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Welcome Days

Fall Semester 2026

7.–11. September 2026

Warm-Up Day: 7. September 2026

Let's kick off together!





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The University of Zurich

Offers & Services

Roger Gfrörer, Student Information and Counselling

7 September 2026



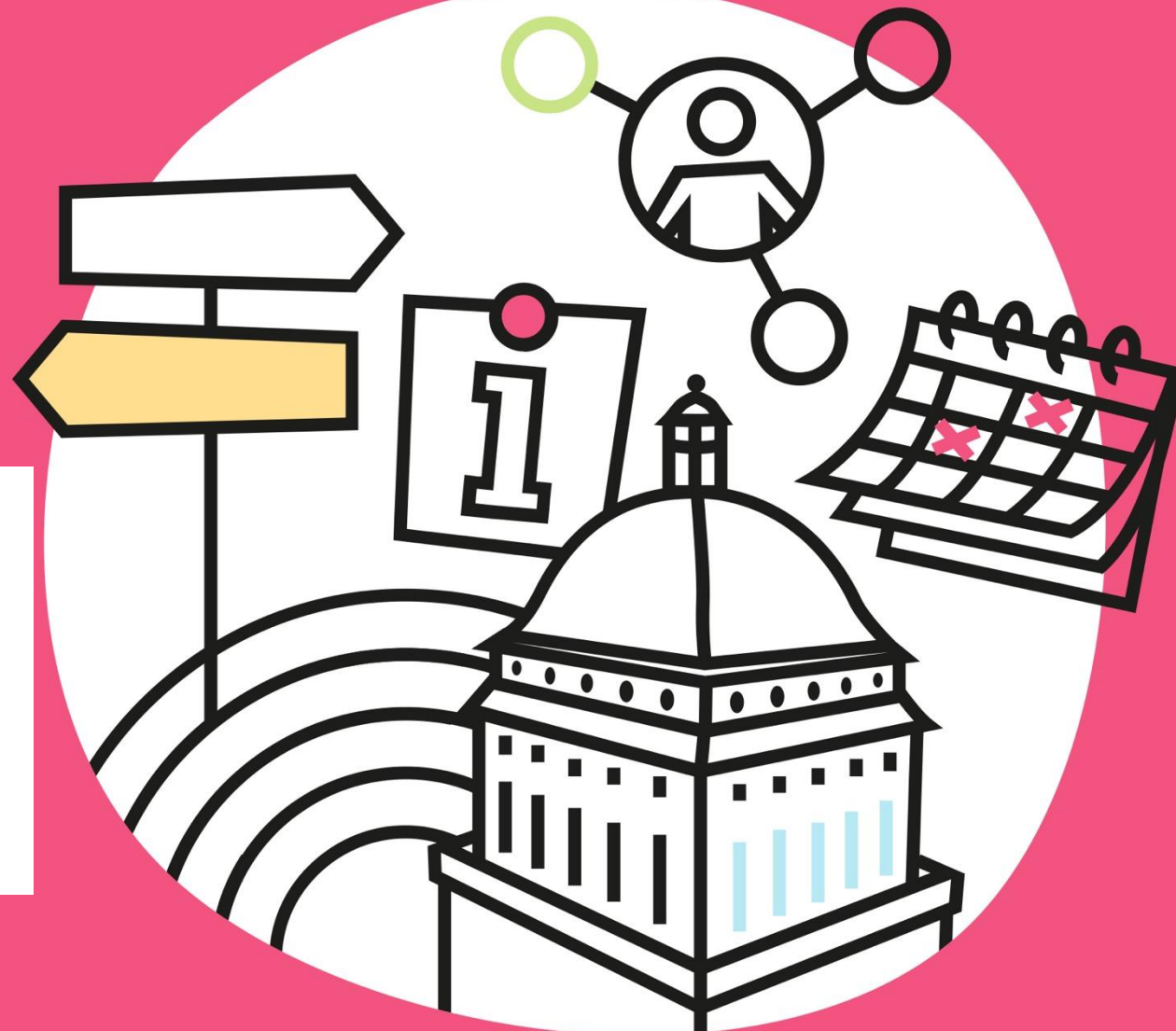


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Study Orientation Center

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Jasmine Truong



We're here to support you on your journey through UZH

Learning phase: through Workshops on learning and procrastination

→ uzhstudy.ch/en/skills/

Start of Studies:

→ students.students.uzh.ch/en/new



Choosing a degree program:

