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## WELCOME TO THE KHSB

The KHSB Catholic University of Applied Sciences is a state-recognised university under the auspices of the Archdiocese of Berlin. For over 30 years, the KHSB has been offering a wide range of study programmes and further education courses in the educational and social sector. Around 1,300 students appreciate the manageable study programme the inviting university flair and personal learning atmosphere on our green campus.

A discursive, open learning culture that is conducive to dialogue is combined with the high level of commitment of the teaching staff and personalized support of the students. The KHSB offers excellent spatial and technical learning conditions in presence and online.

Throughout the entire course of study, we advise and support our students with the organisation of their studies and personal career planning.

The KHSB is characterised by its proven expertise in participation research. Development and evaluation of new concepts for the practice of the social professions that demonstrably promote participation, are a focus of the scientific work. The programmes and research projects are interdisciplinary in nature and interlinked through a variety of different topics and perspectives.

The KHSB is a place of education in which answers are discussed openly, critically and with mutual respect. Initiating constructive dialogue between different religions and world views and making it work in regard to the daily challenges is therefore part of the specific profile of the KHSB.



## OVERVIEW OF STUDY PROGRAMMES

### Bachelor's Degree

- › Social Work (full-time, part-time, dual)
- › Inclusive Curative Education (full-time)
- › Childhood Education (full-time)
- › Religious Education in schools and pastoral settings
- › Creative Therapy/Clinical Art Therapy (part-time)
- › Social Gerontology (part-time)



### Master's Degree

- › Preventive Social Work (full-time)
- › Education and Counselling in Social Work (part-time)
- › Master of Social Work - Social Work as a Human Rights Profession (part-time)
- › Interdisciplinary Psychosis Therapy (part-time)



### Additional Qualifications

- › Practical Religious Education in Schools
- › Social Management
- › Additional Qualification in Religion and Social Affairs
- › International Bridge Course Adaptation Programme Social Professions (Apale)



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## THE 13 BEST REASONS IN FAVOUR OF THE KHSB

### 1 State-recognised and NC-free

As a state-recognised university of applied sciences (HAW), the Catholic University of Applied Social Sciences offers its students a sound academic education without numerus Clausus (NC) – strong in research, practice-orientated and personality-building at the same time.

### 2 A University of Diversity

The KHSB is an open-minded university: we welcome everyone, regardless of religion, ideology, ethnic, cultural or social background, origin, gender, sexual orientation, age and disability. Neither for a course of study nor for a job at the KHSB a membership of the Catholic Church is a prerequisite. We focus on people and respect and value social diversity in all its facets.

### 3 Meaningful and Value-orientated

We train social professionals for meaningful work. Our university is a value-orientated and personality-building learning environment that is open to our students and employees for education and exchange. As ecclesiastical university, we also offer theological study programs and spiritual impulses to get to know the humanistic foundations and the meaning of Christian Values shaping our society (more closely). All study programmes are characterised by their relation to human rights and the theological-ethical reflection of social-professional action.

### 4 Practical and Interconnected

The combination of theory and practice characterises the academic and practice-orientated education at the KHSB. Our teaching staff have extensive practical experience, and the students benefit from the excellent networking and cooperation with institutions in social and healthcare, church, (welfare) organisations and administration.

### 5 Innovative Study Concepts and Courses

We offer courses in presence and online, full-time, part-time and dual programmes. Our degree programmes are based on a tried-and-tested mix of on-site seminars and lectures and e-learning modules. Hybrid and digital teaching and learning formats are constantly being further developed. University collaborations and virtual teaching partnerships enable our students to additional learning experiences.

### 6 Small But Mighty

Students benefit from the personalised mentoring by highly qualified lecturers. From the very beginning, our dedicated administrative staff also support, advise and accompany throughout everyday university life. Respectful and appreciative exchange characterises the way we work together at the KHSB.

### 7 Green Campus in a Capital City Worth Living in

Our green campus in Berlin Karlshorst is easily accessible by public transport. In our historic listed university building, you will find everything under one roof. The university's classrooms are equipped with modern facilities and the university library, which is open to the public, has an extensive media collection.

### 8 Co-organisation and University Development

At the KHSB, students can actively shape university life in committees and commissions. The student parliament (StuPa) shapes the development of the university by bringing in student perspectives. The KHSB also supports student and staff initiatives.

### 9 Fair Educational Opportunities and Excellent Career Prospects

Fair educational opportunities are important to us. At the KHSB it is also possible to study without university entrance qualification. We will advise you on the specific requirements and also support first-time graduates. Training at the KHSB opens up a wide range of career paths for social professionals in the social, health and education sectors and offers excellent career prospects for graduates.

### 10 KHSB International

Our university sees internationalisation as a cross-cutting theme in teaching, studies, campus life and research. This includes, among other things, short and long-term study programmes worldwide as well as English-language programmes, guest lectures and cultural events on campus. The KHSB currently cooperates with 30 partner universities in 17 countries.

### 11 Research and Transfer

Research at KHSB takes place in a special relationship to practice. In five central institutes, staff conducts research on six key research areas, which share an interest in questions of participation. The promotion of scientific careers is an important

concern for us. Thus KHSB supports young researchers in the doctoral programme during the doctoral process. Student research during the course of study is also an integral part of the university programme.

### 12 Continuing Education and Lifelong Learning

Lifelong learning is very important to us. Continuing education is an important pillar in order to deepen professional qualification as well as the personal skills development of specialists. Our programmes, which are geared towards the complex requirements of practice, range from part-time master's programmes, to certificate courses through to workshops, training courses lasting several days and customised in-house training courses.

### 13 Alumni Network

We want to stay connected with our graduates. That's why we regularly invite them to university events, offer them professional exchange and networking and support them in their future careers with various offers.

**Detailed information on programme content and career prospects, admission requirements, application modalities, deadlines and contact persons for the individual degree programmes can be found on our website.**

