

Allocation guidelines for the »Bauhaus.Module« Promotion Fund Winter Semester 2021/22

In the tradition of the historical Weimar Bauhaus, the format »Bauhaus.Module« allows students at Bauhaus-Universität Weimar to expand their studies by explicitly interdisciplinary courses and thus to deal with a variety of new perspectives, to test the cooperation with other disciplines and to reflect on their own actions. This is achieved through an appropriate interdisciplinary acquisition of competence and knowledge and through inter- or transdisciplinary project work. In this way, »Bauhaus.Module« contributes to the reflection of one's own discipline, awakens a deeper interest in current social issues and promotes innovative solutions for one's own discipline as well as for other subject cultures.

The »Bauhaus.Module« promotion fund supports teachers as well as students with the implementation of their respective teaching offer and aims at making innovative teaching formats possible.

The courses of the »Bauhaus.Module« are categorized into three areas:

[a] locate

These include courses that invite students to examine questions of the present and future in the context of the historical Bauhaus, Weimar, Thuringia or Central Germany. They establish local or regional references, deal with the idea and history of the institution, the classification and reception of the Bauhaus in the history of ideas, the modes of working and impact and/or today's points of departure in shaping the world of tomorrow.

[b] insight

These include courses that offer focused introductions to the disciplines represented at Bauhaus-Universität Weimar. The course makes methods and/or methodologies or theories tangible and usable for students of different disciplines or teaches the basics of science communication or knowledge transfer.

[c] shaping

These include inter- or transdisciplinary teaching projects that are inspired by different disciplines (ideally: technology – science – art) and that contribute to addressing current social challenges and global future issues.

The three formats of the »Bauhaus.Module« include (1) joint courses by lecturers from different disciplines, (2) courses in collaboration with external partners and (3) the student-led teaching and learning projects.

The following overview illustrates the relationship between areas and formats of the »Bauhaus.Module«. Due to the different values (ECTS) of the teaching formats in the various courses of study at the Bauhaus-Universität Weimar, it is desirable that students will be able to complete courses with varying degrees of academic achievement and corresponding credit points.

Funding lines/ Formats	[1] joint courses by teachers of different disciplines	[2] joint courses in cooperation with external partners	[3] Student-led teaching and learning projects
Thematic areas			
[a] locate	S, FK, VL 3/6 Credits	S, FK, VL 3/6 Credits	S, FK, VL 3/6 Credits
[b] insight	S, FK, VL 3/6 Credits	S, FK, VL 3/6 Credits	S, FK, VL 3/6 Credits
[c] shaping	P 6/12 Credits	P 6/12 Credits	P 6/12 Credits

S: Seminar, FK: specialized course (Fachkurs), VL: lecture (Vorlesung), P: Project (Projekt)

Funding lines of the »Bauhaus.Module« Promotion Fund

The interdisciplinary »Bauhaus.Module« are funded in three funding lines, each of which allows for to different formats:

Funding Line B1:

Internal Perspectives – Interdisciplinary courses by Bauhaus-Universität Weimar academic staff

Total Funding Amount: up to 15,000 €

Funding Amount per Application: up to 2,500 €

Eligible Candidates: Professors and academic staff employed at Bauhaus-Universität Weimar at the time of application and project implementation

Funding Line B2:

External Perspectives – Interdisciplinary courses in collaboration with guest lectures and experts

Total Funding Amount: up to 15,000 €

Funding Amount per Application: up to 2,500 €

Eligible Candidates: Professors, Bauhaus-Universität Weimar academic staff employed at the time of application and project implementation

Funding Line B3: Interdisciplinary-focused student-led teaching projects

Total Funding Amount: up to 15,000 €

Funding Amount per Application: up to 3,500 €

Eligible Candidates: Students enrolled at the Bauhaus-Universität Weimar at the time of application and winter semester 2021/22

Funding Line B1: Internal Perspectives – Interdisciplinary courses by Bauhaus-Universität Weimar academic staff

What is the aim of this funding line?

