

THE SYSTEM OF FRENCH HIGHER EDUCATION

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EN FRANCE

CAMPUS FRANCE AGENCY
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FRENCH HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS

364 758 International students in France - 13% of the Students (2021-2022)

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10 BONNES RAISONS
D'Étudier
EN FRANCE



3 500 HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS (PUBLIC & PRIVATE)

74 France's public Universities 1,5 million students,
70% of the International students choose the University

267 Doctoral Schools

200 Engineering Schools (*Engineering degree*)

90 Business Schools (recognition by Ministry of HE)

120 Higher Education Public Institutions art programs

22 Schools of Architecture

3 000 others specialized schools and private Institutes

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THE "BIENVENUE EN FRANCE" LABEL



THE "BIENVENUE EN FRANCE" LABEL distinguishes French higher education institutions which intend to develop and promote the quality of reception services for international students.

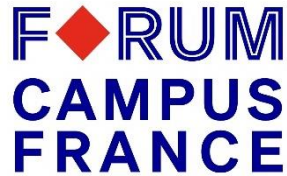
- ❖ A Label from the French State for HEI whose diplomas are recognized
- ❖ 153 labelled institutions
- ❖ 3 levels of labeling
- ❖ Logo in all LM / TIE / short courses / CampusArt, FOAD catalogs and *Etudes en France* platform

For more information, visit our [website](#) and watch our [video](#).



To contact the Label team : label@campusfrance.org

CAMPUS FRANCE FORUM



Campus France Forum goal:

- represent the quality and originality of French higher education abroad
- responsible for formulating recommendations to the Campus France board of directors
- for strategy and the promotion of French higher education abroad

Forum's Governance:

- President comes from France Universités
- 2 vice-presidents from the Conférence des Grandes Ecoles (CGE) and the Conférence des directeurs des écoles d'ingénieurs (CDEFI)

368 French educational members:

--> 74 Universities, 94 Schools of Engineering, 43 Business Schools, 64 Schools of Art/Design/Fashion/Architecture, 11 cooking schools, ...





THE ORGANISATION OF HIGHER EDUCATION

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UNIVERSITIES



ASSOCIATION OF 74 UNIVERSITIES

1.8 million students and 200,000 staff, including nearly 90,000 research faculty

National Degrees / European Credits Transfer System

→ Master and the *Doctorat*, which respectively correspond to 3 years, 5 years and 8 years of university-level study

74 degree-granting public Universities currently offer high-quality academic programs

240,000 visiting international students participate in French university degree programs L-M-D each year, 24% of whom come from the European Union

Nearly 7 out of 10 internationally mobile students choose to enroll in university programs.

40% of doctoral students are foreign nationals

SCHOOLS OF ENGINEERING



Conférence des Directeurs
des Écoles Françaises
d'Ingénieurs



200 FRENCH SCHOOLS OF ENGINEERING

Accredited by the French Commission for engineering diplomas (CTI) to issue the engineering degree *Titre d'ingénieur* (National Master's Degree in Engineering)

38,000 Engineering degrees awarded

The French Engineering Degree is recognized as equivalent to a Master in Engineering in the United States by the American Association of Collegiate Registrars and Admission Officers and appears in AACRAO's Electronic Database for Global Education.

<http://edge.aacrao.org>



DEGREES AWARDED IN FRANCE

THE TITRE D'INGÉNIEUR (NATIONAL MASTER'S DEGREE IN ENGINEERING)

Nearly 38,000 Engineering degrees are awarded in more than 200 French engineering schools qualified to confer the *Titre d'ingénieur*, which carries the academic status of a national Master's degree and entitles the holder to pursue doctoral studies. A third of these schools are found within universities. The product of a system unique to France, the *Titre d'ingénieur* represents professional degree training in one of 64 engineering and management specialties, capped by a government-accredited degree recognized around the world, attracting nearly 7,000 international students.

WHY PURSUE A DEGREE IN ENGINEERING IN FRANCE?

- You can look forward to an **International Career** as an engineer, researcher or manager.
- You will **acquire the right to practice as an engineer and degree in engineering**.
- You will **develop your competence in engineering and management**, both within the classroom and in the field.
- You will **receive training** tailored to the **evolving needs of the industry** in manufacturing and services.

The *Titre d'ingénieur* is awarded upon the completion of a program of studies closely linked to scientific and technical progress and the needs of companies that engage with complex technical problems linked to the design, production, and implementation of products, systems, and services. To practice as an engineer, particularly in industry and civil engineering, technical, economic, social, and human knowledge must be grounded in a solid scientific foundation and complemented by an awareness of the principles of sustainable development. In various subject areas with a scientific, technical, and industrial cast, the engineering curriculum prepares graduates for the essential functions of research and development, consulting, project management, management of industrial processes, business management, human resources, and more. The professional qualifications of graduate engineers cover a wide spectrum of basic sciences, enabling practitioners to combine the resources of a specialized scientific and technical field with engineering methods and tools to meet industrial and economic challenges in an international context.