- Info Days for Prospective Students
- Drop-in
- UZHGym

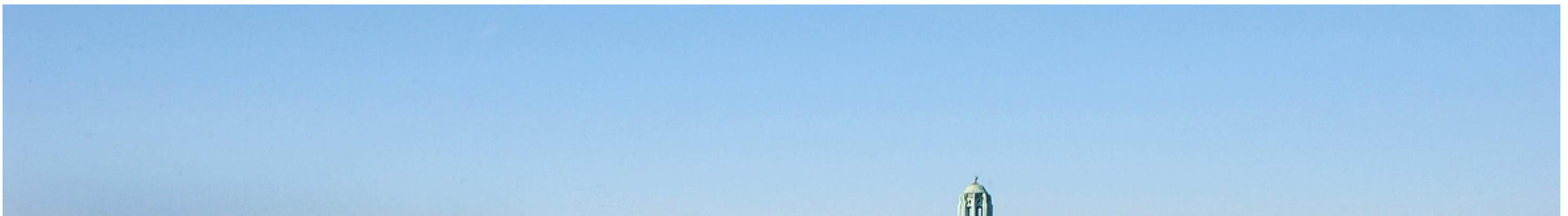


Doubts about your Studies:
through one-on-one Coaching
Sessions



Master's program selection:
Info Days for Prospective
Master Students

→ fso.uzh.ch



How do I finance my studies?

Brigitte Ortega, Student Financial Aid Office



...and why is that important ?

Have you planned realistically?

- A **stable financial situation is the basis** to a successful degree programme.
- During your **first year** at university, you should **focus** as much as possible **on your studies**.
- Your parents are required to support you during your initial education **up to and including a master's degree**, even if you are older than 25, **provided they are financially able to do so**.
- If that is not the case, **check** whether you are eligible to apply for **scholarships** (student grants).



Visit our website.



How much will my studies cost me?



Estimated minimal budget* (per month)	CHF
Study costs (tuition fees and teaching materials)	250.-
Catering (away and at home)	450.-
Travel expenses (car, public transport, bicycle)	95.-
Insurance (health insurance, AHV)	200.-
Housing and ancillary costs (rent, heating, and ancillary costs)	910.-
Provisions (taxes)	25.-
Personal items (clothes, hygiene, leisure, cell phone)	270.-
Total	2200.-

Budget calculator
Student Financial Aid Office (SFAO)



→ [Budget Calculator](#)

Financing your studies: When can you contact us?



Before studying

- For realistic budget planning
- If you and your parents cannot agree on how your studies will be financed

During your studies

- Financial conflicts with parents
- Changes in health (illness / accident / pregnancy)
- Balancing work and studies is no longer feasible
- Fear of debt
- Change of degree programme or subject restriction



Student Financial Aid
Office

→ studienfinanzierung.uzh.ch



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Disability Office

Ulla Blume





Are you studying with a disability and/or chronic illness?

Welcome to the University of Zurich.

The University of Zurich is actively committed to promoting diversity and eliminating discrimination. In doing so, it supports a diversity-sensitive and inclusive environment for all members of the University.



Are you studying with a disability and/or chronic illness?

