

Annex 2: Plan of studies for ZHAW students

1st year students at ZHAW

Semester 1 (September to December)		Semester 2 (January to June)	
Orientation Days	-	International Economics, Politics and Business Systems	6
Business Boot Camp	6	International Corporate Responsibility	3
Internationalization and Innovation	6	Intercultural Management and Leadership	6
International Marketing	3	International Negotiation	3
Elective	3	International Risk and Financial Management	3
Advanced Research and Consulting	6	Elective	3
Research Skill Camp	6	Advanced International Project 1	6
International Business Project	6	Advanced International Project 2	6
International Research Project	6		
Total ECTS semester 1	42	Total ECTS semester 2	36

2nd year at SGH

Semester 3 (September to December)		Semester 4 (January to May)	
Advanced International Economics	4.5	Economics and Management of Innovations	4.5
Business Law	4.5	International Entrepreneurship	4.5
International Financial Management	3	Managerial Economics	4.5
Natural Environment and Energy: International Conflicts and Cooperation	3	Services Management on International Market	4.5
Quantitative and Qualitative Methods in Management Sciences and Economics	7.5	Elective courses	9
International Banking	3		
Economic Diplomacy	3		
Total ECTS semester 3	28.5	Total ECTS semester 4	27
		Total ECTS semesters 1 to 4	133.5

Master thesis

The Master thesis is a mandatory part of both degrees. At SGH the Master thesis is awarded 20 ECTS. This is recognised as 12 ECTS at the ZHAW.

The Master thesis is usually completed in the period June to September after semester 4.

Total ECTS for semesters 1 to 4 and Master thesis:

- 153.5 ECTS at SGH
- 145.5 ECTS at ZHAW