The engineering curriculum spans 5 years (10 semesters, 300 ECTS credits). The **first 2 years** are spent in a preparatory program or equivalent program providing rigorous education in the basic sciences. These preparatory years further blend in a special preparatory program offered in a public or in the preparatory cycle of a postsecondary school of engineering. The last 3 years are followed by a highly selective admission process (based on an examination or an application). The best students are admitted to a program of **3 years of study** in engineering, management and international affairs. Holders of a first undergraduate degree or a 1-year Master's degree may apply to transfer into engineering programs.

The first 4 semesters of the engineering cycle form a common core that builds on students' basic knowledge of mathematics, physics, chemistry, mechanics, electronics, ... The student then chooses a specific sector in which to specialize. Engineering schools also offer options in business, management and finance, allowing students to prepare for positions as managers as well as engineers. Depending on the school, the training offered may be general or specialized. But all French engineering programs include the managerial and international dimensions. Moreover, the scope of education is comprehensive, embracing economics, humanities, the social sciences, communication and culture. Growing numbers of courses are taught in English, and students must pass a test of English proficiency (CEFR level in the European scheme) in order to graduate.

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GRANDES ÉCOLES



229 GRANDES ÉCOLES*



Institution fields: engineering, management, architecture, design, political studies...

Admission: entrance examination after 2 years of preparatory classes, leaving 3 years to be completed for the degree

Recognized by the French government with national grade of Master

Award intermediate diplomas and specializations: Bachelor (3 or 4 years of study), MBA, Master of Sciences (MSc, label CGE) *Mastère Spécialisé* (MS, label CGE, 1 year after the Master), Master

Many schools admit applicants directly from secondary school for degree programs lasting 3 or 5 years

Parallel system of admissions for international students depending on the degree of recognition



BUSINESS SCHOOLS MANAGEMENT



- ✓ 21 french Master Financial Times ranking 2021, top 5 of the Masters in 100%
- ✓ 18 institutions with triple accreditation (AACBS, AMBA, EFMD)

Grandes Écoles: 41 Business Schools

- ✓ Private schools or *Consulaires*
- ✓ Programs in french or in english
- ✓ National Master grade

Universities: 37 INSTITUTES OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

- ✓ Programs combine professionalization with theoretical learning
- ✓ Most IAEs are certified (Qualicert) or accredited (EPAS, EQUIS, AMBA, AACSB, ISO)
- ✓ Research in management



PUBLIC SCHOOLS OF ART AND APPLIED ARTS



Schools of art and design overseen by the Ministry of Culture

- Nearly 50 national and territorial schools of art and design
- Programs in art, design, and communication organized into 3 cycles (3 years and 5 years capped by national diplomas, post-master diplomas available).

Schools of applied arts and design overseen by the Ministry of National Education

- 4 public institutions of great renown—Boule, Estienne, Duperré, and ENSAAMA + public and private secondary schools under contract
- Two national diplomas (3 years and 5 years) in very specialized fields: graphic art and design; space design; fashion; textiles and environments; arts and crafts

Learn more:

- Arts and Architecture: www.campusfrance.org/en/recherche/categorie/art-396
- Apply online: www.campusart.org

SCHOOLS OF ARCHITECTURE

ARCHITECTURE, URBAN PLANNING, LANDSCAPE DESIGN



A network of 20 public schools operating under the oversight of the Ministry of Culture and the Ministry of Higher Education and Research, + 2 schools authorized to confer degrees recognized.

3 cycles capped by national diplomas : the **Diplôme d'Études en Architecture** (3 years equivalent to a *Licence*), **Diplôme d'État d'Architecte** (2 years equivalent to a Master), **Diplôme de Spécialisation et d'Approfondissement (DSA)** and the **Architecture et Diplômes Propres aux Ecoles d'Architecture (DPEA)**.