These include, for example

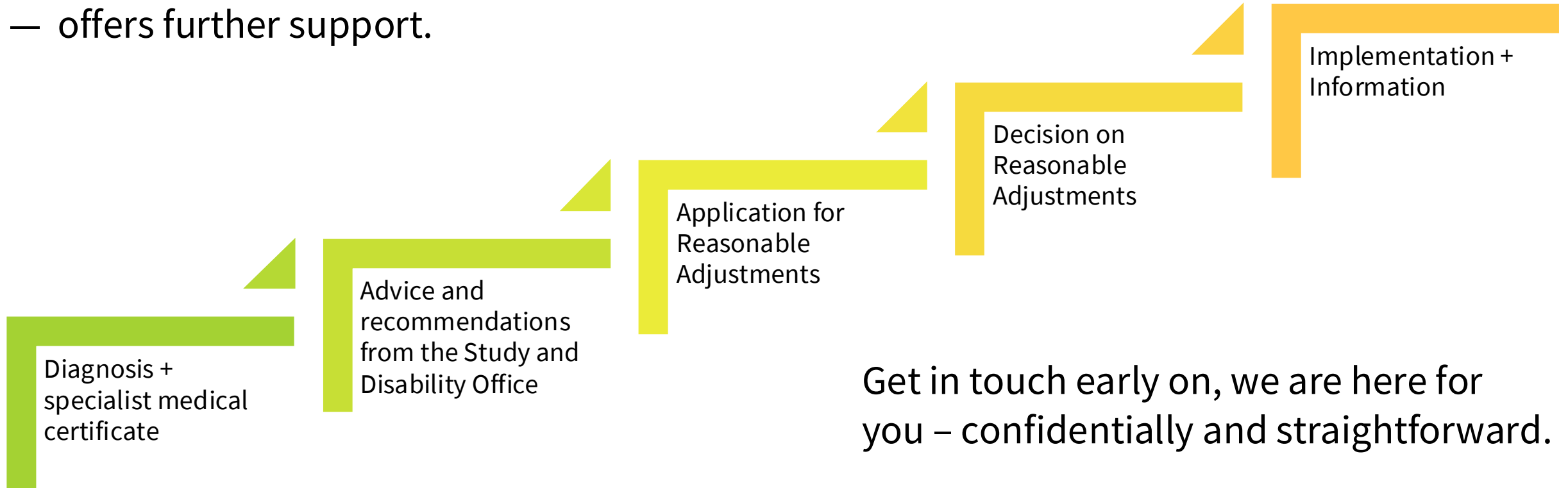
- Neurodivergences,
e.g., dyslexia, dyscalculia, autism spectrum disorders, attention deficit disorder (ADD)
- Mental health conditions,
e.g., depression, bipolar disorder, PTSD, panic disorder
- Chronic illnesses,
e.g., multiple sclerosis, cancer, long COVID, ME/CFS
- Mobility or sensory impairments

Are you studying with a disability and/or chronic illness?

You can apply for **Reasonable Adjustments**.

The Office for Students with Disabilities:

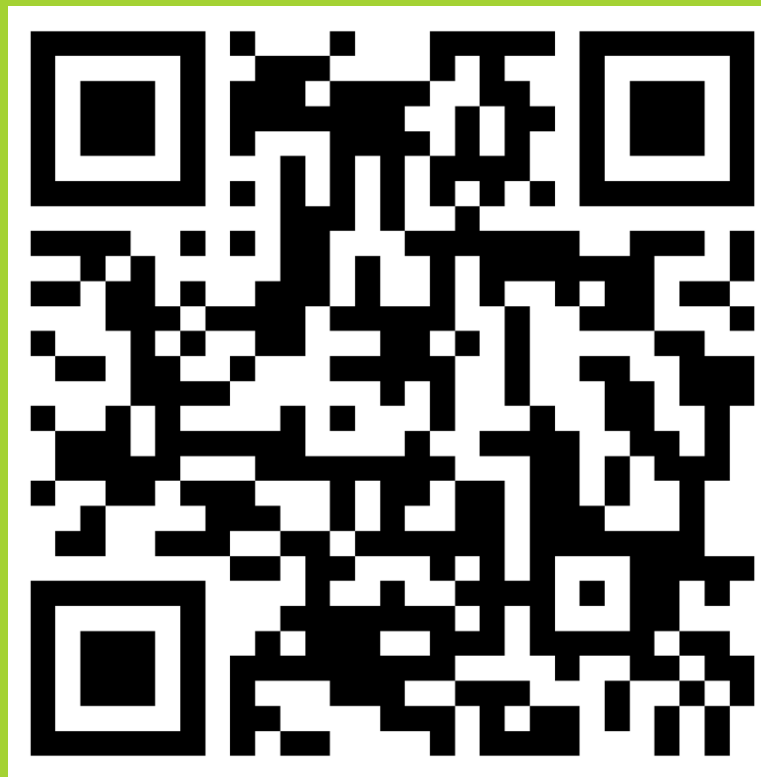
- provides individual advice,
- assists you with the application process,
- offers further support.



Get in touch early on, we are here for you – confidentially and straightforward.



**Book an
appointment and/or
apply for reasonable
adjustments?**



→ www.disabilityoffice.uzh.ch/



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Psychological Counseling Services

Helga Hostettler



Psychological Counselling Services



ETH zürich



**Psychological
Counseling Services**



pbs.uzh.ch



Who we are:

- An engaged team with specialized psychotherapists
- Empathic listeners to different life struggles
- ...We are here for you!



