

## Academic Internship at the Embassy of Switzerland in Qatar

The Embassy of Switzerland in Doha, Qatar, is offering a full-time, remunerated academic internship (40h. per week):

- 1st February 31st July 2026 (6 months): application deadline 31 October 2025
- 1st July 31st December 2026 (6 months): application deadline 31 March 2026

Academic internships are intended to give students or recent graduates the opportunity to experience the daily work of a Swiss diplomatic mission abroad and familiarize themselves with the various aspects of the diplomatic activities.

The academic intern must cover all costs, such as travel, accommodation and insurance.

## Candidates should have:

- Strong interest in international politics -specifically the Middle East and Gulf Regionand international law, and in Swiss foreign policy;
- Ability to grasp new concepts quickly and navigate new areas;
- Ability to write reports and summarize notes quickly on a range of topics and meetings;
- Flexibility and willingness to work on different projects as required by the Embassy;
- Readiness to liaise with the Embassy's partners in person and over the telephone, and to organize and participate in official functions and events;
- Good time management skills and experience of organizing events or meetings:
- Experience of managing social media platforms and creating content for digital engagement.

## **Candidates must:**

- Be a Swiss citizen or resident in Switzerland:
- Possess excellent written and oral communication skills in English;
- Speak and write fluently in German, French or Italian, and have a passive knowledge of at least one other official language;
- Have graduated no more than one year prior to the start of the internship;
- Not have completed more than 6 months of internship experience in the Federal Administration, please note the FDFA admission requirements.

## All applicants must submit the following documents in PDF format:

- Curriculum vitae CV (in English);
- Motivation letter (in English);
- Any employment certificates, diplomas or current transcripts;
- Letter(s) of recommendation.
- > We welcome your application by email: <a href="mailto:doha.jobs@eda.admin.ch">doha.jobs@eda.admin.ch</a>