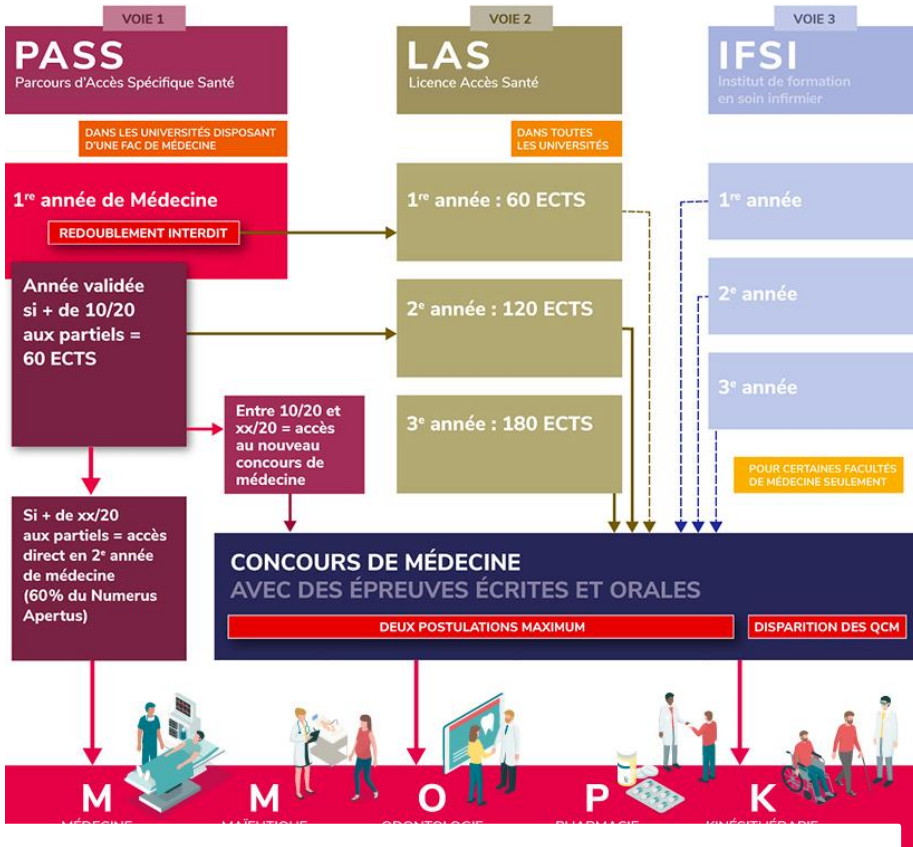
The ***Habilitation à exercer la Maîtrise d'Oeuvre en son Nom Propre (HMONP)*** requires a sixth year of study and completion of an internship.

Some schools offer a **dual degree** in architecture and engineering in partnership with schools of engineering. Graduates receive the *Diplôme d'Architecte* and the title of *Ingénieur*.

The **Diplôme d'Etat d'Architecte** (equivalent national Master's degree) opens the way to doctoral studies.



PROGAMS IN MEDICINE



2 paths after 1, 2 or 3 years of the 1st cycle and possible choices between several options:

→ **Licence** of various disciplines including a "**health access**" option (**LAS**)

→ 35 specific **Health access courses (PASS)** offered only by Universities with UFR Health and including an option of another disciplinary field

→ in all cases, a continuation of studies, success or failure at admission to health training or if the admitted candidate wishes another field

SPECIALIZED SCHOOLS AND INSTITUTES



More than 3,000 specialized schools and institutions, public and private, in specific sectors:

- ✓ paramedical, social work, tourism, culinary, arts, hotel management, tourism, ...

These institutions confer occupational titles:

- ✓ Registry of occupational certifications (RNCP), as well as institution-specific certificates



Programs require 2-5 years of study

Admission by examination and application:

www.francecompetences.fr/recherche_certificationprofessionnelle

A young woman with long brown hair, wearing glasses and a grey jacket over a patterned shirt, is smiling and looking towards the camera. She has a blue backpack on her shoulders. The background is a library with bookshelves filled with books. A large red triangle is in the bottom right corner of the image.

DEGREES

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L-M-D DEGREES

LEVELS DEGREES				
9 years	2 semesters (1 year, for a total of 9 years of postsecondary study)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • State diploma of Doctor of medicine 		
8 years	DOCTORATE 6 semesters (3 years, for a total of 8 years of postsecondary study)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Doctorate <p>Doctoral degrees are conferred by doctoral departments affiliated with France's universities to successful candidates who have previously earned a French master's degree or the equivalent.</p>		
7 years	180 ECTS			
6 years	2 semesters (1 year, for a total of 6 years of postsecondary study)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • State diploma of Doctor of dental surgery • State diploma of Doctor of pharmacy 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Maître spécialisé</i> - MS • Executive MBA 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HMONP (professional credential for independent practice of architecture)
5 years	MASTER 4 semesters (2 years, for a total of 5 years of postsecondary study)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Master • Engineering degree (<i>Titre d'ingénieur</i>) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Master of Business Administration - MBA • Master of Public Administration - MPA • Engineering degree (<i>Titre d'ingénieur</i>) • Business schools diplomas • Degrees from <i>Grandes Écoles</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Art school diploma - DNSEP • State architect's diploma - DEA • Diplomas of specialized schools (health, social work, tourism, etc.) • Applied arts diploma - DSAA
4 years	120 ECTS			
3 years	LICENCE 6 semesters (3 years of postsecondary study)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Licence (bachelor) • <i>Licence professionnelle</i> (professional bachelor) • <i>Licence professionnelle</i> (professional bachelor), technical bachelor track (<i>Parcours BUT</i>) 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Art school diploma - DNA • Art and design trades diploma (DNMADE) • Architecture diploma - DEEA
2 years	BTS, DUT, BTSA 4 semesters (2 years of postsecondary study)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • University technical diploma (DUT): interim degree toward professional bachelor technical bachelor track (<i>Parcours BUT</i>) • <i>Diplôme d'études universitaires scientifiques et techniques</i>, DEUST (university diploma of scientific and technical studies): interim degree toward professional bachelor 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Admission to the first year of a <i>Grande École</i> program • Preparation for admission to <i>Grandes Écoles</i> (CPGE) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Art school diploma - DMA • Postsecondary technical certificate - BTS - BTS, Brevet de Technicien supérieur Agricole - BTSA
1 year	120 ECTS			

***ECTS, the European Credit Transfer and Accumulation System, is a system of cumulable academic credits transferable throughout Europe. One year represents 60 ECTS credits.**

<https://www.european-funding-guide.eu/articles/financing-tips/erasmus-having-your-credits-recognised>

A nationally accredited master's degree or the equivalent opens the way to doctoral studies.

