



SNIS Award 2024

THE SNIS AWARD IS OPEN FOR SUBMISSIONS

The annual SNIS Award rewards an excellent Ph.D. thesis in International Studies. It is now open and ready for YOUR submission.

The 2024 SNIS Award aims at rewarding and recognising the best Ph.D. thesis in the field of International Studies received from a Swiss University. Its objective is to encourage and support young academics while promoting interdisciplinary research.

Submissions need not be limited to one topic or discipline; past winning theses range from being situated in political science, economics, sociology, social and cultural anthropology, to law, history, geography, environmental sciences and more. Notably, the area of 'International Studies' encompasses various academic fields and analyses political, economic, social, environmental, legal, and health issues that extend beyond national boundaries. It is thus inherently interdisciplinary.

The winner will be determined by the SNIS Award Committee, a jury composed of experts in one or several areas relevant to International Studies. The award prize is set at CHF 10'000.-

The eligibility criteria for entering the SNIS Award 2024 are the following:

- Must have received their Ph.D. degree at a Swiss University in the calendar year 2023
- Must have received 'summa cum laude', or a mark equal or superior to 5.5
- The thesis must be written in either English, French or German
- The submission must be accompanied by two supporting letters testifying to its quality
- The thesis can be a monograph or can have been published as a paper series
- The thesis must relate to International Studies

The submission deadline is 11th April 2024, 1PM (Swiss Time – GMT +1)

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