

SCHEDULE Summer School on Microplastics 2026

Monday, June 15th	Tuesday, June 16th	Wednesday, June 17th	Thursday, June 18th	Friday, June 19th
9h00: GSS welcome and introduction	9h00: Supply, transport and fate of microplastics in the environment	9h00: The journey of microplastics in freshwater ecosystems	9h00: Endocrine disruptors in plastics and impact on human and ecosystem health	9h00: Plastic waste and innovative solutions for sustainability
9h45: Introduction on polymers and plastics in the environment				
10h30-11h00: Coffee break	10h30-11h00: Coffee break	10h30-11h00: Coffee break	10h30-11h00: Coffee break	10h30-11h00: Coffee break
11h00: Analytical approaches in microplastics analysis	11h00: Plastics in the environment: degradation and the plastisphere	11h00: Ecotoxicity and risk assessment of microplastics	11h00: Health impact of microplastics	11h00: Linking science to policy for a plastic waste free world
12h30-14h00: Lunch	12h30-14h00: Lunch	12h30-14h00: Lunch	12h30-14h00: Lunch	12h30-14h00: Lunch
14h00-15h30: Raman spectroscopy for microplastics detection	14h00-18h00: Field trip on Lake Geneva shore	14h00: Project video making	14h00-18h00: World Café	14h00-17h00: Video project pitch and discussion
16h00: Project video making				17h00: GSS closing
17h30-19h30: Geneva Summer School welcome event			18h00-20h00: Cocktail reception at Halles de l'île	