International and European Security

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8 MONTHS, FULL TIME
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Audience

International security professional who wishes to enhance their capabilities and academic qualifications to advance in their career in government, IO's, and all agencies (private/public/civil society) engaged in peace and security related policy-making.

Objectives

- Build your knowledge on focused issue areas including state (e.g. terrorism, conflict management) and human (e.g. environment, economic) security – across national, regional (from Asia to Latin America) and global contexts.
- Enhance your ability to better identify the evolution of key challenges, critically analyse their interlinked nature, and assess the effectiveness of current policy responses.
- Strengthen your leadership skill-set within a multi-cultural and cross-sectoral environment, integrating into a wide community of experts and policymakers in international security.
The MAS provides participants with both space for academic reflection and skills, knowledge and networks that can readily be turned into action once back in national and international structures, benefiting from the exceptional academic resources of the University of Geneva’s Global Studies Institute (GSI) and the internationally recognised executive education expertise of the Geneva Centre for Security Policy (GCSP).

Structure
8 months full time, 5 modules, 60 ECTS credits

Module 1  The Evolving Dimensions of Security Policy
Provides an introduction to the current international system from a historical, conceptual & leadership perspective.

Module 2  21st Century Security Challenges
Focuses on the evolving role of traditional and emerging international security leaders, in addition to conflict management and transnational security challenges.

Module 3  A World of Regions?
Allows participants to explore security challenges and actors in multiple regions including sub-Saharan Africa; the Middle East and North Africa; Latin America; the Euro-Atlantic area as well as developments in the Asia-Pacific

Module 4  Issues and Concepts in International Security
Provides a series of conceptual lectures to complement and reinforce, through a theoretical approach, the more policy-orientated approach of the first three modules.

Module 5  Research Paper Process
Allows participants to develop their research and analytical capacity through a 10’000-12’000 word thesis.
Practical Information

- Deadline: 31 May 2020
- Tuition Fees: CHF 15,000.-
- Alumni Network: Graduates may join the expanding Alumni Network
- Location: GCSP and GSI Campuses

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