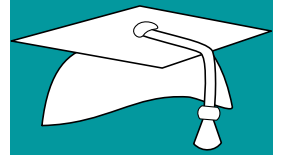




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Welcome to GSD

Executive Master of International Relations
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The Executive Master of International Relations (EMIR) Programme is a flexible and challenging graduate programme aimed at enriching professionals' knowledge through a diverse modular curriculum, tailored teaching methods, and an interactive learning environment. It enables actively working professionals to study while not putting their careers on hold.

The Geneva School of Diplomacy & International Relations

The Geneva School of Diplomacy & International Relations is a private boutique university specialised in the teaching of International Relations & Diplomacy. We are acknowledged for our location in the very heart of the diplomatic world and our achievements.

Our connections with surrounding international organisations, United Nations offices, missions and NGO's, the small, interactive classes with highly distinguished faculty members, and the many lectures hosted by high profile guest speakers, give our students the ability to create a network that can be life-lasting and life-changing.

GSD prepares future world leaders for their roles on the world stage to advance peace and human rights. Based on its core values of Academic & Vocational Excellence, Integrity, and Professionalism, GSD provides high quality and praxis-orientated education combined with a commitment to student support, and promotes a philosophy rooted in the School's motto 'serviendo governo' – that to govern is to serve.

Choosing GSD is also deciding to learn and train effectively, productively, and pleasantly.

Once the programme is completed, students are ready to boost their professional performance and grow their careers.

Programme Overview

- Duration: 2 semesters
- Credits: 50 ECTS
- Intakes: October & February

Focus Areas*

- Diplomacy IR theory
- International negotiation
- Strategic foresight
- Conflicts resolution
- Management skills
- Foreign policy
- Business and Human Rights
- Global governance and security
- Trade and Development
- Environmental diplomacy

*Not exclusive



Matern Lumbanga

*Ambassador of Tanzania
Executive Master in
International Relations*

"At GSD, I benefitted from the very resourceful Professors who provided important knowledge relevant to their fields of study and advice at all times. Apart from the Professors, I had a lot to learn from my fellow students whose varied experiences and backgrounds also provided a rich learning experience. I found that most of the issues taught at GSD were also very relevant to my day to day activities related to my work".

Push ambition beyond limits!

The Executive Master Programme is designed for busy professionals from all walks of life from both public and private sectors who seek to earn a graduate degree in International Relations, by developing their practical skills and deepening their knowledge of international politics and diplomatic issues while working full-time.

Why International Relations?

In our increasingly globalised society, a thorough understanding of International Relations is key to effectiveness and career advancement in both public and private sectors.

Students come to the Geneva School of Diplomacy from the United Nations, multinational companies, the diplomatic corps, non-governmental organisations, private businesses, and international organisations, to name but a few. They yearn to acquire a deeper understanding of global Diplomacy and necessary skills to find solutions to global problems.



