



Parenthood

German Chancellor Fellowship: Extension of the Fellowship in context of parenting support

Application in writing may be made to extend a fellowship by up to 3 months if at least one child under the age of 12 when the fellowship begins accompanies the fellow to Germany during the sponsorship period. This also applies if the first child is born during the sponsorship period.

The duration of the extension will be determined on the basis of the actual duration of stay of the accompanying child in Germany. As a prerequisite for claiming an extension, the child must be present in Germany for the entire duration of the extension. The extension ends when the child leaves Germany.

An extension of the fellowship in the context of parenting support will only be granted if the envisaged project cannot be completed within the available period of time. An extension cannot be granted for pursuit of a new project outline or of a new theme which has developed from the original project outline. Decisions on extensions are taken by the Alexander von Humboldt Foundation on the basis of the funds at the Foundation's disposal. Applications for extension should be submitted to the Foundation three to four months prior to the end of the fellowship.

The host's confirmation of support is required for an extension of the fellowship to be granted.

The application form is available on the website of the Alexander von Humboldt Foundation at: <https://www.humboldt-foundation.de/web/benefits-for-families.html>

The above mentioned support cannot be granted in the framework of sponsorship for renewed stays in Germany.