

SIT 2025-26

Academic Calendar

Global Master's in Humanitarian Assistance and Crisis Management

Fall 2025: Sep 1-December 10: Jordan

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| September 1 | Arrive in Amman, Jordan (Queen Alia International Airport (AMM)) |
| September 2-4 | Orientation (group accommodation provided in modest hotel during orientation) |
| September 5 | Students move into their homestays or shared apartments |
| September 8 | Fall semester begins. Individual programs may start a week before or after this date. Residencies may begin earlier with a pre-program orientation. |
| September 15-October 17 | Classes |
| September 2-12 | Add/drop period for fall semester |
| October 13 | *Indigenous People's Day: US offices closed |
| October 10 | Student deadline for submitting incomplete summer coursework |
| October 27-31 | Reading Week |
| November 3-14 | Classes Resume |
| November 16-24 | Turkey field study (Please note that the field study country and dates are subject to change depending on unforeseen conditions.) |
| November 24-December 18 | Classes Resume |
| November 14-December 1 | Online registration for spring semester |
| November 27-28 | *Thanksgiving Break: US offices closed |
| December 9 | Fall semester ends, students depart |
| December 25-January 5 | *SIT Holiday: US offices closed |

Spring 2026: January 18-April 28: Morocco

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| January 18 | Arrive in Morocco (Rabat-Salé Airport-RBA) |
| January 19-21 | Morocco Orientation period and home quarantine if required (group accommodation provided in modest hotel during orientation) |

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| January 21 | Students move into their homestays, private apartments, or shared apartments |
| January 21-January 30 | Add/drop period for spring semester |
| January 21-April 28 | Classes |
| February 10 | Student deadline for submitting incomplete fall coursework |
| February 16 | *President's Day: US offices closed |
| April 1-15 | Online registration for summer semester |
| April 28-May 2 | Capstone Seminar |
| April 28 | Spring semester ends. Students depart. |
| May 14 | Degree Conferral |

Summer 2026: May 18-August 8: Practicum and Capstone

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| May 18 | Summer semester begins. |
| May 18-June | Add/drop for summer semester |
| May 26 | *Memorial Day observed: US offices closed |
| June 19 | *Juneteenth observed: US offices closed |
| July 4 | *Independence Day observed: US offices closed |
| June 30 | Student deadline for submitting incomplete spring 2021 coursework |
| August 1-15 | Online registration for fall semester |
| August 3-7 | Capstone Seminar |
| August 7 | Summer semester ends |
| August 8 | Commencement & degree conferral |

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