



DURATION OF STUDIES

1.5 years (3 semesters)

LANGUAGES OF INSTRUCTION

French

Except for disciplines involving modern languages (Spanish, Italian, English and German), where courses are offered in the relevant language.

CONDITIONS OF REGISTRATION

www.unige.ch/conditions/MA

ADMISSION CONDITIONS

A Bachelor of Arts with at least 60 credits in the given discipline, or an equivalent degree. Additional courses may be required depending on prior studies.

Master's Programme

MASTER ÈS LETTRES, DISCIPLINE ARMENIAN LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE

UNIGE is the only Swiss university with a centre for Armenian studies and research and one of only a handful of universities in Europe where students can study the ancient and modern Armenian language and literature from the Bachelor's to the PhD level. Studies are divided into two historical periods: ancient (from the 5th to the 18th century) and modern (19th and 20th centuries). Topics include historiography and the transfer of knowledge during the ancient and medieval periods, the literature of the diaspora and identity in exile, Soviet-era literature, apocryphal literature, the history of women, and the roots of Armenian Christianity and its links with Greek, Syriac and Latin Christianity.

STUDY PROGRAMME

3 semesters (max. 6 semesters) | 90 ECTS credits

Chosen discipline

36 credits

3 teaching modules.

2 elective modules

36 credits

Dissertation

30 credits

ACADEMIC CALENDAR

www.unige.ch/calendar

LEVEL OF FRENCH REQUIRED BY UNIGE

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

www.unige.ch/frenchexam

MOBILITY

Master's students are encouraged to go on exchange, if possible for a single semester, given the duration of the programme. Students may go on exchange regardless of how many credits they have completed at the Faculty. Under regulations, students may earn no more than 24 credits (2 modules) while on exchange. The dissertation cannot be substituted.

www.unige.ch/exchange

PROFESSIONAL PROSPECTS

Unlike other fields of study, Arts degrees are not geared toward a specific career and graduates generally need to gain additional experience on the job.

Job opportunities may be found in the following areas: teaching, journalism, radio, television, publishing, libraries, documentation centres, archives, bookshops, museums, heritage protection organisations, international organisations, diplomacy, private companies, banks, administration, staff management, tourism, public relations, cultural activities, art dealerships, galleries, and literary, linguistic or philosophical research and writing, etc.

UNIVERSITY TAXES

500 CHF / semester

REGISTRATION

Deadline: 30 April 2024

(28 February 2024 for applicants subject to a visa because of their nationality, as set forth in Swiss federal regulations)

www.unige.ch/enrolment

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