



*Foundation of the British Chamber of Commerce in Germany e.V.*

## **BCCG Foundation**



### **About us**

Since 1983 the Foundation, created by the British Chamber of Commerce in Germany, offers scholarships to British and German students who plan to study in the other's country. Since 2012 the Foundation has focused on sponsoring Master courses only. It is managed independent of BCCG.

Through generous donations by businesses and many individuals, the Foundation has been able to assist students in reaching their goal of attaining academic know-how and general life experience in the other country. The Anglo-German Club, Hamburg has been one of the most faithful supporters of the BCCG Foundation for many years. Thanks to its strong commitment, the special Anglo-German-Club Award has grown. Our member Rolls-Royce Deutschland Ltd & Co KG has once again kindly agreed fund the sponsorship for one student for the upcoming academic year

In particular, the long standing contribution by British Airways also calls for a special mention in their providing award winners with free flights to enable an easier take-off in life.

We are very grateful for this generosity of our supporters.

Through this exchange of talented, ambitious, young students, the Foundation makes a significant contribution for the British Chamber of Commerce in Germany, which sets out to intensify the already very intensive business and cultural activities between the United Kingdom and Germany.

Students' reports written on completion of their stay abroad, repeatedly emphasize that in addition to the valuable academic know-how acquired, new friendships and social contacts play an extremely important role in what at first seems a very foreign environment.

For students reports please see our website  
[www.bccg.de/foundation](http://www.bccg.de/foundation)

### **Statements about the BCCG Foundation**

*"We support the BCCG Foundation as BP understands itself as a corporate citizen in all countries in which it conducts its business and because we find the aim of the Foundation worthy of support. The issue of education and mentoring of students play a central role in the support mechanisms that BP undertakes as a Corporate Citizen."*

**Dr. Ruprecht Brandis, Director External Affairs, BP Europa SE**

*"As the worldwide leading insurance company, for Lloyd's cross-border education for young people is indispensable. A long-term member of the British Chamber of Commerce in Germany, we therefore welcome the many activities of the BCCG Foundation and warmly congratulate the 30th Anniversary."*

**Jan Blumenthal, Main Representative, Country Manager Germany and Austria, Lloyd's Versicherer London, Germany Branch**

*"We support the educational campaign of the BCCG Foundation as well-educated experts are important for the success of our company and the aerospace industry. We are therefore happy to support young people through a scholarship. Through the integration into our specialised departments, students can gain invaluable practical experience and we can identify potential candidates for future employment."*

**Dr. Karsten Mühlenfeld, Managing Director Engineering & Operations, Rolls-Royce Deutschland Ltd. & Co KG**

*"When I finished my studies at the University of Hamburg I started my professional career in the UK. The time I spent in the UK has been very valuable for me not only from a professional point of view but also from a personal point of view as I made friends to whom I still have contact, experienced a different culture and simply broadened my horizon in general. As a result I work for the Foundation of BCCG to support students to gain similar experiences as they wish to study in Germany or the UK."*

**Dirk Papenberg, Partner, KPMG AG Wirtschaftsprüfungsgesellschaft**

*"I truly support the BCCG Foundation. Every year the high number of requests for scholarships show that most students have high educational goals and want to broaden their horizons, to support this is not just a duty it is also a joy! It benefits us all, join us!"*

**Dr. Hanno Goltz, Partner, Oppenhoff & Partner**

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## BCCG Foundation Students

The annual application period for scholarship grants for **Master** courses is between 1 May and 30 June only. Applications sent before or thereafter will not be considered.

Applications with reference to the study of law, economic sciences and engineering only will be accepted.

Citizens of the UK are eligible to apply for awards for full time Master courses of study at universities in Germany and German citizens for awards for full time Master courses of study at universities in the UK. First preference are students who have not yet studied abroad.

Please visit our website [www.bccg.de/foundation](http://www.bccg.de/foundation) to download the application form with further details and information.

## British Chamber of Commerce in Germany Organisation

BCCG is a privately-funded non-profit making membership network organisation, which was founded in Cologne in 1919 and in Hamburg in 1921. It had been closed down in the early 1930s and was re-established in Cologne/Bonn in 1960. HM Ambassador to Germany is honorary patron of the chamber.

Members of the chamber comprise about 900 professionals and companies, of which approx. 11 % enjoy the special status Sustaining Membership (see next page for details). In addition to that, a number of members (up to the age of 40) have joined our Young BCCG programme. The network consists of over 4,000 personal addressees. The BCCG is the largest British Chamber in Europe.

Ten honorary regional committees support the BCCG and Young BCCG members in Germany and the UK:

- Baden-Wuerttemberg (Stuttgart)
- Bavaria (Munich)
- Berlin/Brandenburg (Berlin)
- Bremen/Lower Saxony (Bremen)
- Hamburg/Northern Germany (Hamburg)
- North Rhine-Westphalia (Düsseldorf/Cologne)
- Rhine-Main (Frankfurt)
- Saxony (Dresden/Leipzig)
- Saxony-Anhalt/Thuringia (Halle/Erfurt)
- United Kingdom (London)

The BCCG management office is located in Berlin and is responsible for membership and regional support as well as for the planning of large events.

### BCCG Events

Around 80 events are held annually in all regions with varying contents and scope in the interest of members and guests. The BCCG is a neutral platform at these events for speakers and topics.

These networking events are mainly focused on economic, financial, legal, tax or other themes to offer members and guests opportunities to discuss their own questions regarding current issues.

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