Where are we:

- Near UZH and ETH City Campus
- UZH Campus Oerlikon
- ETH Hönggerberg



What do we offer:

- Personal Counselling (e.g. for procrastination, relationship problems, stress, etc.)
- Workshops on a range of topics such as self-worth, mindfulness, exam anxiety etc.
- Coaching for UZH employees
- free of charge and confidential



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Career Services

Julia Michael



Your studies. Your experiences. Your future.

During your studies, you can ...

- ... develop subject-specific knowledge and transferable skills
- ... discover your interests and strengths
- ... gain experience and try new things
- ... network and explore opportunities
- ... reflect on your next steps

How you influence your career choice while in college

- Combination of majors and minors and degree (BA / MA)
- Bachelor's or master's thesis or seminar papers during your studies
- Gap year, study abroad
- Part-time jobs, internships, extracurricular activities (clubs, NGOs, sports)
- Your network
- Happenstance

Career Services support you throughout your studies

→ uzhcareer.ch/



Career Services



E-learning platform potential.ly

Would you like to prepare for your career start in a targeted manner and at your own pace? Then you've come to the right place.

[More Information](#)



Consultations

Would you like to explore your options after graduation together? Are you about to submit an application or even attend your first interview? We are here to help.

[More Information](#)



Career Services Podcast

In our podcast, you can get to know our team, learn about various topics related to starting your career, and hear from our international colleagues about how the job market works in other countries.

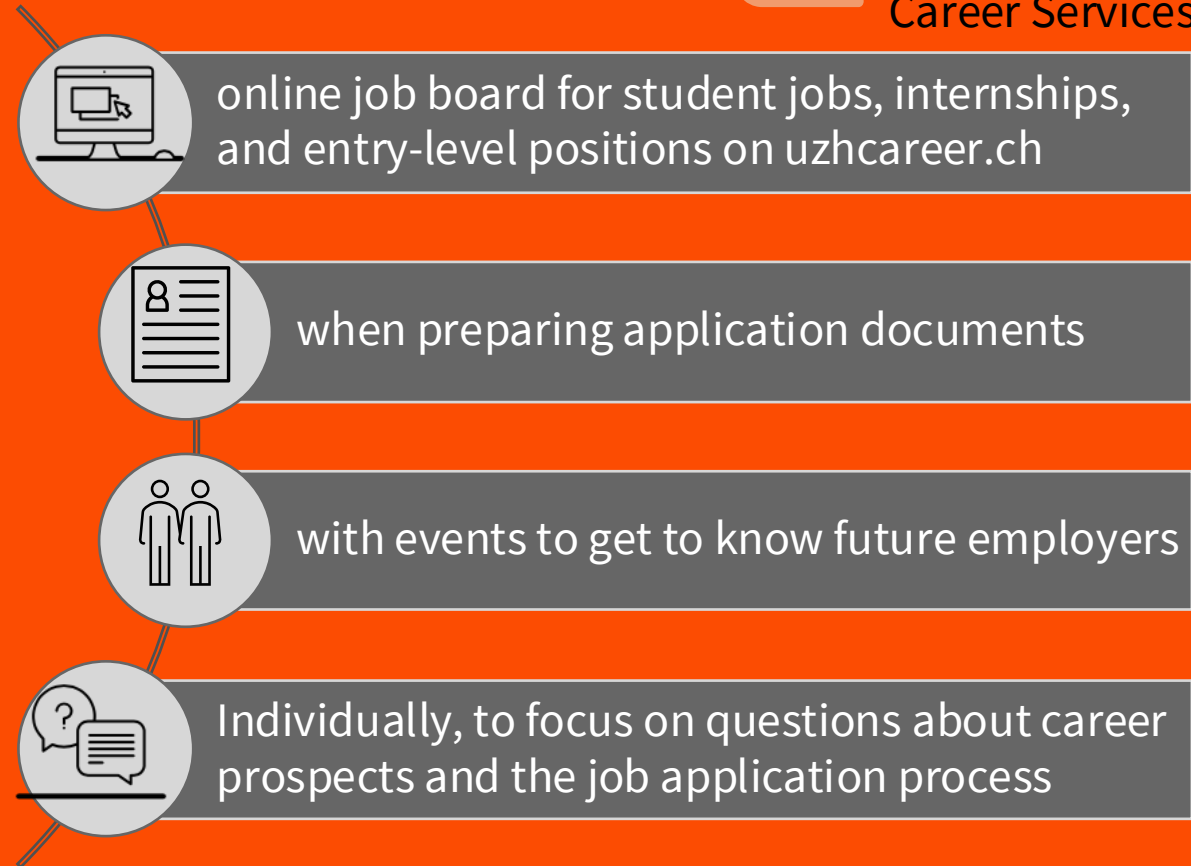
[More Information](#)



Our career planning guide

Are you about to finish your degree and make the transition into working life? Or would you like to find out now how you can successfully navigate your entry into the world of work? Our guide will help you through the application process.

