

Msc Students in Engineering, Business, Health and Life Sciences: "Here is to the crazy ones!" 5th HealthTech Summer School 2026: Innovating disruptive Health Al & MedTech







Join ZHAW's interdisciplinary Summer School

This 6 ECTS- and Triple-E Award winning program is modelled on the pioneering Stanford Biodesign training to identify major market opportunities and invent high potential digital health solutions (e.g. Al diagnostic tools, DTx) or medical devices (e.g. implants).

It provides hands-on experience in shadowing patients and physicians, develop a compelling product idea and seed-stage business plan. Highly motivated students will benefit from interdisciplinary project groups with engineering, software, healthcare and business students and extensive coaching by industry specialists.

Dates Jul 14 – 29 (12 course days) at ZHAW Winterthur and clinics.

Content Biodesign process, clinical immersion in hospital, hands-on

business strategy, design thinking, regulatory, reimbursement, intellectual property, R&D and venture financing workshops.

Admission Limited to 24 innovation- and internationally-minded Master

students from in- and outside ZHAW. 1st round applications by Nov-Dec (depending on Msc program), 2nd round by 17 March 2026. Healthcare experience beneficial, but not compulsory.

Fees ZHAW & Swiss university students: free. Internat. Master-/PhD

students: CHF 480 (partial fee wavers for EELISA students).

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