You can earn a degree in just two years!

COMPLETION OF SECONDARY SCHOOL + BACCALAURÉAT OR EQUIVALENT

LICENCE & MASTER

National Degrees	
Licence	45 mentions
Licence Professionnelle <i>(Vocational Bachelor)</i>	173 titled
Master	246 titled

VOCATIONAL DEGREES

1–2 Years	1–3 Years	4–5 Years	Institution Diploma 6 Years
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ BREVET DE TECHNICIEN SUPÉRIEUR (BTS) ▪ <i>Diplôme d'Etudes Universitaires Scientifiques et Techniques (DEUST)</i> ▪ <i>Diplôme National de Technologie Spécialisé (DNST)</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ LICENCE PROFESSIONNELLE (<i>Professional Bachelor</i>) (L2 + 1 year) ▪ <i>Licence professionnelle path Bachelor Universitaire de Technologie (BUT)</i> ▪ DIPLÔME NATIONAL D'ART (DNA, Licence grade) ▪ <i>Diplôme National des Métiers d'Art et du Design (DNMADE, Licence)</i> ▪ <i>Diplôme d'Études en Architecture (DEEA, Licence grade)</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ <i>Titre d'Ingénieur (grade de Master)</i> ▪ <i>Diplôme d'État d'Architecte (DEA, Master grade)</i> ▪ <i>Diplôme Supérieur d'Arts Appliqués (DSAA)</i> ▪ <i>Diplôme Supérieur d'Expression Plastique (DNSEP, Master grade)</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ <i>Mastère Spécialisé (MS, label CGE, 1 year)</i> ▪ <i>Habilitation à l'exercice de Maîtrise d'Oeuvre en son Nom Propre (HMONP)</i> ▪ <i>Diplômes nationaux de Spécialisation et d'Approfondissement (DSA) en architecture</i> <i>Diplômes Propres aux Écoles d'Architecture (DPEA)</i>

DOCTORAL STUDIES

Doctoral training takes place within a Doctoral School (*Écoles Doctorales, ED*)

- 267 doctoral schools
- 10 scientific fields
- Over 14,000 Doctorates awarded by year
- 41% of foreign doctoral candidates

Each PhD student joins a research team or unit affiliated to a specific Doctoral school. Candidates are guided and supervised by a thesis advisor.

The financial arrangements must be sufficient to allow the candidate to devote himself or herself full time to research over a period of 3 years

The Doctoral contract is an acknowledgment of the professional nature of doctoral training.



TRAINING IN FRANCE

Internships are taken into account in the diploma

Signature by agreement

- ✓ Student – Entreprise – Institution

Duration of the Internship: depends on the context

- ✓ Maximum: 2 to 6 months

Bonus: 4,05 € / hour

Definition of a Trainee in France:

- ✓ Is not an employed by the entreprise, he stays a student
- ✓ Bénéficits from social protection during the internship
- ✓ Is subject to the rules of the labor code
- ✓ Complies with company rules



LES FRAIS D'INSCRIPTION DES DIPLÔMES NATIONAUX EN 2022-2023

Diplômes	Intitulé	Montant
LICENCE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Licence Licence professionnelle (LP) LP path <i>Bachelor universitaire de technologie</i> (BUT) 	170 € / 2770 €*
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Diplôme National d'Art</i> (DNA) – National Art Degree <i>Diplôme d'Etudes En Architecture</i> (DEEA) – Degree of Studies in Architecture 	From 350€ to 373€
MASTER	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Master 	243 € / 3770 €*
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Diplôme National Supérieur d'Expression Plastique</i> (DNSEP) <i>National Degree of</i> <i>Diplôme D'Etat d'Architecte</i> (DEA) 	À partir de 400€ 512€
INGÉNIEUR	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Titre d'ingénieur diplômé – <i>Engineering Degree</i> 	601€ / 3770€*
DOCTORAT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Doctorat</i> – PhD 	380 €

*Fees for UE students/non European

The real cost of the study by the French Government between 10,000 to 15,000 € / student

Private Institution cost more expensive between 5,000 to 15,000 € / year



PROGRAMS

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LICENCE & MASTER

Choose your Study Program in France

Licence and Master-level diploma offered by public and private institutions accredited by the French government

- Links to the institution offering each program
- Searchable by keyword, discipline, or region
- For each program: address, contact information, and geolocation of the offering institution

Colors: yellow (*Licences*) – green (*Masters*)

