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## Dear prospective students : Welcome to the University of Lille 1!

Lille 1 has been recognized as one of the best scientific universities in France. It is situated in the North of France within a distance of 300 kilometres from five European countries. In Lille you will learn to develop your critical skills, which is of key importance for broadening your knowledge. You will also learn how to look at things from a different perspective, both academically and socially.

Ideally situated on a large and green campus with all the facilities close at hand : metro and bus connections to Lille city centre, railway stations and surrounding cities, sports equipments, student cafeterias, halls of residence, cultural centre... In total a very nice place for living and studying. Lille 1 is a first-rate centre for science and technology, economics and management, at national as well as international level.

Our University has recently been selected as one of the top 12 French campuses which will benefit from extra funding from the French State as part of the project of federating other universities of Lille in order to promote a large-scale campus of international visibility.

Please take time to have a look at this booklet and discover the great benefits you could get from studying at the University of Lille 1 and make the most of your stay!

Don't hesitate to come and join us!  
Best regards,

Philippe Rollet,  
*President*

# The University of Lille 1

Lille is situated in the triangle between London, Paris and Brussels and offers a truly European experience to all international students. The whole range of disciplines is now available as we can open our partnerships to the sister universities of Lille 2 (law, sport and medicine) and Lille 3 (humanities).

These institutions can be complementary to Lille 1 where you will find science, technology, engineering, economics, management, geography and sociology. Degree programmes run over a period of 3 years for the Bachelor and 2 years (1+1) for the Master, with selection requirements for the final year. Most degrees are taught in French and French proficiency is needed with at least a B2 level. French can be learned at your home university or here in Lille. The University of Lille 1 can as well offer study programmes taught in English (*more information on page 18*).





## Facts and Figures

- Ranking QS Top 2011/2012 : 14th place among the French Universities, 395th place in the world and in the top 100 for the number of international students.
- 19 947 students (19% of them are international students coming from 70 different countries).
- First University in France for adult education : 12 000 students.
- 6 268 degrees issued in 2012, 1 000 Phds and 39 laboratories.
- Research organised around 8 scientific sectors (Information and Communication Technology, Biology and Biotechnologies, Chemistry and Materials, Environment, Human and Social Science, Mechanics, Physics and Mathematics).
- Quality Charter for Exchange programmes awarded by the European Commission in 2007.
- Erasmus Mundus Programmes (Action 1 and Action 2).
- “International Label” developed by the University of Lille1 and awarded in 2012 by the European Commission.

*The University of Lille 1 in facts and figures (2013)*

## Some history

In Lille, the University has deep roots in the past. The first University was created in Douai in 1562 by the King of Spain. It only became French in 1712. Then the revolutionary period and the following regimes made it hard for the University to exist. The real rebirth of the University, as it is known nowadays, dates back to 1854 with the creation of the Faculty of Science in Lille under the aegis of Louis Pasteur.

The Faculty knew a real development that led to the creation in 1967 of a modern University outside the city, known as the “Cité Scientifique” : a vast green campus, linked to the centre of Lille thanks to “the automatic subway”, an innovation developed in The University of Lille 1’s research labs. There are other locations of the University of Lille 1: the management school in the oldest part of Lille city and the Marine Department in Wimeux, close to the sea.

# WHAT TO DO IN LILLE ?



## Tourism

The region is famous for its wonderful landscapes with its typical windmills, its paved streets, the huge beaches of the Opal Coast, its countryside, and its Flemish architecture. Not only is the standard of teaching extremely high in the Nord-Pas de Calais but the region is also great fun to live in.

- Lille is the 4th largest metropolitan area in France after Paris, Lyon, and Marseille.
- Lille was the European cultural capital in 2004.
- Nord-Pas de Calais counts 4 million inhabitants.
- The youngest population in France : 35% of the inhabitants are under 25.

## Cost of living

Living in France for a whole year will cost at least 6 000€. This sum largely depends on your accommodation : University room or private flat.

Prices for some basic products or services : a meal in the university canteen : 3,05€, a cinema ticket : from 7 to 8€ with the student card, a metro or bus ticket : 1,40€, a newspaper around 1,50€...

## What to do in Lille and around



In the centre of Lille, you can find myriads of bars and clubs as well as cinemas which are concentrated around the pedestrian area in the town centre. At some cinemas, such as the Majestic or the Métropole, you can see foreign films with French subtitles. There are also numerous concert halls in the Lille area which attract young audiences from Lille and surrounding region.

