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FACULTY OF ECONOMICS AND
MANAGEMENT

CAS AND MAS IN HUMANITARIAN LEADERSHIP



“ In our evermore complex and volatile humanitarian landscape, it is vital that we have leaders who understand recent challenges and can propose relevant and effective solutions – through collaborative, inclusive approaches that are built on mutual respect and trust. The ‘MAS in Humanitarian Leadership’ provides participants a unique opportunity to develop and strengthen their knowledge and skills, tailoring them to diverse humanitarian contexts, and ultimately helping to ensure that our humanitarian response is fit for the future. ”

Robert Mardini
Director-General, ICRC



CAS in Leading by Example

Humanitarian Leadership

Target Audience	Staff members of the International Committee of the Red Cross (ICRC), the International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies (IFRC), or National Red Cross / Red Crescent (RC/RC) Societies.
Degree	Certificate of Advanced Studies in Leading by Example of the University of Lucerne
Governing Body	Faculty of Economics and Management
Academic Director	Prof. Dr. Martina Caroni, LL.M. (Yale), Tenured Professor of International, Constitutional, and Comparative Law; Prof. Dr. Bruno Staffelbach, President of the University of Lucerne; Professor for Business Administration
Partner	International Committee of the Red Cross (ICRC)
Scope	10 ECTS points, distance learning and block course
Duration	30 weeks
Next Start	On request, multiple courses per year
Registration Deadline	On request
Entry Requirements	Working contract with the ICRC, IFRC, or a RC/RC society
Fees	On request
Location	Online and Amman, Bangkok, Dakar, or Nairobi
Description	<p>This course covers the following topics:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Reflective Learning (Self-Awareness)- Responsible, Collaborative, and Creative Leadership- Motivational Drivers- Resilience <p>Participants will learn to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Be able to influence their workplace as a role model by virtue of leadership skills, attitudes, and behaviour.- Be able to take responsibility as a leader.- Acquire knowledge linked to different facets of multidisciplinary responses.
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CAS in Leading High-Performing Multidisciplinary Teams

Humanitarian Leadership

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Degree	Certificate of Advanced Studies in Leading High-Performing Multidisciplinary Teams of the University of Lucerne
Governing Body	Faculty of Economics and Management
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Fees	On request
Location	Online and Amman, Bangkok, Dakar, or Nairobi
Description	<p>This course encompasses the following topics:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Effective Teams- Diversity and Inclusion- Team Dynamics- High Performing Teams in the ICRC- Leading my Team <p>As main objectives, participants will learn to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Understand how diverse and multidisciplinary teams work.- Increase their competence, and commitment to lead effectively performing teams.
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CAS in Leading Complex Operations and Transformations

Humanitarian Leadership

Target Audience	Staff members of the International Committee of the Red Cross (ICRC), the International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies (IFRC), or National Red Cross / Red Crescent (RC/RC) Societies.
Degree	Certificate of Advanced Studies in Leading Complex Operations and Transformations of the University of Lucerne
Governing Body	Faculty of Economics and Management
Academic Director	Prof. Dr. Martina Caroni, LL.M. (Yale), Tenured Professor of International, Constitutional, and Comparative Law; Prof. Dr. Bruno Staffelbach, President of the University of Lucerne; Professor for Business Administration
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Scope	10 ECTS points, distance learning, and block course
Duration	30 weeks
Next Start	On request, multiple courses per year
Registration Deadline	On request
Entry Requirements	Working contract with the ICRC, IFRC, or a RC/RC society; CAS in Leading High-Performing Multidisciplinary Teams of the University of Lucerne passed
Fees	On request
Location	Online and Geneva
Description	<p>This course covers the following topics:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">– Strategy and Strategic Thinking– Change Management and Transformation– Partnership and Networking– Risk and Organisational Resilience– Humanitarian Ethics <p>Concerning learning objectives, this course focuses on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">– Strengthening participants' strategic mind-sets.– Increasing participants' abilities to lead transformation.– Understanding how to turn challenges into opportunities.
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Scope	60 ECTS points; 3 CAS courses, online teaching, block course and Master thesis
Duration	3 years
Next Start	February 2024
Registration Deadline	July 14 th , 2023
Entry Requirements	Working contract with the ICRC, IFRC, or a RC/RC society; CAS in Leading Complex Operations and Transformations of the University of Lucerne passed; Higher education degree, applications without a university degree are possible on request.
Fees	9500.- for the Master Module and Thesis
Location	Online and Lucerne
Description	«Leading into the Emerging Future» is the central theme of the MAS in Humanitarian Leadership. Participants learn to build a strategic mindset to make sound decisions and lead effectively, particularly in complex and uncertain situations. The MAS thesis allows participants to: <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Prove their scientific knowledge and specialise in a leadership topic- Translate their learning into research- Contribute to the body of knowledge regarding leadership in the humanitarian sector.
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