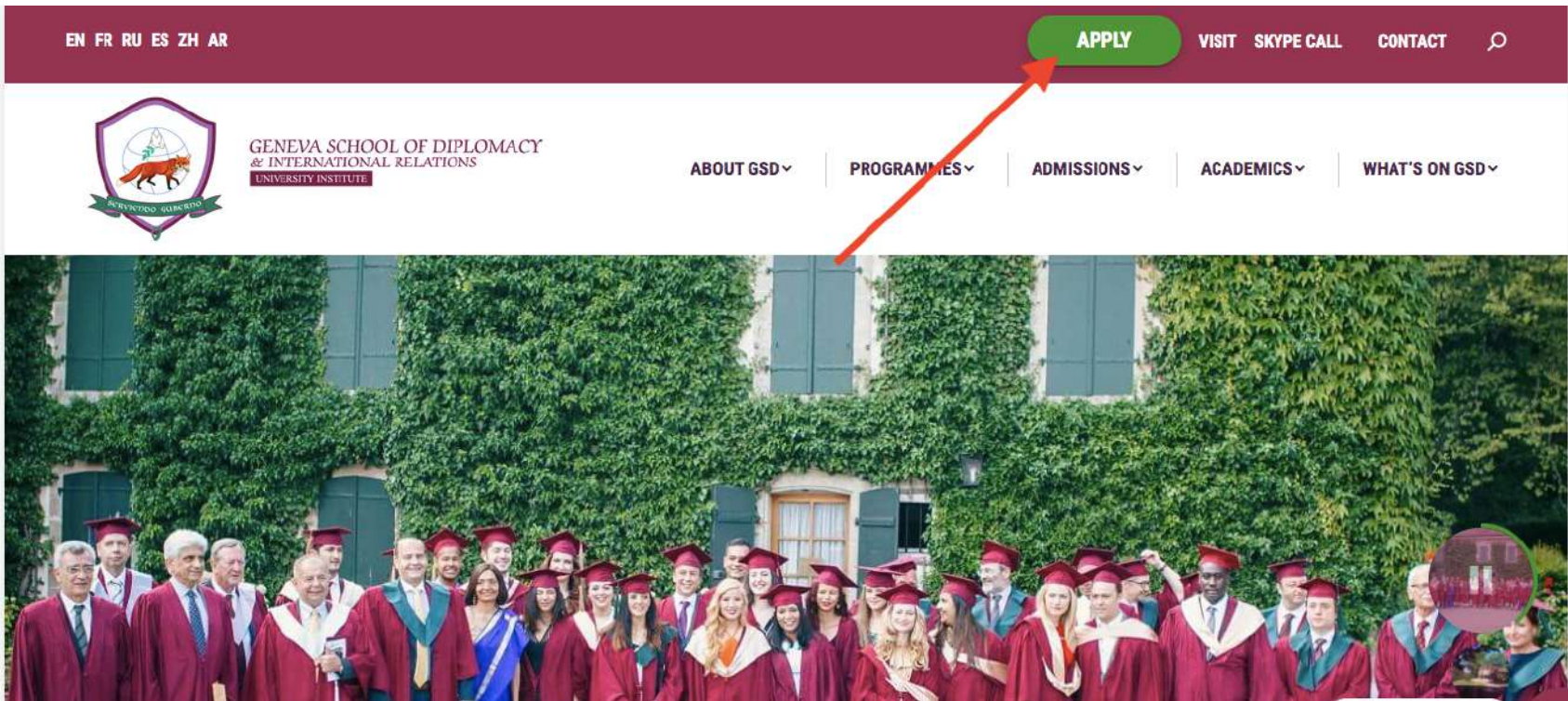
Learning outcomes

- Evaluate the dynamics of 21st century diplomacy and international politics.
- Identify new dimensions of foreign policy, geopolitics, global security, development and sustainability.
- Explain global governance issues.
- Implement negotiation, communication, and leadership skills and tools to effectively meet complex situations, manage crises and encourage international cooperation.

Thematic blocks

- Governing global issues.
- Foreign policy, geopolitics, and global security.
- Fundamental skills for tomorrow's leaders (leadership; strategic thinking; decision-making; policy-making; project management; teamwork; conflict management and resolution; negotiations; cross-cultural communication).





Teaching methods:

- Small group workshops
- Multi-stakeholder simulations
- Conferences and seminars
- Roundtable discussions and debates
- Brainstorming
- Case studies and role games
- Group projects
- Written reports
- Video presentation

Course Structure

EMIR is structured in a modular and flexible way to accommodate the time constraints of busy professionals. EMIR is built around 7 pillars:

- 4 Teaching Modules
- 2 Student Group projects
- 1 Thesis

Teaching Modules:

- **Module 1.** Understanding and Governing Global Issues
- **Module 2.** International Crises and Strategic Response Tools
- **Module 3.** New dimensions of International Relations and Diplomatic Leadership
- **Module 4.** Diplomatic Skills and Strategies to Address Global Challenges

Application documents

To apply, upload the following documents via our [website](#):

- CV / Résumé
- Passport copy
- Cover Letter
- Two Letters of Recommendation
- Copy of university Grade Transcripts & Diplomas
- Proof of English Language Proficiency
- Application fee payment

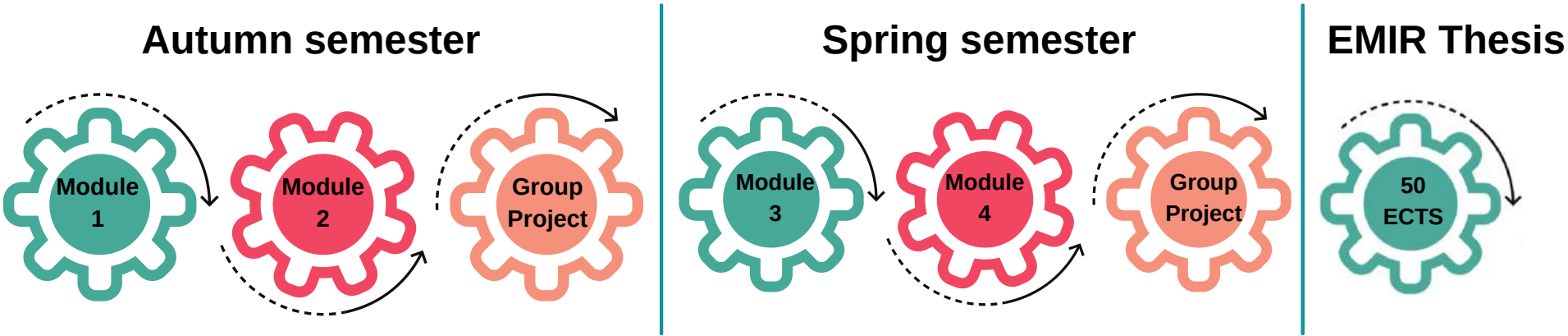
Admission criteria

- Undergraduate (Bachelor) degree or its equivalent
- At least 3 years of work experience
- Proficiency in English

