HSLU Lucerne University of Applied Sciences and Arts

Bachelor Animation

Admission process 2027

Bachelor of Arts in Film with specialisation in Animation

Application

Application deadline
21.02.2027

In order to participate in the admission process, please register here by 21st February 2027:

A registration fee of CHF 200.00 will be charged and must be paid before completing your application.

Part 1
Digital portfolio / artistic task / enclosures

Artistic task published
On 26.02.2027

Submission of your work
22.03.2027 (by 09:00) – 25.03.2027 (until 17:00)

max. file size
1 GB

Your application documents must include:

- a digital portfolio / selection of your work (images and films)
- a motivation letter
- your CV
- an artistic task (see right-hand column)

The artistic task consisting of:

- a film critique
- a film idea, consisting of: A synopsis, a storyboard, mood boards / film stills
  or
- a presentation of a fictional world, consisting of: Brief description of the world with an internal or external conflict, concept art and character design, mood boards / film stills

The artistic task is published online on 26th February 2027.
The link for the task will be sent by e-mail.

Notification of decision
Until 08.04.2027

After your documents have been reviewed, you will be informed about the next steps. If the decision is positive, you will receive an email invitation with the date and time for an aptitude interview. In the case of a negative decision, you will also be notified by email.

Part 2
Interview

Interview period
13.04.–16.04.2027

Content: Artistic/design approach, motivation, and goals

Duration: 30 minutes

Please make yourself available for the entire interview period.

Decision on admission

Positive decisions and definitive rejections will be communicated until 23rd April 2027. To confirm acceptance of a study place, the student agreement must be returned within 7 days of receiving the acceptance notification. Applicants who meet the admission requirements but cannot be offered a place due to limited capacity will be placed on a waiting list and informed via e-mail. You will be notified as soon as a study place becomes available. Please note that all communication regarding the waiting list will be handled exclusively via e-mail. We are unable to provide updates by phone.

In case of rejection, you can request an appointment for a feedback interview. These will take place exclusively on the mornings of 29th and 30th April 2027 via Zoom. Unfortunately, other dates are not possible.

Notification of acceptance
Until 23.04.2027

Admissions from waiting list
Until the end of June 2027

The final decisions on the waiting list will be sent out at the end of June 2027.

Costs / Study fees
According Study Fees 2027–2028

According to Study Fees 2027–2028, an already accepted study place can be cancelled until **31st July 2027** without any further costs.

Further information

Degree Programme Bachelor Animation

Please also refer to our general information section on our website for details on admission criteria and the application procedure.

Contact

Should you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact the admissions team:
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