You can go shopping just at two metro stations in the shopping centre called V2 where you will find everything you need (supermarket, clothes, books, mobile phones, restaurants...)

You cannot study at the University of Lille 1 without visiting the main museums like the Musée des Beaux-Arts in the centre of Lille, the LAM (Modern Arts) in Villeneuve d'Ascq and the famous Museum of Arts and Industry called "La Piscine" in Roubaix.

If you prefer sports, you can enjoy watching a football game and support the LOSC, the local team in the brand new stadium inaugurated in August 2012 located just near the campus and reachable on foot.



# CAMPUS LIFE



## Sport and recreation

The sport activities are organised within a special department called SUAPS. The sport activities aim at contributing to students' health and well-being, encouraging the acquisition of autonomy, developing inter-cultural exchanges, and integrating the academic and professional world. It's possible for every student to do sport in the University of Lille 1 : football, rugby, golf, tennis, dance, badminton...



## Student's House

A 700 m<sup>2</sup> building is devoted to student life. It was created to be a unique place for students and it is mostly managed by students themselves. The Student's House offers services like a reception hall, cafeteria, offices for clubs and societies, a multimedia room, a meeting room, and a conference room that hosts more than 60 activities each year. You cannot miss it when you are here!



You can watch Lille 1 web tv and listen to Radio Campus (106.6 fm).



## Culture Centre

The Culture building is situated at the very heart of the campus close to the Library and to the Student's House. You can have coffee there, look at the exhibitions, take part in cultural activities like music, dance, theatre, photography... Conferences are organised all year long. Opening hours : Monday till Thursday, 11h till 18h / Friday, 10h till 13h45



## Mix'Cit 

Each year, the University of Lille 1 organises its own Festival called Mixcit  with concerts, games, sports, exhibitions... It is a nice opportunity to federate the Lille 1 Community of Students and Staff and to open the campus to people living around.

# ACCOMMODATION

In France, public halls of residence are managed by the CROUS. There are different types of accommodation :

- traditional room (very simple room with common facilities : bathroom and kitchen).  
*Price around 146€/month*
- renovated room (with kitchen inside and shared facilities : bathroom).  
*Price around 186€/month*
- rehabilitated room (with bathroom inside and shared kitchen).  
*Price around 224€/month*
- studio (very few are available)

It's also possible to find accommodation apart from public halls of residence (private halls of residence, private flats, shared private flats).

## Cafeterias

There are 19 university cafeterias in the Nord-Pas de Calais Region. They are managed by the CROUS. The RU "Restaurant Universitaire" represents the best way of maintaining a balanced diet on a student budget. Open at lunchtime and in the evening, the RU offers a wide range of good quality meals. You can choose between a traditional restaurant meal (starter, main course, and 2 desserts) or a cafeteria meal with a choice of sandwiches, fast food and brasserie dishes.



## Transport

The University of Lille 1 is situated in a city called Villeneuve d'Ascq and is linked to the center of Lille by subway. You need 15 minutes to reach the campus by subway. There are two stations on the campus : "Cité scientifique - Pr Gabillard" and "4 cantons - Grand Stade".

The VAL (light automated vehicle) system is a driverless subway in and around Lille. This innovation "the automatic subway" was invented in the early 80s by a Lille 1 researcher, Professor Gabillard.

The subway forms part of a mixed mode of public transport system, combined with buses and trams operated by Transpole and covering the Lille metropolitan area. These metros are only 2 metres wide and 26 m long. There are 60 stations which go as far as the Belgian border. One unit can carry 156 passengers. The metro operates from 5 a.m until midnight, with metros every 1,5-4 minutes (1 min during rush hour), and every 6-8 minutes early mornings and evenings. On Sundays they run every 4-6 minutes. The single fare costs 1,40€. Students under 26 can obtain reduced transport fares for their daily journeys in and around the conurbation or in the region.

If you prefer to use a bicycle, it's possible for you to take a yearly subscription thanks to the V'Lille programme.

If you want to travel in France, the most convenient way is the high speed train TGV.

- Lille - Paris : 1 hour
- Lille - Brussels : 36 minutes
- Lille - Lyon : 3 hours
- Lille - London : 1 hour 40

You can get a special reduction card when you are under 25.