[More Information](#)



Our offers and services are free of charge



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Language Center UZH / ETH Zurich

Giorgio Iemmolo



Language Center

Language courses

for your studies, your future career, and your personal development

Academic Communication Center

Improve your academic writing, presenting, and communication skills.

Autonomous learning

Self-Access Centers, tandem partnerships, and individual learning consultations

ECTS Credits

creditable towards your studies

Languages

Ancient Greek

Arabic

Brasilian-Portuguese

Chinese

English

French

German as a foreign language and Swiss German

Italian

Japanese

Korean

Latin

Modern Greek

Russian

Spanish

Swedish

Swiss-German sign language



→ www.sprachenzentrum.uzh.ch



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Global Student Experience

Studying abroad

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Ilaria Russo



Studying abroad

Your advantages at UZH

- Partner universities around the world
- Financial support
- Academic change of perspective
- Recognition of academic achievements abroad
- ...and much more

Short stays (summer/winter schools, module mobility, etc) and internships abroad are also possible!



Global Student Experience

When can you contact us?

We provide information and advice on the various exchange programs and the application process.

We support you in planning your exchange stay and are your point of contact for a wide range of questions.

Contact for International Master's students

Rosina Korschildgen

incoming@int.uzh.ch

- Visa and entry into Switzerland
- Registration in Zurich
- Health insurance

Global Student
Experience

Get in touch with us!

Visit our website → int.uzh.ch

Send us an email: outgoing@int.uzh.ch

Or drop by at our service desk without an appointment in the main building, KOL-E-17. Monday to Friday, 09:30 – 12:30



