

## **Allocation Guidelines for the Fund for Dormitories**

### **§ 1**

The Federal Representation of the Austrian National Union of Students supports the work of elected dormitory representation in accordance with the Higher Education Act (StHG) with up to 5000 euros annually.

### **§ 2**

Supported are in particular activities/events/projects that:

- Serve the purpose of raising awareness about the societal value of student dormitories,
- Have an anti-racist character,
- Have an anti-sexist character,
- Cultural and sports activities,
- Activities that promote social interaction among residents,
- Activities that have a positive impact on community in the home.

### **§ 3**

The funding pool is not intended to replace the lack of funds resulting from the reduction of federal funding for student dormitories.

### **§ 4**

Not supported are, among other things:

- Projects that directly or indirectly do not focus on gender equality (e.g., men's football tournaments, etc.),
- Projects aimed at financial gain,
- "Election campaign projects" by parties, ÖH factions (including campaign groups and candidates), dormitory representatives,
- Projects that contradict the principles of the ÖH.

Drugs, such as alcohol, cannot be reimbursed.

### **§ 5**

When planning projects, consideration should be given to whether they can be made accessible to all. This also applies to language (international students).

### **§ 6**

The maximum funding amount is 600 euros. The applications are decided upon by a committee with representatives from the chair department, the department for economic affairs, and the department for social policy of the ÖH-BV. Legal actions, such as appeals, against a decision of this committee are not possible. Applications must be submitted in advance - ongoing or completed projects cannot be funded.

### **§ 7**

Applications for funding must be made in writing. The application must include a detailed cost plan and project description. The project must be approved by the relevant dormitory

representation committee and the application must be signed by the chairperson of the dormitory representation.

#### § 8

Home representations are obliged to provide precise accounts of all expenses related to the project.

#### § 9

The logo of the ÖH-BV must be displayed on all printed materials related to projects funded by the ÖH.

#### § 10

Home representations must send a brief, informal project report as well as invoices to the Federal Representation of the Austrian National Union of Students, Taubstummengasse 7-9, A-1040 Vienna.