the Berlin Education Time Act / Bildungszeitgesetz (as of 01.03.2022), this course of study constitutes a recognized educational event pursuant to section § 10 paragraph 5.

## Deutschlandstipendium / Germany stipend

For more information on the Deutschlandstipendium at EHB, please contact:

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## BAföG

The study program is not eligible for funding under the Federal Training Assistance Act / Bundesausbildungsförderungsgesetz (BAföG).

## Housing options & social counselling

You are looking for an affordable room or apartment for your study stay in Berlin or you need support e.g. with social or legal questions? For more information about rent and living arrangements in the dormitories of the studierendenWERK BERLIN and about the social counselling service, please contact us:

### studierendenWERK BERLIN

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## The university

The Evangelische Hochschule Berlin (EHB) / Protestant University of Applied Sciences Berlin is a performance-oriented educational and research institution for the forward-looking and community-promoting SAGE occupational fields of social work, health/nursing, education and in the community. Around 1,600 students, more than 60 full-time professors/lecturers and around 200 lecturers learn, teach and research at one of the oldest training centres for social professions in Germany, which can look back on an educational tradition dating back to 1904.

The recognized high quality of teaching at EHB is characterised by intensive and professional support for students. The EHB maintains good contacts with sponsors and institutions of the social and health economy as well as with institutions of the Diakonie and the Protestant Church. In addition, there are cooperation and project partnerships with colleges and universities in Germany and abroad. The EHB is considered a competent partner for practice-oriented teaching and application-oriented research.

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## INFORMATION ON THE MASTER'S PROGRAM

# Counselling in Social Work

Master of Arts program  
consecutive – part-time occupational

Designing consulting processes and  
accompanying self-empowerment

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## Structure and content of the study program

The standard period of study is six semesters on a part-time basis (90 credit points). The consecutive part-time course of study is aimed at students who work practically as consultants in a field of social work. The program is modular and combines theory and practice. The content of the program is based on three pillars:

### Theoretical references

- Social challenges and psycho-social counselling needs
- The fundamentals of counselling science
- Application-oriented counselling research

### Case work

- Practice-oriented case work and analysis as research-based learning
- Professional relationship building and counselling standards: Understanding and designing counselling processes
- Deepening of elective areas

### Professional action

- Normative and ethical frameworks
- Self-experience and self-reflection (biography work, identity as a counselor)
- Adopting perspectives as an advice seeker

## Academic degree

The program concludes with the awarding of the academic degree Master of Arts (M.A.).

## Professional fields of activity

Our graduates are able to plan, professionally apply and critically reflect on counselling in all fields of social work. They are able to develop consulting concepts

that fit the individual personality and the chosen field of action and to conduct application-related consulting research. They are able to work independently in a consulting, management and research capacity. The completion of this degree program does not lead to state recognition as a social worker.

## Why study counselling at EHB?

We are offering the practice-oriented master's degree program „Counselling in Social Work“ which started in the winter semester 2018/19. EHB is a proven provider of applied social and health sciences under church sponsorship. We critically engage with professional policy issues and ethical questions. The transdisciplinary Master's program, which includes pedagogical, psychological, sociological, sociopolitical, legal and ethical approaches, qualifies graduates to deal with the diversity and complexity of current challenges in counselling. Important competencies are acquired in the following areas:

- Knowledge of clinical and life-world models of change and interdisciplinary counselling theories.
- Psychosocial, socio-educational diagnostics
- Professional relationship building and conversation skills
- Diversity- and culturally sensitive design of counselling processes
- Normative and social framework conditions of counselling
- Social science research qualifying for a PhD

The program is well networked in the relevant professional fields with authorities, independent institutions and (inter)national colleges and universities. Our graduates have excellent opportunities on the job market. We support them in their career planning.

## Admission requirements

The prerequisite for admission to the program is a professionally qualifying university degree in an undergraduate degree program in social work or in another educationally or psychosocially oriented degree program (e.g. childhood pedagogy, community pedagogy, religious pedagogy, educational science, psychology). Applicants must also have worked for at least 12 months in a field of social work in an advisory/social-professional capacity for at least 15 hours per week after graduating from a university or college with a professional qualification and before starting the master's program. The professional activity should be maintained during the study program.

## Application & start of the study program

Applications must be received by EHB by July 15 (deadline). Enrolment is only possible for the winter semester (start of studies is October 1). For more information, please visit the EHB website or contact:

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**e-mail:** [immatrikulationsamt@eh-berlin.de](mailto:immatrikulationsamt@eh-berlin.de)

## Seminar times

The seminars are held at EHB on Thursdays from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. and all day on Fridays.

## Location & access by public transport

Our campus university is located in a green area in Berlin-Zehlendorf, part of the district Steglitz-Zehlendorf. You can reach the EHB with the S-Bahn S1 to S-Bahnhof Zehlendorf and from there with the buses 285 (direction S+U Rathaus Steglitz) or X10 (direction Teltow), getting out at the bus stop Schweizerhofpark.