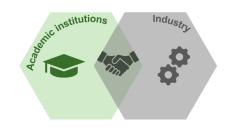
## BioPartnerBW – Regional innovation partnership for the promotion of innovation in the field of bioeconomy



Would you like to boost innovation and give your ideas a chance to evolve in the business world of bioeconomy?

The project funded by the Ministry of Science, Research and the Arts of the State of Baden-Württemberg has the goal to build, support and refine the cooperation between higher academic institutions and companies in the field of bioeconomy in Baden-Württemberg.

Bachelor and master students of Universities and Universities of Applied Sciences in Baden-Württemberg can apply for financial support in order to put their theoretical knowledge of the bioeconomy to use in the practical environment of companies. Research partnerships can take the form of:



- Bachelor and Master theses, project papers
- Internships, during or directly after completing the bachelor and master programme

We can grant students assistance in the form of financial support, for example:

- Travel expenses for the student project
- Rental costs for machines and equipment
- Work material, personal protective equipment, tools, etc.

## **APPLICATION**

Criteria for funding

- Students: application is open to all bachelor and master students enrolled in a University or University of Applied Sciences in Baden-Württemberg
- Companies: Preference is given to start-ups, small and medium sized Baden-Württemberg companies

## Fields:

- Bioeconomy
  - Projects in the field of hardwood and lignocellulose
  - Projects with high innovative potential

In case of marginal or similar applications, the project's Management Board will decide if the project will be funded.

An agreement between the student, the supervisor at the University or University of Applied Sciences, and the supervisor from the industry partner has to be submitted in the form of a trilateral written supervision agreement alongside the application form.

- The funding limit is 5.000 € per project. Funding is provided within the framework of reimbursement of expenses
- Funding for student projects can be disbursed to students as well as to companies
- The maximum funding period is 6 months
- A final paper has to be submitted to the project management at the end of the project

