International Relations

Fact Sheet 2024 - 2025

Institution

The Geneva School of Business Administration is part of the Swiss University of Applied Sciences Western Switzerland network which has a current enrollment of over 21'000 students. Our institute was established in 1998 and is located in Geneva, Switzerland.

Since its creation, the campus has grown in size and reputation to encompass approximately 1700 students and currently offers a wide range of programs, both undergraduate and postgraduate.

Language of instruction

Exchange students can study either 100% in French, 100% in English or mix classes in both languages if their level is good enough. No language certificate is requested, however it is the students own responsibility to have a sufficient language knowledge in order to attend classes and pass the exams.

We recommend the B2 level on the Cambridge scale.

Exchange students (who are not French mother tongue speakers) following the English program are required to take "French for non-native speakers" (beginner level or intermediate - 2 ECTS credits).

Academic Programs

4 Bachelors of Science programs

International Business Management
(Taught in English)
www.hesge.ch/heg/ibm

Business Information Systems
(Taught in French)
www.hesge.ch/heg/ig

Business Administration
(Taught in French)
www.hesge.ch/heg/ee

Information Science
(Taught in French & some courses in English)
www.hesge.ch/heg/id

Our Bachelor degree programs last three years (180 ECTS). Exchange students may come for either **one semester (30 ECTS) or two semesters (60 ECTS).**

Estimated costs of living per month

Accomodation
From CHF 700.- to CHF 1500.-
We only provide students with a list of useful contacts. We don't organize housing for International students.

Food
CHF 300.-

Bus transportation
CHF 45.-

Health insurance
If not covered by the home insurance policy: from CHF 80.- (depending coverage, age, etc.)

Scholarship

Exchange students will be considered for financial aid. The amount depends on the location of their home university and varies from year to year.

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Academic Information

Academic calendar

1st semester (Fall semester)
September 16th 2024 to January 25th 2025
(including exams)

2nd semester (Spring semester)
February 17th 2025 to June 21st 2025
(including exams)

Duration of classes
17 weeks per semester

Welcome Day
Mandatory . The week before the beginning
of the semester.

Exchange Student level
A. Undergraduate – Yes
B. Graduated level – Upon conditions

Grading system
The grading scale ranges from 1.0 (very poor) to
6.0 (excellent), 4.0 being the minimum pass mark.

Typical credit load per semester
30 ECTS for local students. The required
course load for international students depends
on the home institution.

Course registration
Registration will be done by the International
Relations Office before the beginning of the
semester, provided the student's Learning
Agreement (choice of classes) has been
approved by the home university and
the HEG-Genève.

Online courses registration is not available.

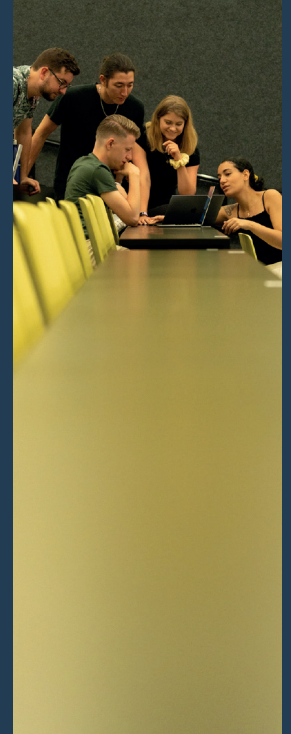## Transcripts of records sending dates
Transcripts of records will be issued and sent
to both students and their home institutions
approximately within 4-6 weeks after the
completion of the semester.

Nomination period
Fall semester: From March 1st to May 15th
Spring semester: From September 1st to October 15th

Application period
Fall semester: From March 1st to June 1st
Spring semester: From September 1st to November 1st

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