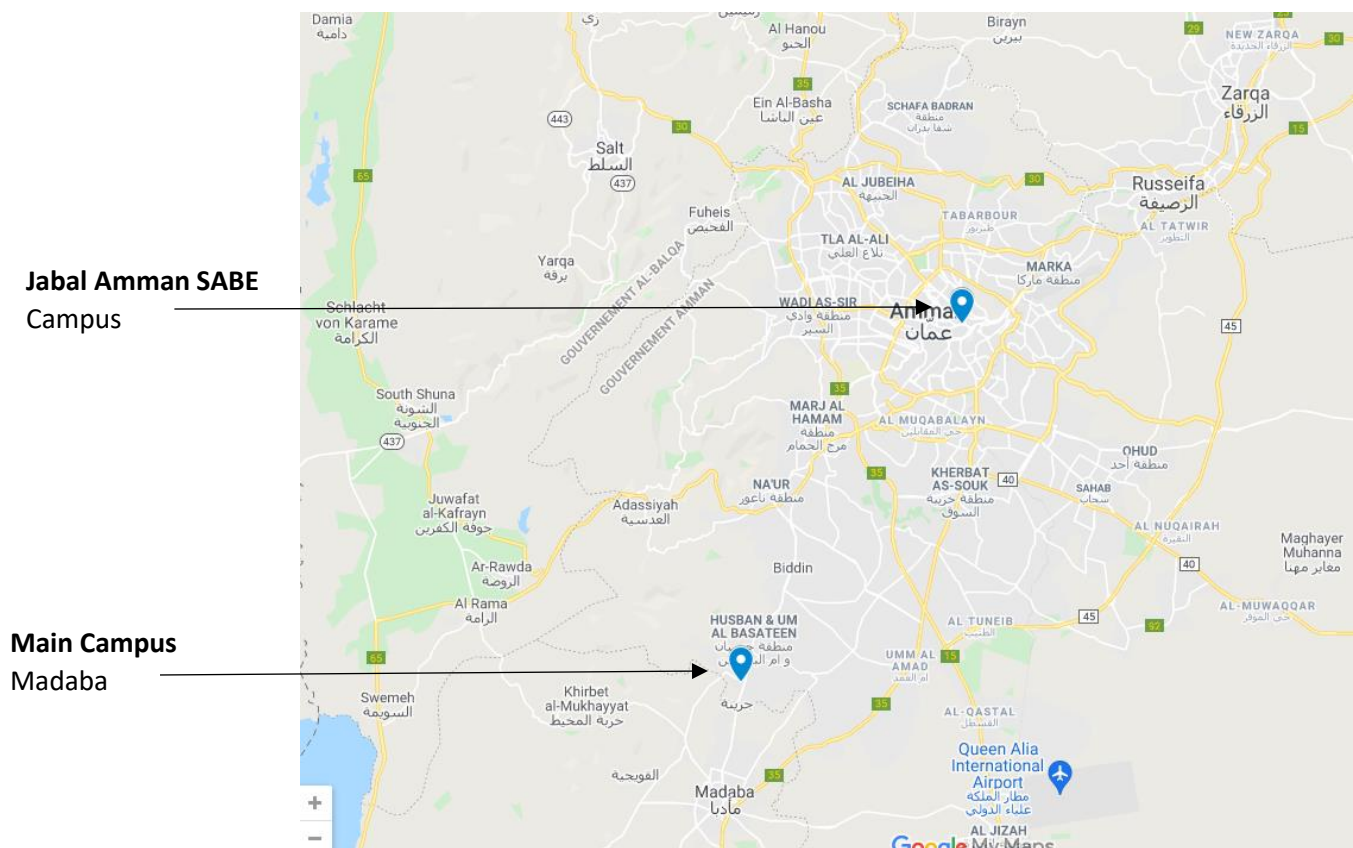


Accommodation and ways to campus

Two campuses

GJU has two campuses, one on the road to Madaba (Main Campus) and one in Downtown Amman at Jabal Amman (the School of Architecture and Built Environment: SABE). In Jabal Amman, all courses of SABE take place, plus the majority of the Social Work and other Master courses. Please inquire beforehand on which campus your lectures will take place.