The aim of this funding line is to enable teachers at the Bauhaus-Universität Weimar to participate actively in the design of the interdisciplinary courses offered within the framework of the »Bauhaus.Module«.

Special emphasis is placed on interdisciplinary projects that enable new approaches and perspectives on questions of our time and allow them to think ahead. Teaching projects with an international or regional focus in German or English are especially welcomed.

The aim of the funding line is to compensate for the additional costs required for executing the class.

Quick Info

Application deadline: July 4th, 2021

Application documents: »Antrag_Bauhaus.Module – B1« on the website
Submission of applications: via the website

Total funding volume: up to 15,000 €

Volume per application: up to 2,500 €

Eligible: Professors and academic staff of Bauhaus-Universität Weimar employed at the time of application and during project implementation

Who and what is being funded?

Funding is available for lecturers who teach a course with a cross-curricular focus and who take into account accessibility for students of different disciplines. Priority will be given to courses that are taught jointly by teachers of different disciplines.

Support is provided for the preparation, implementation and follow-up of courses that are listed in the course catalogue and can be attended by all students at the university.

Funding applications may include

- personnel costs for student employees to support preparation and implementation with a maximum number of hours in the semester of: 30 hours for courses with 2 SWS/3 ECTS, 60 hours for courses with 4 SWS/6 ECTS, 120 hours for courses with 8 SWS/12 ECTS and more (Please calculate with 12.83 € per hour, for billing is according to the currently valid hourly rates);
- supplementary guest lectures as part of a joint course given by different teachers (in accordance with the [Satzung zur Vergütung von Lehraufträgen](#)) and
- printing and material costs up to a maximum of 250 € (e.g. for flyers or posters).

Excluded from funding are

- means of tendering for sub-competitions,
- material such as equipment or devices for IT,
- catering and
- excursions.

The funding of a course is possible with a maximum of 2,500 € within the framework of the above-mentioned conditions. Possible incidental or follow-up costs cannot be supported by the »Bauhaus.Module« Promotion Fund. No teaching assignments can be given to members or employees of the Bauhaus-Universität.

Who can submit an application?

All professors and academic employees of the Bauhaus-Universität Weimar who are employed at the time of application as well as during the course are eligible to apply. A joint course given by different lecturers can only be funded once per semester. Support for the repeated execution of a course is not possible.

What are the criteria for funding?

The conditions for funding are:

- the course is designed to address students from different disciplines and
- the requirements for participation can be fulfilled by as many students as possible and
- the methodical-didactical design enables a successful participation and
- the course is taught jointly by several lecturers from different disciplines at the university or by individual lecturers who demonstrate the interdisciplinary focus in their teaching concept and
- the course falls within one of the following thematic areas:

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How and where to apply?

Applications shall be submitted electronically. Please use the form »[Antrag Bauhaus.Module – B1](#)«. Application deadline for the winter semester 2021/22 is July 4th, 2021.

If you have any questions regarding the application or the form, please contact RonnySchüler (ronny.schüler@uni-weimar.de) before submitting your application. On June 6th, 2021 there will be an information event on the application. More information can be found via: www.uni-weimar.de/bauhausmodule.

In the HENRI you will find the [Satzung zur Vergütung von Lehraufträgen](#) at the Bauhaus-Universität Weimar as well as the [Städtekatalog](#) for information on the calculation of accommodation costs.

What is the following procedure after the submission?

A selection committee makes the decision on the funding.

Applicants will be informed on the decision by E-Mail at the end of July 2021, and the funded projects will be announced on the »Bauhaus.Module« website. The courses entry into Bison is made by the teachers themselves.

Teachers whose projects are supported by the »Bauhaus.Module« fund must submit a short report no later than six weeks after the end of the lecture period. The report template is sent out with the approval.

We look forward to your application!