

Global Economic Governance Seminar Series

Semester: Spring semester- FS 2025

ECTS: 1 ECT

Lectures: Dr. Amelia U. Santos-Paulino, Mr. Gustavo Lunazzi, Dr. Roberta Permartini

Dates: 10 February, 24 March and 7 April 2025

Location: Silva Casa Auditorium, World Trade Institute, Hallerstrasse 6, Bern

Audience:

- Government officials; Embassy staff; people working for international organisations and NGOs, industry and in legal practice
- Master of Advanced Studies of International Law and Economics (MILE) Students
- Joint LL.M. / Diploma of Advanced Studies Trade and Investment Law (TRAIL+) Students - World Trade Institute / Faculty of Law, Unibe
- Certificate of Advanced Studies / Diploma of Advanced Studies in International Law and Economics (CAS ILE & DAS ILE) Students - World Trade Institute, Unibe
- Students from different universities across Switzerland

Course Description

This course consists of a number of stand-alone seminars on different aspects of global economic governance. These 1.5 -hour seminars are taught by leading experts in the field. The purpose of the seminars is to allow students to benefit from the insights and personal experiences of the experts invited.

Learning Objectives

To critically comment on an expert presentation regarding a topic related to global economic governance.

Exams and Grades

The final grade will be based on a 2000/2500-word essay critically commenting on one of the expert presentations given in the context of the Global Economic Governance Seminar Series. Only students who have attended at least 80% of the seminar lectures in a given semester may submit such an essay for grading.

Essays must be submitted to masters.wti@unibe.ch by 23h59 (CET) on 18 June, 2025, following the style and structure standards established in the Rules and Guidelines for the Master's Thesis for WTI Graduate Studies.

PROGRAMME

<p>10 February 2025 – 16h30</p> <p>Registration link: https://us06web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZEpcO2vrDovHNJvyRSSsBWS8UcburjugJJF</p>	<p>Dr. Amelia U. Santos-Paulino, Chief of the Investment Research Section at UNCTAD's Division on Investment and Enterprise</p> <p>https://www.linkedin.com/in/amelia-u-santos-paulino-phd-507958b7/?originalSubdomain=ch</p>
<p>24 March 2025 – 16h30</p> <p><i>"Argentina at the WTO dispute settlement system: the experience and perspectives of a developing country with disputes and DSU negotiations".</i></p> <p>Registration link: https://us06web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZwtdOupqTMqGdMHbb4jzsqUnGWZx-KZCJE8</p>	<p>Ambassador Gustavo Nerio Lunazzi, Ambassador of the Argentine Republic to Switzerland and Permanent Representative to the WTO</p> <p>https://www.linkedin.com/in/gustavo-lunazzi-506b3716/?originalSubdomain=ch</p>
<p>7 April 2025 – 16h30</p> <p>Registration link: https://us06web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZYld-ypqzIqGtSUy3CTpru3Mn_l-5DiqpSE</p>	<p>Dr. Roberta Piermartini, WTO Secretariat, Chief of Trade Costs Analysis; Manager of WTO Chairs Programme.</p> <p>https://wtochairs.org/users/robertapiermartiniwtoorg</p>