**Vinzenz Schumy Foundation**

**Education and Financial Support Foundation**

**Aim of financial support:**

To financially support students undertaking the master course “Sustainability in Agriculture, Food Production and Food Technology in the Danube Region” through awarding grants of up to a total sum of EUR 2,500.00. The foundation’s board makes the final decision as to the number and amount of the grants awarded\*.

**Application criteria:**

* All students from BOKU and its partner Universities are welcome to apply as long as they hold a Bachelor degree or are about to finish their bachelor degree.
* A personally written application is required which should include the following:
	+ CV
	+ Letter of motivation
	+ Recommendation letter from a University teacher

The letter of motivation is especially important as it should demonstrate the student’s motivation to pursue the Master programme: “Sustainability in Agriculture, Food Production and Food Technology in the Danube Region” and present any relevant work or activities previously undertaken.

**Application instructions:**

Applications to be sent to Mrs. Mag. Petra Schwaiger, MA, RWA AG, Wienerbergstraße 3, 1100, Wien, petra.schwaiger@rwa.at

Application closing date: 15 August 2014

The decision will be made before the 15 September and those awarded the grant will be informed in writing.

**Foundation’s board:**

DI Reinhard Wolf und Dr. Andreas Galoppi

DI Dr. Johann Lang, ÖR Josef Raffelsberger and ÖR Alois Pabst

**Representatives at BOKU (nominated by the Rector):**

# Univ. Prof. Dr. Forneck (Department of Crop Sciences, Institute for Viticulture and Pomology)

# Univ. Prof. Mag. Dr. Thomas Frank (Department of [Integrative Biology and Biodiversity Research,](http://www.dib.boku.ac.at/en/) Institute for [Zoology](http://www.dib.boku.ac.at/en/zoology/))

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\*The foundation’s board reserves the right not to award any grants if the aforementioned application criteria are not fulfilled or if the applications received are not sufficiently documented.