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Requirements for the Axel Adler Scholarship for Sustainability 2026

The University of Gothenburg wants to increase the integration of sustainable development in education. To achieve the vision of sustainable development and a sustainable study and work life, the University of Gothenburg offers programs with sustainability labels. There are two different labels for sustainability programs, which you can read about here: [Sustainability labelled programs | University of Gothenburg](#)

The University of Gothenburg will award at least two students and a maximum of 12 with the **Axel Adler Scholarship for Sustainability** in 2026. The scholarship is a tuition waiver scholarship. The Axel Adler Scholarship for Sustainability is only offered to students applying for sustainability- focused Master's programs.

Requirements

To be eligible for the **Axel Adler Scholarship for Sustainability**, you must meet the general requirements for Axel Adler Scholarship 2026 and the special requirements for Axel Adler scholarship for Sustainability, which are:

You have applied for a sustainability- **focused Master's** program and written a motivation in the scholarship application explaining how you have and/or are planning to focus your studies within the sustainability field.

You can find the list of sustainability-focused programs for the Axel Adler Scholarship for Sustainability on: [Sustainability labelled programs | University of Gothenburg](#)

Limitations

Only students at sustainability-**focused Master's** programs can be awarded the Axel Adler Scholarship for Sustainability. Students at sustainability- **related** programs or Bachelor's programs cannot be awarded with this scholarship.

The Axel Adler Scholarship for Sustainability does not apply to the Education for Sustainable Development Program since it is not a campus-based program.

Application

The application follows the application process for the Axel Adler Scholarship; you can apply for both scholarships if you are eligible but will only be awarded one.

For students who have applied for a sustainability-**focused** program, there will be an extra question *“Please motivate why you should receive The Axel Adler Scholarship for Sustainability, in reference to your focus within the area of sustainability”*. You can write a motivation with a maximum of 3000 characters.

Selection

Scholarship applications are assessed and ranked by academic staff based on the CV and Letter of motivation submitted with the application, as well as the Letter of motivation for the sustainability scholarship and your commitment to a sustainable-focused program. Academic merits may also be taken into consideration.

Conditions

Conditions for the Axel Adler Scholarship for Sustainability follow the conditions for the Axel Adler Scholarship, with the exception that **only Master’s programs** can be awarded. The Axel Adler Scholarship for Sustainability does not cover living and accommodation expenses either.