



# MetFilm School Berlin Finance & Funding Guide

This Finance guide is for prospective MetFilm School Berlin applicants for Undergraduate and Postgraduate courses.

Designed to advise you on the essential financial information you will need during your time at MetFilm School, this guide contains information on available funding options, scholarships, and bursaries.

The information in this guide may not answer all your questions, because your personal circumstances may affect what you are entitled to receive, but it will point you in the right direction, and list other useful websites and contact details for people and organisations that can help.

As MetFilm School is a privately funded British Higher Education provider, we do not qualify for German Government funding or scholarships such as the DAAD Scholarship. Our degrees are awarded by our validation partner, the University of West London. DAAD only supports studies on German degree programmes.

# Scandinavian & Nordic Students

### Sweden

Swedish students have the right to apply for student finance if they wish to complete part or the whole of their studies in another country. In order for student finance to be granted, the higher education institution overseas must be recognised by the CSN (Swedish National Board of Student Aid).

The amount of the student loan may vary according to the study destination. However, the repayment terms are the same as for studying in Sweden. Additional finance is available for tuition fees, insurance and travel expenses.

For further information visit csn.se

# **Norway**

Norwegian students can depend on financial support from The Norwegian State Educational Loan Fund, administered by Lanekassen, which provides student loans and stipends for higher education.

MetFilm School is on the list of UK Higher Education providers recognised by Lanekassen.

For further information visit lanekassen.no

# **Denmark**

(MA only) For further information visit su.dk/english/studies-abroad/scholarships-for-study-abroad



# **Further Funding**

### Finland

Financial aid for a course of study that is conducted outside Finland is available for Finnish citizens. Financial aid is also available for citizens of other EU/EEA countries or Switzerland and their family members.

Students seeking financial aid must have had a municipality of residence in Finland for at least 2 years out of the 5 years preceding the commencement of their studies and their stay abroad must be temporary. In other words, students will not qualify if they have lived abroad for more than 3 years before starting their studies.

For further information visit kela.fi

### **Netherlands**

(BA & MA) For further information visit duo.nl/particulier/ student-finance

# Luxembourg

(BA & MA grants and loans) For further information visit guichet.public.lu/en/cityoyens/enseignement-formation/etudes-superieures/aides-logement/aide-financiere

# **Iceland**

The Icelandic Student Loan Fund is a government-funded and government-run student loan fund for Icelandic citizens. It provides loans for living expenses of up to 7 years of university studies. Repayment of the loans is at belowmarket-rate interest, with a two-year grace period upon completion of studies.

Courses of study qualify for loans if an educational institution offers them as full-time studies; 60 ECTS units of study in each academic year or at least 30 ECTS units each semester in cases where the course structure does not cover a complete academic year.

For further information visit lin.is

# Scholarships

# **Voices That Matter Scholarship**

The MetFilm School Voices that Matter Scholarship Scheme is aimed at promoting accessibility and equality and for those who possess a demonstrable passion and talent for the screen industries.

We aim to provide an opportunity for exceptional students who, without financial assistance, would be unable to participate on selected programmes.

Recognising the importance of accessibility and equality within the screen industries, MetFilm School offers three Voices That Matter Scholarships per year:

# Voices That Matter Scholarship – Women in the Screen Industries in partnership with MTV Staying Alive Foundation

Recognising the importance of accessibility and equality within the screen industries; designed to support the next generation of female filmmakers.

One scholarship per campus: one in London, one in Leeds, and one in Berlin.

# Voices That Matter – Dan Demissie Scholarship for a Black Student of Talent

Recognising the importance of accessibility, diversity, and inclusion within the screen industries, in memory of MetFilm School London graduate Dan Demissie.

One scholarship per year, either in London, Leeds or Berlin.

# **Scholarship Details**

- Full tuition fees of the accredited course are covered for the duration of the course
- Berlin Courses eligible for the Voices that Matter Scholarship include:
  - BA (Hons) Practical Filmmaking (2 Years)
  - BA (Hons) Screen Acting
  - MA Cinematography
  - MA Directing
  - MA Documentary & Factual
  - MA Screenwriting

Applicants can submit the Scholarship application form and the course application form at the same time or separately. However, all applicants must have been given an offer to attend MetFilm School prior to being considered for the scholarship.

For more information on the Voices that Matter Scholarship, contact the Admissions Team.

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W: metfilmschool.ac.uk/leeds/admissions/funding-your-course/voices-that-matter-scholarship

# Bursaries

MetFilm School offers two types of bursaries that will contribute to the tuition fees for Undergraduate and Postgraduate Courses.

Please note: Bursary applications must be submitted at the time of application or prior to acceptance, and not after acceptance has been received and a place confirmed.

# **MetFilm School Merit Bursaries**

- Cover 20% of the course fee for the first year (or 20% off the whole course for our MA programmes)
- Are awarded on the basis of financial need and ability
- Applicants should endeavour to submit applications that demonstrate a strong creative background and be clear on the need for financial support at the application stage

### MetFilm School Full Bursaries

- Cover 30% of the course fee for the first year (or 30% off the whole course for our MA programmes)
- Require a separate application to be submitted demonstrating primarily financial need – this can be found via metfilmschool.ac.uk/admissions/fundingcourse/bursaries/
- Decisions are made on a rolling basis and are made by members of MetFilm School's Senior Leadership Team

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# MetFilm School Guides

For further information please download our other Guides:

- UK Accommodation Guide
- Berlin Accommodation Guide
- UK Finance & Funding Guide
- UK Student Support Guide
- Berlin Student Support Guide
- UK International Students Guide
- Berlin International Students Guide

Please note the information provided in this guide referring to any external company, is provided as an overview only. All details and information are subject to change and may be impacted by Covid 19 restrictions. Please refer to individual websites for the latest information.

Please note this MetFilm School Guide is correct at time of publishing and is subject to change. Please visit the MetFilm School website for the latest information.

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