

Scholarships at the University of Applied Sciences for Intercultural Theology Hermannsburg (FIT)

MA Degree Programme 'Intercultural Theology' (ICT)

Georg-August-University Göttingen & University of Applied Sciences for Intercultural Theology Hermannsburg

NAME:

QUESTIONNAIRE

General instructions: Please read the following questions carefully and answer each question with approx. 200-300 words (use the boxes for your answers).

<u>1. Expectations</u>

The FIT scholarships are awarded by the Evangelical-Lutheran Mission in Lower Saxony (ELM) and the FIT Hermannsburg to foster advanced studies in Intercultural Theology and ecumenical as well as intercultural/interreligious cooperation between people of different religious/denominational, cultural and national backgrounds.

Briefly describe why you are interested in the MA degree programme 'Intercultural Theology' and what you expect to gain from this degree programme.

<u>2. Academic Education and Achievements</u>

The scholarships give students the opportunity to study for a higher degree and to enhance their academic knowledge, while developing professional skills and acquiring intercultural competencies.

Describe briefly your previous academic education and achievements. What knowledge and skills did you acquire in your previous studies and what is the connection to Intercultural Theology?

3. Previous Experiences and Commitments

The FIT scholarship programme fosters mutual ecumenical and intercultural or interreligious exchange. It provides opportunities for learning across religious communities, enabling students to experience the intercultural face of Christianity and reflect upon the theological challenges of a globalised world.

Please describe your commitments to and previous work experiences in a church, religious community and/or academic institution, with a special focus on your experiences in intercultural /interreligious exchange or partnership work:

4. Career Objectives

The scholarship programme supports the idea that academic knowledge and competencies should benefit communities. After completing their studies, students are expected to invest their knowledge and expertise in their respective communities.

Please answer briefly the following questions: What are your career objectives after completing the MA degree programme 'Intercultural Theology'? How do you see yourself contributing to your community in the future?

<u>5. Financial Situation</u> The FIT scholarships are awarded to students, who without the scholarship would not be able to study.

Please briefly detail your financial situation and how you intend to finance your full-time studies in Germany for a period of two years. State whether you are already a scholarship/award recipient and whether you receive funds from other sources.