👉 **Licences:** <https://cataloguelm.campusfrance.org/lice>

👉 **Masters:** <https://cataloguelm.campusfrance.org/master/>



Choose a program
at the *Licence*
or Master level

- Every field of study
- More than 4,000 programs at the *licence* level
- More than 7,000 programs at the master level
- Program locations

cataloguelm.campusfrance.org



PROGRAMS IN ART AND ARCHITECTURE

Over 700 Artistic Programs

160 art and architecture schools and universities
Preparatory classes to the *Doctorat*

- Links to the institution offering each program
- Searchable by keyword, discipline, or region
- For each program: address, contact information, and geolocation of the offering institution



 www.campusart.org/artsearch/#/catalog



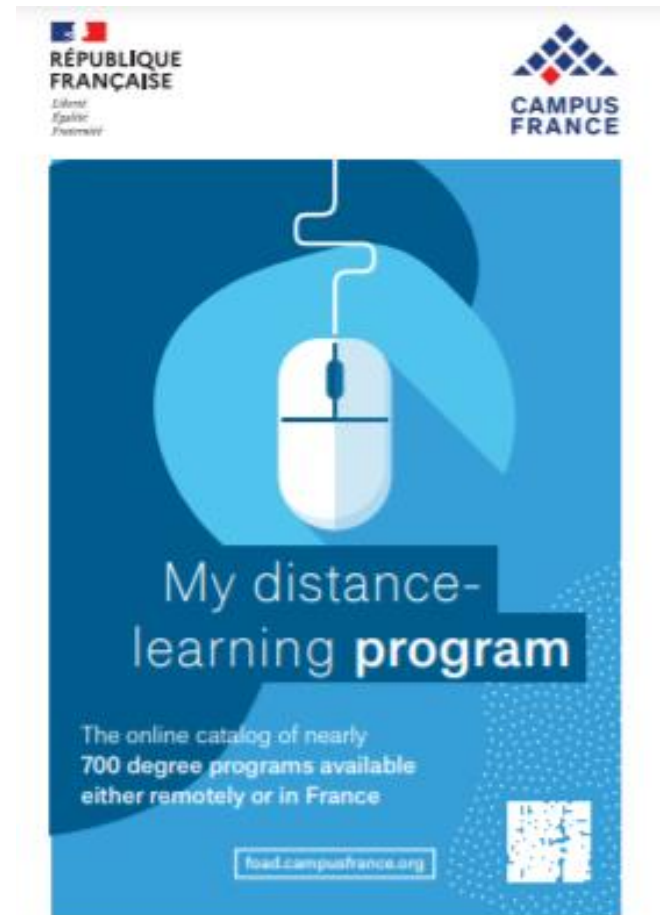
DISTANCEE-LEARNING

Programs taught 100% online or in hybrid format (remote + face-to-face)

- Over 700 programs
- 60% degrees recognized by French government
- Institution publics 60% of the programs
- in French or English (30%)
- at all levels (predominantly Master and post-Master)
- in the fields of engineering, administration, business, law, finance, management, computer science, urban studies, design, and more.



<https://foad.campusfrance.org>



PROGRAMS TAUGHT IN ENGLISH

French is not a requirement!

- Over 1600 programs
- 50% programs recognized by the French government
- 75% at level Master
- 83% full English
- A description: name, status and duration as well as the level reached or the degree obtained
- The geographic location of the program
- The detailed objectives
- The admission requirements: academic level, English and French proficiency, tuition fees

 <http://taughtie.campusfrance.org/tiesearch/#/catalog>



Programs
Taught in English

Choose your Program Taught in English, the online catalog:

- More than 1600 programs
- All levels and disciplines
Bachelor, Master, Summer and Short Courses...
- Study entirely or partly in English,
Depending on your proficiency in French

taughtie.campusfrance.org



DOCTORAL PROGRAMS AND RESEARCH IN FRANCE

Searchable database of dissertation opportunities, laboratory internships, postdocs more than 2,000 openings posted each year

- Research opportunities supported by a French “doctoral contract,” corporate-sponsored joint research opportunities, special opportunities under programs financed by foreign governments
- Internships in research laboratories
- Postdoctoral offers in French laboratories

 **Doctoral Schools & Internships Master ou Thesis**

<https://doctorat.campusfrance.org/>



The web portal
Research in France

A one-stop-shop
for information on doctoral
programs and research
opportunities in France



doctorat.campusfrance.org/phd/dschools

FRENCH LANGUAGE

Several tests of French proficiency and diplomas in French language are accepted for purposes of admission into a French institution of HE

- To enroll in the **first year of a program in a university** (Licence 1) or school of architecture, international students (from outside the European Union) must follow the so-called preliminary admission procedure, known as **DAP**. Applicants must demonstrate their language proficiency, normally by taking the TCF-DAP or earning a DELF B2 diploma (or higher).
- The TEF may be accepted in lieu of the TCF-DAP if the applicant scored at least 14/20 on the written portion of the TEF. Some universities accept the DUEF (*Diplôme universitaire d'études françaises*) for admission into the first year of university study (Licence 1)
- For enrollments in the **third year of university study** (Licence 2 or 3), in a **Master's program**, (Master 1 and 2), in a **Doctoral program**, or in one of France's Grandes Écoles, **no uniform requirement applies.**

DEGREES

STUDY IN FRANCE

TESTS AND DEGREES IN FRENCH AS A FOREIGN LANGUAGE

Five countries host more than half of the world's international students: the United States, the United Kingdom, Australia, France and Germany. France hosts 343,400 international students, putting it in fourth place after the United States, the United Kingdom, Australia but before Germany. International students account for 12% of enrollments in French Higher Education.