Where to live?

Lecturers and guests at GJU should decide whether they would like to be accommodated in Amman or in Madaba. When teaching at SABE Campus, living in Amman is the most convenient way. When teaching at the Main Campus in Madaba, both places are an option. Amman is a lively, big city with many things to offer, but it will take around 45 min to reach the Main Campus. Madaba is an old town, calm and less expensive, it takes approx. 10 min to reach the Main Campus. The decision about where to live lies with the guests, who are also in charge of booking the accommodation by themselves.

Here are some accommodations guests of GJU have used so far:

Hotels in Amman:

- Jabal Amman Heritage House (end of Rainbow Street in Jabal Amman, approx. 50 JOD/night)
- New MerryLand Hotel (Jabal Al weibdeh, approx. 50 JOD/night)
- Canary Boutique Hotel (in Jabal Al weibdeh, approx. 50 JOD/night)
- Sydney Hotel (very close to SABE Campus and downtown, has a kitchen, approx. 25 JOD/night)
- Toledo Amman Hotel (at the beginning of Jabal Al Hussein, approx. 50 JOD/night)
- Shams Al Webdeh Hotel Suites (in the middle of Al weibdeh, approx. 40 JOD/night)
- Dali House (Apartments in the middle of Jabal Al weibdeh, has a kitchen, approx. 30 JOD/night)
- Geneva Hotel (at 7th circle, approx. 50 JOD/night)
- BulBul Bed & Breakfast (in Jabal Al weibdeh, approx. 75 JOD/night)
- There are also many 5-star hotel chains in Amman, like Mövenpick, Fairmont, Intercontinental, etc.
- AirBnB is also an option to have a more individual accommodation

Hostels in Amman:

- Carob Hostel (really nice hostel in Jabal Al Hussein, approx. 12 JOD/night)
- The Wanderers Hostel/Battuta Hostel (Hostel at 2nd circle, run by GJU Alumni, approx. 20 JOD/night)

Hotels in Madaba:

- Grand Hotel Madaba (5 min walking from Madaba city centre, approx. 50 JOD/night)
- Mosaic City Hotel (in Madaba city centre, approx. 50 JOD/night)
- Salome Hotel (5 min walking from Madaba city centre, approx. 30 JOD/night)
- Mariam Hotel (5 min walking from Madaba city centre, approx. 40 JOD/night)
- Aidsh Boutique Hotel

How to get to campus

SABE Campus Jabal Amman

We highly recommend booking accommodation in the surrounding, so you can walk to the campus. All accommodation in Jabal Amman is within walking distance of the campus, although it can be hilly and walks might take longer than expected. Taxis and Uber are cheap options within the city.

Main Campus Madaba

To reach the Main Campus from Amman, there are several possibilities:

- Shared Taxi leaving from 7th Circle for 2 JOD per Person.
- Taxi / Uber: Take a taxi to get to GJU, the drivers might refuse to turn on the meter and want a set price. From Amman center it should be about 10-16 JOD one way. Uber and Careem are also an option, both work via an app.
- Private Driver: There is also the possibility of hiring private drivers. For about 15 JOD they should bring you one way to the Main Campus from Amman. The advantage of hiring a private driver is the ability to visit some sites after work, like Mount Nebo or the Dead Sea, for example.

From Madaba city, there are two options to get to the Main Campus:

- A public bus (0,5 JOD one way) that you can take at any point at Madaba Al-Gharbi Street. There are no fixed times or fixed stops. The public buses are white and there is a lettering above the headlights (as a differentiation aid). If they can take you, they will signal this via headlight flasher. The ride normally takes between 10 to 20 min. but be sure to plan time to wait for the bus (5 - 15 min).
- Taxi or Uber. One way should cost around 3-5 JOD. This is also the quickest way (max. 10 min).