



MASTER IN INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS
SPECIALISATION TRACK
GLOBAL SECURITY

THE
**GRADUATE
INSTITUTE
GENEVA**

INTERDISCIPLINARY
MASTERS

This specialisation track offers a variety of courses that will provide students with a systemic and critical understanding of the evolution of the global security architecture, as well as the transformations shaping it at the beginning of the 21st century.

The interlocked and evolving nature of state and non-state actors – as well as international institutions – in the international system will be at the heart of the track's core courses. The broad range of disciplinary and interdisciplinary courses – offered by a mix of Graduate Institute and visiting professors – will allow students to focus on more specific issues; from regional security dynamics (e.g. in the Middle East) to the role of business in shaping the evolving security environment. The students will also gain hands-on experience via a series of applied skills workshops, simulations and hands-on trainings. The overall aim of the track is to forge a mix of theoretical and practical skills that are necessary for effective participation for future professionals faced with security policy challenges.

CORE COURSES

- Contemporary Security Politics | **Jonas Hagmann**
- The Evolution of Global Security | **Jussi Hanhimäki**

ELECTIVES

- The Arab-Israeli Conflict | **Cyrus Schayegh**
- Asian Security System | **Lanxin Xiang**
- Business and Security in Fragile States | **Achim Wennmann**
- Cooperation and Competition, Security in Europe and the Role of the OSCE (3 ECTS) | **Fred Tanner**
- Empire: Past, Present and Future | **Cyrus Schayegh**
- Environmental Security, (Critical) Geopolitics and the Anthropocene | **Stefano Guzzini**
- European Security | **Catherine Hoeffler**
- Great Power Politics of Atlanticism | **Lanxin Xiang**
- International Learning in a Multiplayer World | **Amandeep Gill**
- Predicting Crises | **Ravinder Bhavnani**
- United Nations: A Global History | **Jussi Hanhimäki**
- Visual Archives of Violence | **Riccardo Bocco, Jonathan Austin**
- War | **Andrew Clapham**
- Critical Security Studies* | **Keith Krause**
- Diplomatic Encounters* | **Aurel Niederberge**
- Foreign Policy Analysis* | **Cameron Thies**
- Foreign Policies of Major Powers* | **Lanxin Xiang**
- International Security* | **Keith Krause, Anna Leander**
- Internet Governance: the Role of Internet Law* | **Thomas Schultz**
- Transatlantic Relations since 1945* | **Jussi Hanhimäki**
- UN Peace Operations in the Changing World* | **Sara Anna Hellmüller**

* Course open in priority to disciplinary programmes.