

## GLOBAL STUDIES INSTITUTE ACADEMIC CALENDAR: 2025/2026

AUTUMN SEMESTER 2025		
September 12th 2025	WELCOME SESSION	
	<u>Master of Science in Global Health and Master in Global Studies</u> : 1st year students are invited to a welcome session	Refer to the GSI website for details on the information sessions
September 15th 2025	BEGINNING OF THE ACADEMIC YEAR & INFORMATION SESSION	
	<u>Master in Global Studies</u> : Courses are not taught on the first day of the academic year. Students are invited to an information session	Refer to the GSI website for information session details
	<u>Master of Science in Global Health</u> : The introductory course is given on the first day of the year with a mandatory introductory session	Refer to the GSI website for information session details
September 16th 2025	<u>Master in Global Studies &amp; Master of Science in Global Health</u> : classes beginning	Refer to the GSI website for more details
October 6th-9th 2025	International week	Refer to the GSI website for details of the information session
October 10th 2025	Dies Academicus : no classes	
October 13th 2025	Opening of the registration period for a mobility project	Contact the Academic Advisor in charge of mobility at GSI and the Academic exchange service of the UNIGE
October 13th 2025	Registration deadline for autumn semester and annual courses/exams for Masters students	Online registration. If you have any problems, please contact the GSI Studies Secretariat
	Registration deadline for autumn semester and annual extra-curricular courses/exams for Masters students	Please refer to the GSI website for details of the application procedure or contact the GSI Studies Secretariat for further information
	Registration deadline for autumn semester and annual GSI courses/exams for mobility students, auditors and non-enrolled candidates	Please refer to the GSI website for details of the application procedure or contact the GSI Studies Secretariat for further information

November 3rd-7th 2025	Open study week	Under the supervision and guidance of the teaching staff : lessons review, writing assignments, reading, etc.
November 27th 2025	Application deadline for a mobility project	Contact the Academic Advisor in charge of mobility at GSI and the Academic exchange service of the UNIGE
December 19th 2025	End of autumn semester courses (at the end of the course day)	
CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS		
January 12th 2026	Beginning of exam session (subject to those organised by partner Faculties)	The examinations for the courses listed in our study plans and organised by the Faculty of Science have different examination timetables
January 15th 2026	Opening of the application period for GSI Masters programs for all students from foreign and Swiss universities and from the UNIGE	Please refer to the information (procedure and deadline) on the GSI website.
January 31st 2026	End of examination session (subject to those organised by partner Faculties)	The examinations for the courses listed in our study plans and organised by the Faculty of Science have different examination timetables
SPRING SEMESTER 2026		
February 16th 2026	Beginning of the Spring Semester	Refer to the GSI website for more details
February 28th 2026	Deadline for applications to GSI Masters programs for all students from foreign and Swiss universities and from the UNIGE	Please refer to the information (procedure and deadline) on the GSI website
March 9th 2026	Registration deadline for spring semester courses/exams for Masters students	Online registration. If you have any problems, please contact the GSI Studies Secretariat
	Registration deadline for spring semester extra-curricular courses/exams for Masters students	Please refer to the GSI website for details of the application procedure or contact the GSI Studies Secretariat for further information
	Registration deadline for spring semester GSI courses/exams for mobility students, auditors and non-enrolled candidates	

April 2nd 2026	End of courses (at the end of the course day)	
EASTER HOLIDAYS		
April 13th 2026	Back to classes	
May 1st 2026	Labour Day : no classes	
May 14th 2026	Ascension Day : no classes	
May 22nd 2026	End of spring semester courses (at the end of the course day)	
May 25th 2026	Pentecost - holiday	
June 1st 2026	Beginning of exam session (subject to those organised by partner Faculties)	The examinations for the courses listed in our study plans and organised by the Faculty of Law, the Faculty of Humanities and the Faculty of Science have different examination timetables
June 20th 2026	End of examination session (subject to those organised by partner Faculties)	The examinations for the courses listed in our study plans and organised by the Faculty of Law, the Faculty of Humanities and the Faculty of Science have different examination timetables
July 19th 2026	Registration deadline for exams in the August/September extraordinary session for Masters students	Online registration. If you have any problems, please contact the GSI Studies Secretariat
	Deadline for registration for extra-curricular exams in the August/September extraordinary session for Masters students	Please refer to the GSI website for details of the application procedure or contact the GSI Studies Secretariat for further information
	Registration deadline for exams in the August/September extraordinary session for mobility students, auditors and non-enrolled candidates	



August 17th 2026	Beginning of exam session (subject to those organised by partner Faculties)	The examinations for the courses listed in our study plans and organised by the Faculty of Humanities and the Faculty of Science have different examination timetables
September 5th 2026	End of examination session (subject to those organised by partner Faculties)	The examinations for the courses listed in our study plans and organised by the Faculty of Humanities and the Faculty of Science have different examination timetables
September 10th 2026	Jeûne Genevois - public holiday	
September 14th 2026	BEGINNING OF THE ACADEMIC YEAR	