



# Notes concerning corona-virus pandemic

**Corona-virus pandemic** The uncertainty surrounding the further development of the corona pandemic remains high.

**Call for Scholarships** The call for scholarships of the Swiss Confederation for the academic year 2021/22 is addressed to all countries regardless of the current corona pandemic situation.

**Reservations** Scholarships 2021/2022 will be awarded subject to the rules in force at the start of the scholarship on 1 September 2021.

Whether or not a scholarship awarded in the future can actually be taken up depends, on the one hand, on the applicable rules of the countries of origin and the Swiss Confederation and, on the other hand, on various other conditions (such as health situation, visa procedures, opening of borders, university operation, etc.).

The situation is constantly being reassessed. It is not possible to give more precise details for the time being. Current information on the Swiss Government Excellence Scholarships can be found on: [https://www.sbf.admin.ch/scholarships\\_eng](https://www.sbf.admin.ch/scholarships_eng) as well as on Twitter [@Swiss\\_FCS](https://twitter.com/Swiss_FCS)

**Situation in Switzerland** Please refer to the following webpage, which is continuously updated: <https://www.bag.admin.ch/bag/en/home/krankheiten/ausbrueche-epidemien-pandemien/aktuelle-ausbrueche-epidemien/novel-cov.html>