



## ADMISSION PROCESS 2023

### MASTER OF ARTS IN FILM

Application deadline  
09.03.2023

If there are places available,  
we accept further applications  
after the deadline.

To enter the admission process apply until 9th March 2023 and select your major: [Link](#)

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

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## PART 1

### APPLICATION DOCUMENTS

All documents must be uploaded in the online application form (max. file size 2GB).

Your application must include the following files:

#### Pre-education

- Degree certificate of upper-secondary level (Higher Secondary Education, A-Level, High School)
- Diplomas, school reports or certificates with regard to your basic and further education
- Confirmation of exmatriculation (from previous Swiss universities)
- Language certificates
- Employer references and confirmations regarding your professional activities/ experience/work

Foreign diplomas must be accompanied by a translated version (German or English) in addition to the original scan!

#### Enclosures

- Passport, residence permit (if available)
- CV
- Motivation letter (What have I achieved so far? Why? What are my strengths? In which field would I like to expand and deepen my knowledge? What is my motivation to apply for a Master's programme? What would I like to improve? Length of letter between one and two A4 pages)
- Portfolio and examples of your previous experiences with the moving image or audio-visual storytelling (these can also be provided online as a link).
- Detailed written project proposal for the practical work, if you want to study full-time and graduate with a completed film. For part-time study or graduation in the exploration track, we only require a thematic outline of the planned master's thesis.

Notification of Decision  
until 29.03.2023

An acceptance commission evaluates all applications and decides who will be invited to part 2 of the admission procedure. The decision will be communicated latest by 29th March 2023.

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## PART 2

### INTERVIEW

17.04. - 20.04.2023

Please make yourself available for the entire interview period.

During a personal interview with the acceptance committee, we will go through the submitted documents. Please make yourself available for the mentioned period, as the invitation will be sent shortly before. The interview lasts about 45 minutes and can be conducted online in exceptional cases.

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### DECISION OF ADMISSION

Notification of acceptance until 08.05.2023

Accepted applications and definite rejections will be communicated until 8th May 2023. The student agreement needs to be signed and returned within seven days. Applicants, who meet the admission requirements of their chosen programme, but are not admitted due to limited space, will be put on a waiting list. This will be communicated by email. Students on the waiting list will be informed as quickly as possible if a study place becomes available. Please note, that we will not provide any information by phone.

Rejection of study place until 31.05.2023

Pursuant to the decision of the Conference of Swiss Colleges of Art and Design (CHAD) of 3rd May 2012, an offer of admission may be declined without cost implications before 31st May 2023. This ruling applies to the Zurich University of the Arts, the Lucerne University of Applied Sciences and Arts, the Bern University of Applied Sciences and the University of Applied Sciences and Arts Northwestern Switzerland.

Admissions from waiting list until early June 2023

Accepted applications from the waiting list will be notified by email until early June 2023.

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### Further information

Degree Programme Master Film: [Link](#)

Please also refer to our information overview which includes admission criteria, FAQ's and information about the admission process: [Link](#)

For administrative questions, please contact our office:

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Should you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact

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