

# GBS THOUGHT LEADER SCHOLARSHIP

The objective of the *GBS Thought Leader Scholarship* is to support applicants who already demonstrate or aim at achieving a considerable impact on their industry through the work they do as part of their occupation, work outside of their occupation, voluntary work, etc.

## WHO CAN APPLY?

GBS master programs applicants from all backgrounds and career levels can apply for the *GBS Thought Leader Scholarship*. Candidates should demonstrate how a considerable impact on their chosen professional focus (digital transformation/pharma/financial technology) is / will be achieved, for example

- at their current workplace through innovative ideas, proven leadership for driving new ideas forward in their company/team, motivation to be an opinion leader
- through extracurricular activities apart from their work, such as participating in branch relevant professional associations actively

## APPLICATION & SELECTION PROCESS

*GBS Thought Leader Scholarship* applicants are required to submit an extended essay (in English) in order to be considered. They may also submit additional documents supporting their application. The essay should outline what makes the respective applicant a thought leader and draw a detailed picture on how the considerable impact on the branch is / will be achieved.

*GBS Thought Leader Scholarship* applications are accepted by email sent to [scholarships@gbs.uni-frankfurt.de](mailto:scholarships@gbs.uni-frankfurt.de) before the final application deadline of the respective GBS master program a candidate is applying for. A confirmation email will be sent upon receipt.

Shortlisted *GBS Thought Leader Scholarship* applicants will be invited for an interview and can expect questions about their approach to become a thought leader. All scholarship applicants receive notification from GBS until 4 weeks after the respective master program's final application deadline if a scholarship can be granted.

## HOW MUCH CAN BE SPONSORED?

The *GBS Thought Leader Scholarship* will cover 5,000€ of the tuition fee and will be offset with the last tuition instalment. Only applicants who do not receive other sponsoring can qualify for this scholarship. The scholarship is subject to the successful completion of the respective GBS master program a candidate is applying for.

For more information, please contact [scholarships@gbs.uni-frankfurt.de](mailto:scholarships@gbs.uni-frankfurt.de).