



#### DURATION OF STUDIES

1.5 years (3 semesters)

#### LANGUAGE OF INSTRUCTION

French, English

#### ADMISSIONS CONDITIONS

A Bachelor in Social Sciences or Economics or an equivalent degree in another field, upon completion of 6-30 credits of supplementary courses.

### *Master's Programme*

## THE MASTER IN SOCIOLOGY

offers students the critical tools and means to evaluate social, organisational, and individual dynamics in the economic, political, and social spheres of the modern world. The programme is aimed at training future sociologists in the fundamental qualitative and quantitative methods of the discipline: digital, visual, and anthropological methods, as well as network construction and analysis. The programme is designed around a full-scale group research project that allows students to put the methodologies they have studied into practice. In this stimulating environment, students will learn how to create problems and engineer their solutions, and how to define the terms of a research project and carry it out successfully. Individual coaching means students can develop conceptual and methodological autonomy, allowing them to make their own unique contributions to sociological knowledge.

[www.unige.ch/sciences-societe/formations/masters/sociologie](http://www.unige.ch/sciences-societe/formations/masters/sociologie)

## STUDY PROGRAMME

3 semesters (max. 5 semesters) | 90 ECTS credits

### Required courses

24 credits

Research forum and master class in Sociology.

### Option methodology classes

6 credits

- Network Analysis
- Advanced Qualitative Methods, etc.

### Option classes and electives

36 credits

- Organisational Anthropology
- Visual Creation for the Social Sciences
- Social Analysis Clinic
- Life Course Analysis
- Sustainable Consumption, etc.

### Master's thesis or work placement dissertation

24 credits

## ACADEMIC CALENDAR

[www.unige.ch/sciences-societe/etudiants/horaires](http://www.unige.ch/sciences-societe/etudiants/horaires)

## LEVEL OF FRENCH REQUIRED BY UNIGE

Eliminatory general test for non-Francophones, with the exception of the following cases:

[www.unige.ch/frenchexam](http://www.unige.ch/frenchexam)

## MOBILITY

Master's students are permitted to go on exchange for one semester. Students may go on exchange as early as their second semester but may earn no more than 30 credits at another university. The dissertation cannot be substituted.

[www.unige.ch/exchange](http://www.unige.ch/exchange)

## PROFESSIONAL PROSPECTS

The Master of Arts in Sociology leads to a number of opportunities both in Switzerland and abroad in:

- Media
- Culture
- Insurance and banking
- Marketing and advertising
- Public administration
- Programming
- Research (private or public sector)

## UNIVERSITY TAXES

500 CHF / semester

## REGISTRATION

Deadline: 28 February 2018 for all graduates of foreign universities (30 April 2018 for all graduates of Swiss universities/colleges)

[www.unige.ch/enrolment](http://www.unige.ch/enrolment)  
[admissions.unige.ch](http://admissions.unige.ch)

## CONTACTS FOR STUDIES

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