→ <https://www.int.uzh.ch/en.html>

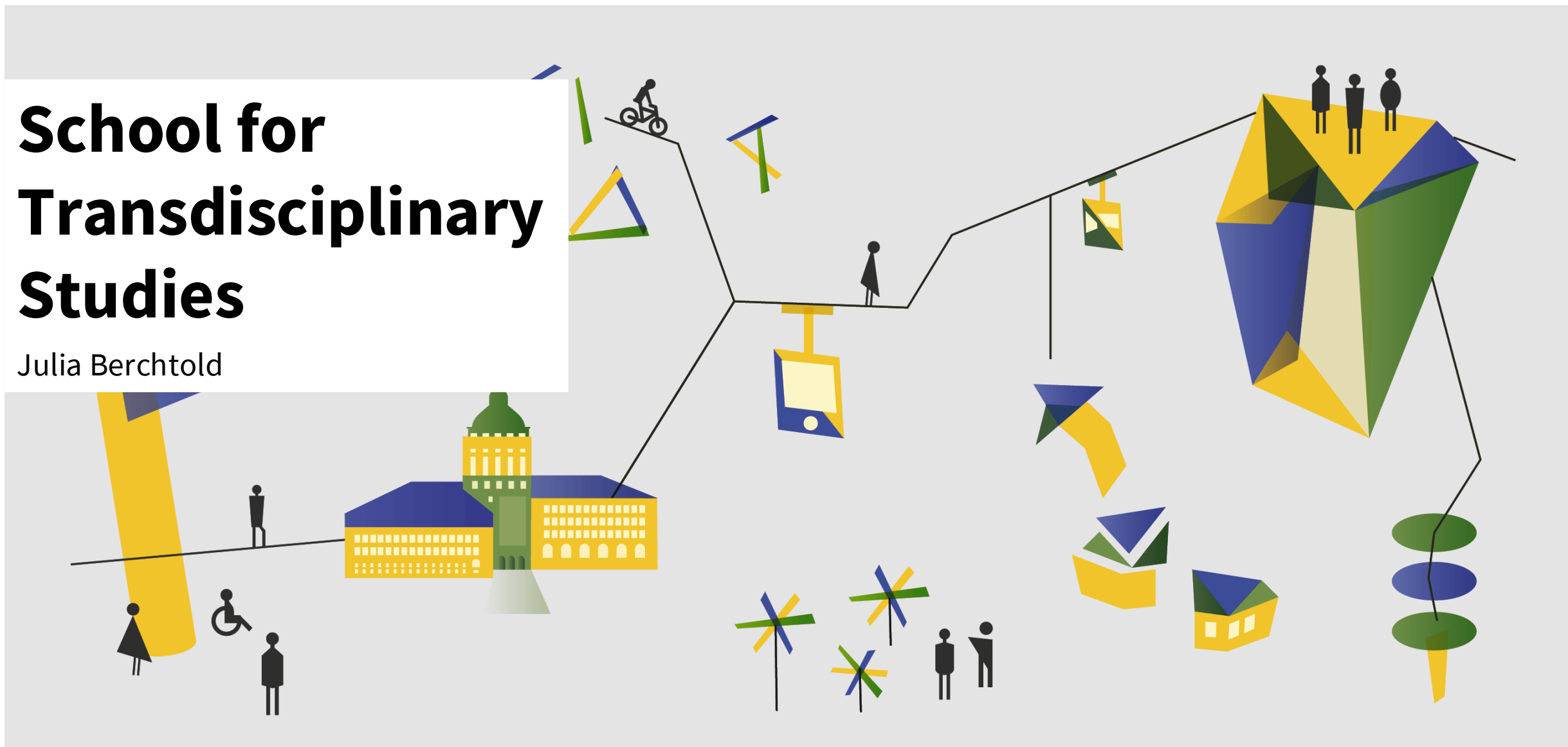


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School for Transdisciplinary Studies

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Julia Berchtold





Broaden your horizons beyond your field of study

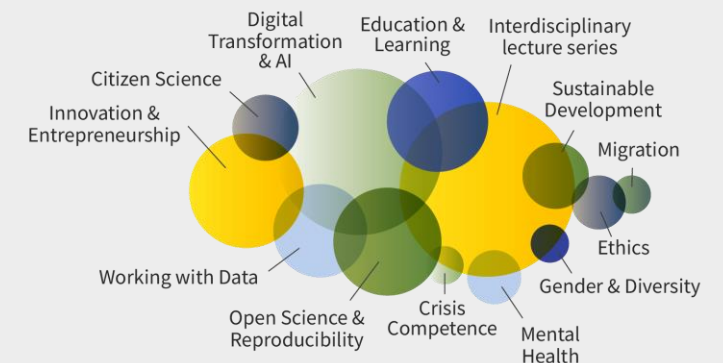
With the courses and study programs offered by the School for Transdisciplinary Studies (STS), you can:



→ www.sts.uzh.ch

- expand your academic expertise
- analyze and **understand** current **societal challenges** from multiple perspectives
- collaborate with students from other disciplines and **develop innovative solutions**
- acquire **Future skills**
- **earn ECTS credits** that can be credited toward your study program

STS portfolio



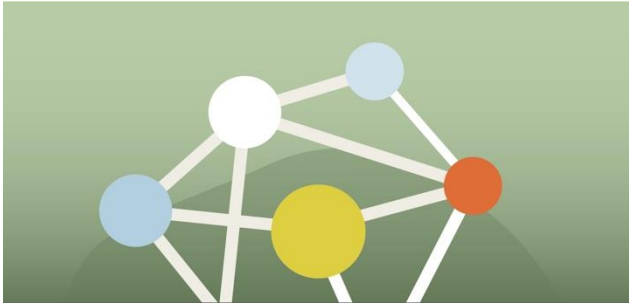


Sustainable Development at UZH

Linde Warland



Topics of the Sustainability Hub and offers for students



Coordinating the implementation of the Sustainability Policy, advising and connecting UZH members, initiating projects



Green VVZ, Study week „Nachhaltige Entwicklung und Transformation“, Lecture Series „Sustainability Now!“



Factsheets and tips for sustainable action



Monthly news on sustainability via the newsletter



to the website of the Sustainability Hub

→ sustainability.uzh.ch



You can also find us on social media:





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Equality, Diversity and Inclusion at UZH

Karena Weduwen



Services and Topics of the Office for Equality, Diversity, Inclusion

Selection of our Topics

- inclusive language
- gender equality
- inclusion
- LGBTQIA+
- racism
- social background
- work-life balance

Services for Students

- information on relevant policies
- news and events on EDI-topics
- free and confidential advisory services, assistance in cases of suspected discrimination