Tuition Fee

Fees and other expenses	Total in CHF.-
Tuition fees	18'500
Deposit	6'500
Application fees	300

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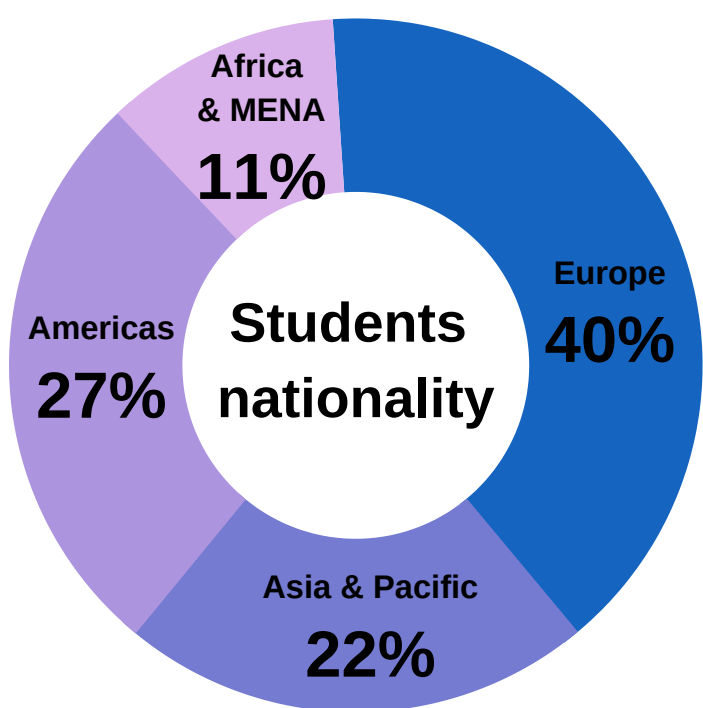
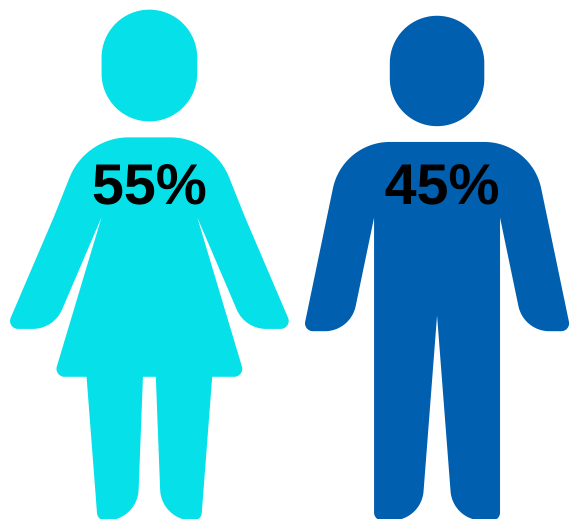


For a full overview of the entry requirements, please visit our website www.genevadiplomacy.ch

GSD interesting facts

Students

Students Gender



4+

Average spoken languages per student



15

Average of students number per class*

*Average student numbers may vary slightly every semester

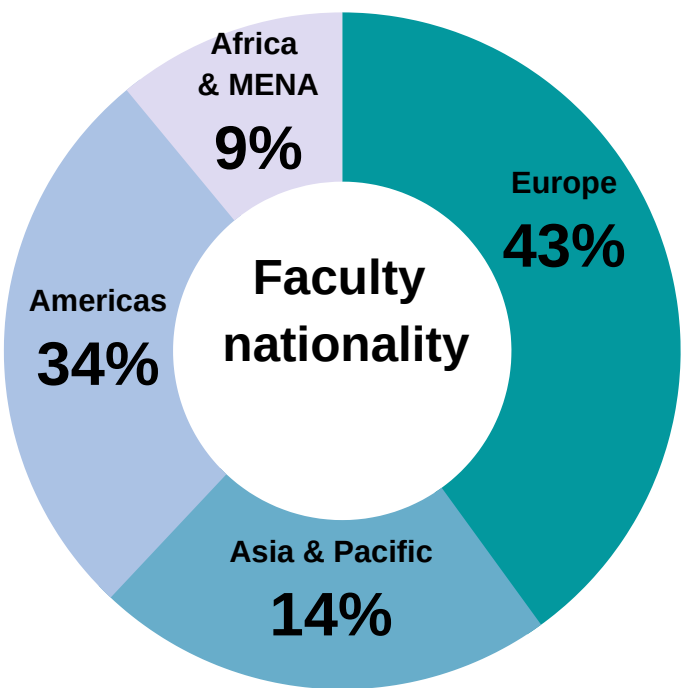
Alumni

150+

Alumni's Nationality



Faculty



44+

Faculty active members

90%

Faculty members holding PhD

20+

Faculty average years of working experience

Some of the GSD Recruiters





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