FRENCH AN INTERNATIONAL LANGUAGE

Spoken by 274 million people around the world, French is an official language of 32 states on 5 continents. With English and German, it is one of the working languages of the European Union, the third most common business language, and the second most common language of news. With 125 million learners of French and 100,000 teachers, it is, after English, the most widely taught language on the planet. Since 2001, the Council of Europe's CEFR has set reference levels for foreign language proficiency. The CEFR has become Europe's standard for language learning, with 6 levels of proficiency for purposes of admission to French postsecondary institutions.

TCF (Test de connaissance du français - Test of knowledge of French)

The TCF, administered by the French Ministry of Education and the Ministry of Higher Education, Research and Innovation, is a standardized test of general French designed by CIEP (Centre international d'études pédagogiques, international center for pedagogical studies), a certifying organization that is a member of ALTE (the Association of Language Teachers in Europe). The TCF satisfies the quality requirements of ISO 9001, version 2008, in all of its processes.

The TCF test of comprehension and the computer-based test of written expression may be taken on computer in some countries.

Test results are valid for 2 years. Candidates wishing to repeat the TCF or TCF-DAP must wait 30 days from the date of their prior sitting. www.ciep.fr/en/tcf-dap

• Study in France: levels required for applications for preliminary admission (the DAP procedure). A specific version of the TCF (TCF-DAP) is required for applications for preliminary admission (DAP). The TCF-DAP includes a mandatory test of written French. www.ciep.fr/en/tcf-dap

• Description of the TCF and TCF-DAP: www.ciep.fr/en/tcf

• Registration fees and locations. Candidates can take the TCF at 712 centers approved by CIEP. Centers are located in 135 countries, including France. To register, candidates should contact an approved center for information on testing dates and for the costs of the required and elective components of the test.

• Approved TCF centers: www.ciep.fr/en/tcf-test-public/approved-tcf-test-centres

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Each institution is free to set its own criteria for French proficiency. Prospective students should inquire about the language requirements of the institutions of interest to them.



TESTS AND DIPLOMAS IN FRENCH LANGUAGE REQUIRED FOR ADMISSION TO POSTSECONDARY PROGRAMS

The levels of academic achievement required to obtain an extended-stay visa for study in France were set forth in an international circular (from the ministries of the Interior, Foreign Affairs, and Higher Education and Research) dated January 27, 2006. The criteria included the candidate's educational level, the quality of the candidate's prior academic

FRENCH LANGUAGE

SHORT PROGRAMS & SUMMER SCHOOLS IN FRENCH

Cultural experience

- ✓ Over 600 academic programs or french language training
- ✓ French Learning and tourism
- ✓ Map and links to the French Regions
- ✓ Research by field, level of french...

Certification

- ✓ Certificate delivered
- ✓ Possible to get ECTS



<http://ecolesdete.campusfrance.org>



Learn French
or choose
a short program
in France

Use our interactive map of
France's regions to choose
from among 650 programs

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CAMPUS BOURSES

FINANCIAL AID

A grant search engine CampusBourses

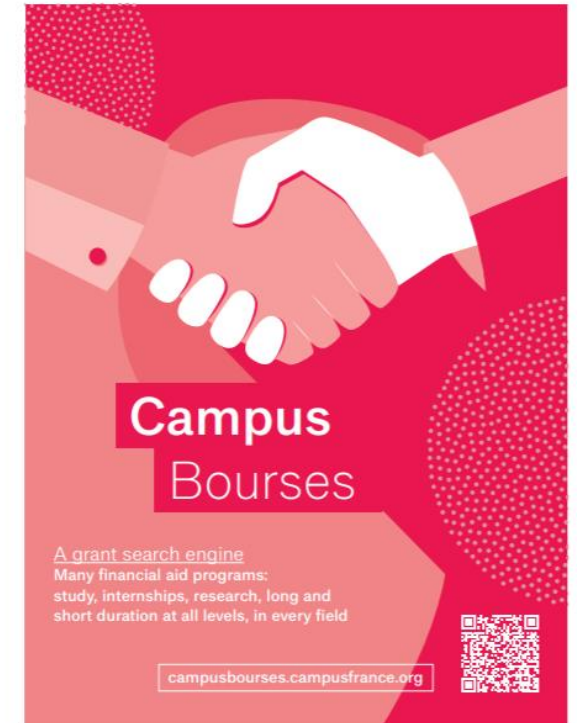
→ 445 grant programs

→ National programs (government agencies, corporations, foundations, higher education institutions) and international programs (French embassies abroad, foreign governments and institutions, multilateral organizations).