→ edi.uzh.ch



EDI-Website



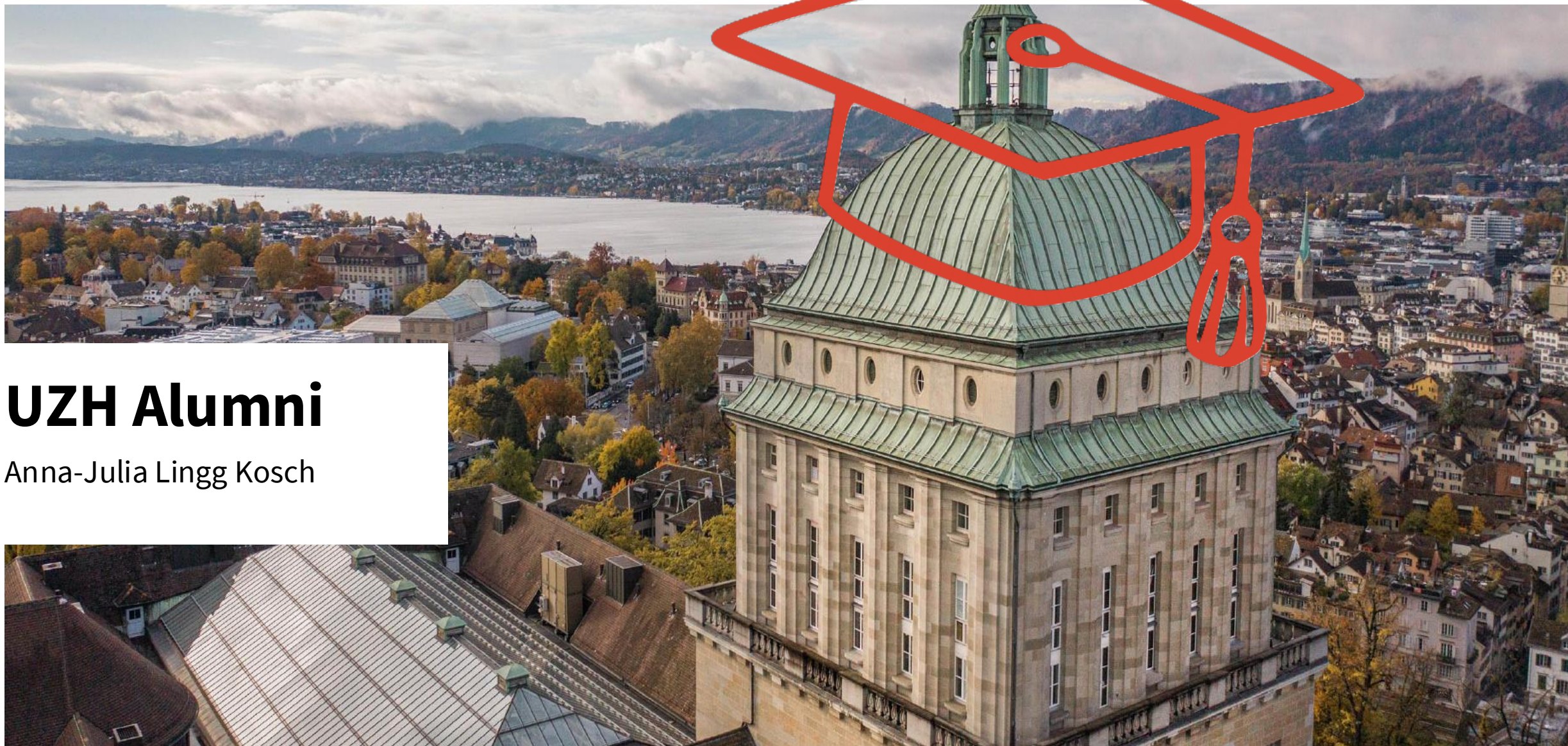
EDI on Instagram



EDI on LinkedIn



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UZH Alumni

Anna-Julia Lingg Kosch

«Alumni» starts now



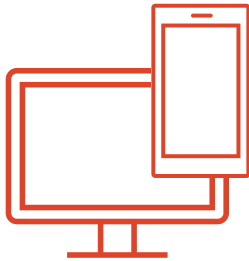
Connect
Events & Social Media



Benefits
Discounts & Deals



Mentoring
From Alumni for Students



Marktplatz
Everything for student life

Check it out!

→ uzhalumni.ch/page/foruzhstudents



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**We wish you a great
start!**

