



Marie Mindermann Scholarship

The Bremen regional association of the German Journalists' Association (DJV) announces its first Marie Mindermann bursary of 5,000 euros for the year 2023. This is initially designed as a project scholarship for a period of 12 months. The Marie-Mindermann-Scholarship of the DJV Bremen aims to support professionally or formerly professionally active journalists who had to leave their home country. In this way, the DJV Bremen would like to give journalists living in exile the opportunity to independently realise a journalistic project of their choice.

The scholarship is open to colleagues of all gender orientations. Journalists and publicists from Central and Eastern Europe as well as refugees from states with a lack of press freedom are explicitly addressed; the basis for this is the 2022 annual report of "Reporters without Borders". Gender-related persecution is to be given priority.

Interested colleagues can submit their applications from 15 September to 31 October 2023. The winner will be announced on 9 December, the birthday of the namesake Marie Mindermann.

Applicants must submit:

- Subject of her work
- Exposé (one A4 page, maximum 3,500 characters), preferably in English
- Curriculum vitae

Documents will only be accepted as PDFs by e-mail at info@djv-bremen.de.

An independent jury decides on the award of the project scholarship in a selection procedure. The legal process is excluded.

The prize money is paid out in twelve monthly instalments (11 x 400 euros, 1x 600 euros).

During the implementation of the project, the winner will be accompanied by the DJV Bremen. The results of the work will be presented at a public event in December 2024.

For further questions, please contact the DJV Bremen office: info@djv-bremen.de