→ Available in French, English and Spanish

→ Users may search by keyword or by set search criteria (nationality, discipline, level of study, type of grant)

→ Complete and updated information.



 **Campus Bourses:** <http://campusbourses.campusfrance.org/fria/bourse/#/catalog>



INFORMATION RESOURCES



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GUIDES

CHOOSE FRANCE

The essential guide to preparing for an academic stay in France: getting to know the French system of higher education; coming to France; living in France.



STUDY IN FRANCE AFTER THE BACCALAURÉAT

Prepared in partnership with AEFE (the agency for French education abroad), this guide is intended specifically for graduates of French lycées (secondary schools) abroad—and their parents. It covers studying at the postsecondary level in France, choosing a program, admissions and registration, costs, and living in France.



RESEARCH IN FRANCE

- Comprising three major chapters, this guide surveys the French research world, describes how to choose a research project, and offers tips on living in France.



THE DOCTORATE STEP BY STEP

- A brochure on getting the most out of your research project in France: how research is organized; choosing a project; support services; daily life.



FIELDS, DEGREES & RESEARCH

Fields (40)

- information on programs, degrees, and institutions in France in a range of disciplines
- skills and career paths associated with the discipline is intended to guide the staff of Campus France's local offices in their interviews with students.

Degrees (12)

- degrees and related arrangements, including 2- and 3-year technical programs;
- degrees in art, architecture, business, and engineering; → doctoral training and joint supervision of dissertations; one-year specialized master's programs;
- tests and diplomas in teaching French as a foreign language

Scientific research and disciplines (15)

- to promote major areas of French research: agronomy, archaeology, biology, climatology, chemistry, mathematics, nanotechnologies, neuroscience, physics, sociology, and more.
- cross-disciplinary fields as well: biotechnology, environmental studies, musicology, renewable energy, and more



INTRODUCTIONS

Institutions (370)

→ summaries of higher education institutions

→ information on the degree programs, strong points, research facilities, and key features of each institution

→ all types of institution included: universities; schools of engineering; business/management, public administration, art, language, specialized schools; France's unique Grandes Écoles; institutes; research centers; and networks of institutions

Reception Arrangements (269)

→ support services offered by individual institutions, including those that have earned the Label “*Bienvenue en France*”

→ profiles highlight information useful to students before their departure for France, upon their arrival, and during their stay



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LE SCHÉMA DES ÉTUDES SUPÉRIEURES

APPENDIX 1

Les filières présentées ici sont accessibles directement après le bac.
D'autres accès existent, ainsi que des passerelles.

L'université dispense des formations générales et professionnelles. Elle prépare aussi aux études de santé.

Ces écoles forment à différents domaines : communication, art, industrie, tourisme, commerce, transport, social, sport, paramédical...

Le lycée dispense des formations de niveau bac + 2 ou bac + 3.

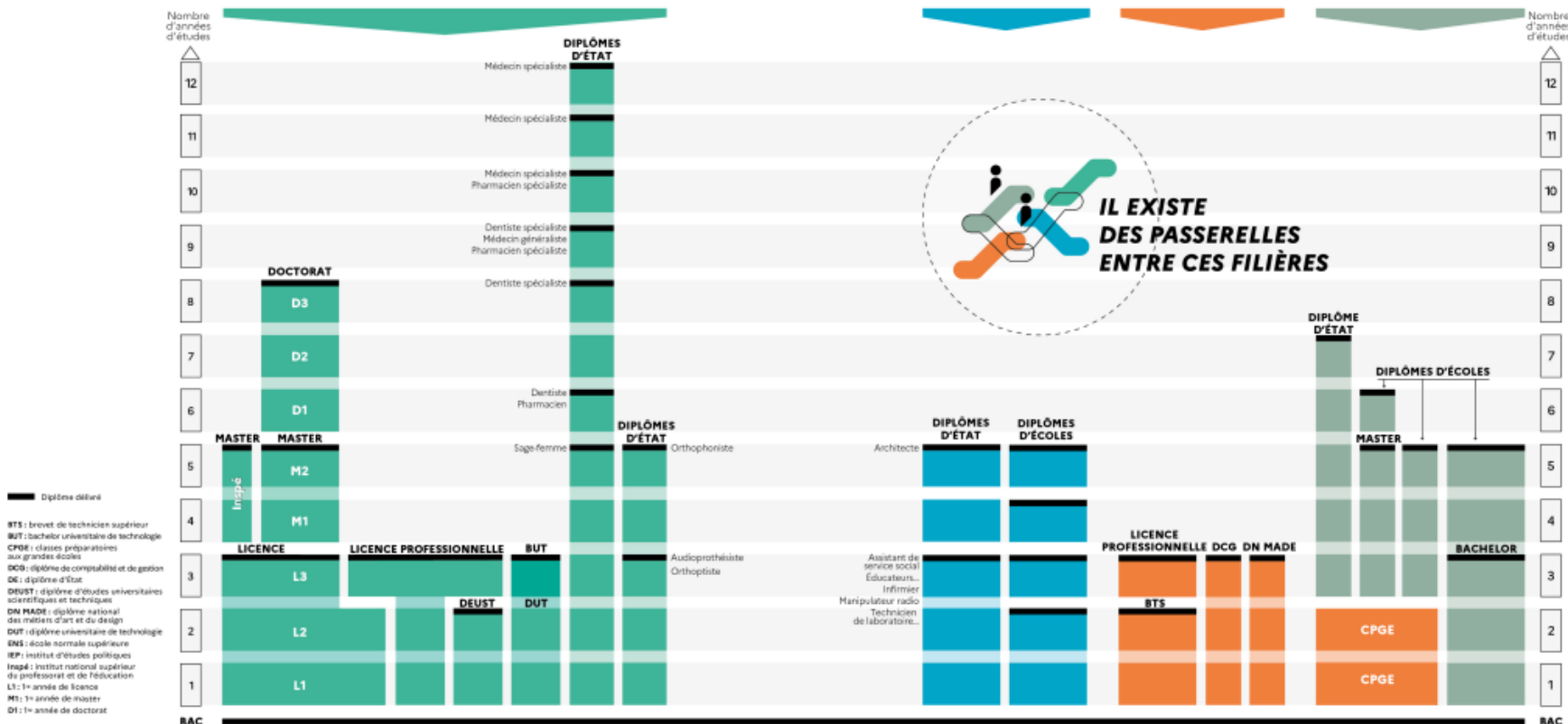
Les écoles d'ingénieurs ou de commerce, les ENS, les IEP et les écoles d'art publiques délivrent des diplômes de niveau bac + 5.

