

Career opportunities of MIL graduates

Age	25
Nationality	Swiss/Italian
Start of MIL	September 2014
End of MIL	May 2016
Bachelor degree	Law at University of Zurich

Employer	Pestalozzi Attorneys at Law, Zurich
Type of contract	Legal Internship (Junior Associate)
Work and duties	-

Was the MIL of relevance for your job?	I have not started yet.
Did your employer know the MIL?	No, but they knew and appreciated the HSG Law School.
Did you get the job because of the MIL?	Partially, as I was expressly told that proficiency in English, knowledge of different legal systems and practical experience (moot courts) had been highly appreciated during the interview.
Was the application process easy or difficult with an MIL degree?	Comparatively easy, it was my first attempt.
Would you do the MIL again?	Yes.

Do you have any advice for job applications?	As the MIL is new, you cannot solely rely on name recognition. Tailor your presentation of the skills you acquired in the master to your counterparts' needs.
Do you have any advice for the career planning of MIL students?	As the master degree grants much freedom of choice, there is not "the" MIL experience. In order for your experience to be interesting and qualifying, try to take courses that are connected to each other and can grant you an in-depth knowledge of a specific area of international law.