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GRANDES ÉCOLES



APPENDIX 2

HIGHER EDUCATION GLOSSARY

Baccalauréat (BAC) : 1 st Higher Education degree (end of the secondary school)	DSCG : Diplôme supérieur de comptabilité et de gestion
BTS: Brevet de technicien supérieur BTSA : Brevet de technicien supérieur Agricole	ECTS: European Credit Transfer System (European system for evaluating the courses followed)
CHU/CHRU: Centre Universitaire Hospitalier (University structure for training in medical studies inside hospitals)	ED : Ecole doctorale
CPGE: Classe préparatoire aux Grandes Ecoles	L: Licence
CTI: Commission nationale des Titres d'ingénieurs	LP: Licence professionnelle
DEUST: Diplôme d'Etudes Universitaires Scientifiques et Techniques	M: Master
DNMADE: Diplôme National des Métiers d'art et du Design	D: Doctorat
DNA : Diplôme National d'Art	MBA: Master of Business administration
DNSEP: Diplôme national d'expression plastique	Msc : Master of Science
DSAA: Diplôme Supérieur des Arts Appliqués	MS : Mastère spécialisé (label CGE)
BUT: path Bachelor Universitaire de Technologie	UFR: Unité de formation et de recherche (subdivision of a Faculty within a University)

APPENDIX 3

TO KNOW MORE

INSTITUTIONS

AEFE WWW.AEFE.FR

ERASMUS + [HTTPS://AGENCE.ERASMUSPLUS.FR](https://AGENCE.ERASMUSPLUS.FR)

CAMPUS FRANCE WWW.CAMPUSFRANCE.ORG

MEAE WWW.DIPLOMATIE.GOUV.FR

MESR WWW.ENSEIGNEMENTSUP-RECHERCHE.GOUV.FR

HIGHER EDUCATION

PARCOURSUP WWW.PARCOURSUP.FR

ANDEA (SCHOOLS OF ART) [HTTPS://ANDEA.FR](https://ANDEA.FR)

CDEFI CONFÉRENCE DES DIRECTEURS DES ÉCOLES FRANÇAISES D'INGÉNIEURS WWW.CDEFI.FR

CEFDG (MANAGEMENT TRAININGS AND DIPLOMAS) WWW.CEFDG.FR

CGE CONFÉRENCE DES GRANDES ÉCOLES WWW.CGE.ASSO.FR

CNED NATIONAL CENTER FOR DISTANCE STUDY WWW.CNED.FR

FRANCE UNIVERSITÉS [HTTPS://FRANCEUNIVERSITES.FR](https://FRANCEUNIVERSITES.FR)

CTI ENGINEERING TITLE COMMISSION
WWW.CTI-COMMISSION.FR

EDUCAGRI AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION WWW.EDUCAGRI.FR

ENIC-NARIC FRANCE

WWW.FRANCE-EDUCATION-INTERNATIONAL.FR/ENIC-NARIC

FUN MOOCS WWW.FUN-MOOC.FR

RESEARCH

ANR NATIONAL AGENCY OF RESEARCH
WWW.AGENCE-NATIONALE-RECHERCHE.FR

CNRS WWW.CNRS.FR

ACADEMY OF MEDICINE WWW.ACADEMIE-MEDECIINE.FR

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