# STUDENT SERVICES

## Health - social security

**EU students** : please bring your european insurance card.

**Non EU students under 28 years** : Affiliation to the student social security is mandatory. You must fill in the registration form when you enrol at the University and pay the registration fees (around 200€/ year). You will have to choose a social security payment center for the reimbursement of any social benefits : SMENO or LMDE. Student Social Security will not cover 100 % of your medical costs. To be entirely covered, we strongly advise you to join a mutual insurance company.

The University first aid care center SIUMPPS (Service InterUniversitaire de Médecine Préventive et de Promotion de la Santé) is a free public service integrated within the university. This centre can give you first aid care and counselling. Services available : nursing care, doctor's consultations, vaccinations, social worker counselling, family planning and education ; 1st year students: a medical check-up, medical certificates : fitness for sport, non contagion, etc.

## Library

The University of Lille 1 library is the central building on the campus. Lille 1 Library is currently being renovated to become a real "Learning Centre" with brand new equipments and facilities. The temporary library is located at A4/A5 buildings. Its documentary base comprises 160 000 books, 60 000 theses and 660 subscriptions to various scientific journals. Enrolment at the University of Lille 1 allows you complete access to the library and its resources. Lending conditions enable you to borrow up to 5 documents for two weeks. Many of the scientific journals are numbered and available on-line via the central library server. You can also do any photocopies necessary for your work (payable), as well as bibliographical research using the international databases.

The new service BUMOBILE enables you to borrow books and other documents or extend your loan on your smartphone/pad.

An inter-library lending service is also available for the books not found in the University of Lille 1's central library. Each Faculty of the University of Lille 1 also has its own decentralised library.



BlogsLille1 [blogs.univ-lille1.fr](https://blogs.univ-lille1.fr)

Blogs Lille1 is the official social network of the University of Lille 1. It gives students and academic staff the possibility to interact all together. Blogs is a tool aimed at developing the comprehension of a particular job on the internet as well as fostering contacts connected to your professional objective. So you can create your profile, share information, create groups of discussion, stay informed about the activities of your university.

## Services

### Modern Languages Department

At the University of Lille 1 you can find on the campus a Modern Languages Department where you will be able to study French, English, German or Spanish.

Languages are taught in two dedicated buildings : B5 and SUP/SUAIO. Two self-access language resources centres are available to students who want to improve their language skills, train or register for language assessments.

### Career Service

In the SUP/SUAIO building, you can also find "Pass'Pro", a special office reserved for professional orientation and job / internship seeking. You can have information about internships offers. Some seminars are organised throughout the year to help students with CV and application letters. You can also find a large area reserved for documentation, information on careers and jobs.

### Service of Disabled

If you are disabled or seriously sick, the student's life office can help you in many ways (help with administrative procedures, with the organisation of courses, of exams...). Don't hesitate to contact this office before your arrival.

### Societies and Clubs

There are over 60 clubs and societies on the university campus. Thanks to these associations, you can have contact with and strengthen ties with other French students. Ask for the directory of clubs and societies (annuaire des associations) when you arrive at the University of Lille 1.

On the campus, there are different places where you can find a computer to work and also many wireless connections. When you enrol, a personal e-mail address is automatically issued. You will receive a weekly newsletter and then become a real actor of the Lille 1 community.



The Moodle pedagogical platform will help you contact teachers and other students, get information about courses, get access to all e-resources.



# Join the Lille 1 community

[facebook.com/univlille1](https://facebook.com/univlille1)



[twitter.com/univ\\_lille1](https://twitter.com/univ_lille1)



[youtube.com/UnivLille1](https://youtube.com/UnivLille1)



[goo.gl/r004q](https://goo.gl/r004q)



# FRENCH INTENSIVE COURSE

The University of Lille 1 has set up a diploma in French Language (DU FLE).

This is a program dedicated to students for whom French is a foreign language and who want to improve their French proficiency. DU FLE is a French program based on innovative teaching methods like organizing the groups according to French proficiency, thematic courses, learning through projects, French on University objectives and the use of social networks. It aims at acquiring the linguistic bases in French to be able to integrate the academic courses at the University of Lille1 that is obtaining the level B2 to join an education in hard sciences and obtaining the level C1 to join an education in human and social sciences.

## Offer and calendar

The University of Lille 1 offers 4 modules according to your French proficiency :

	Entrance level	Time span of the course	Fall semester	Spring semester	Summer	Price
<b>Module 1 (900H)</b>	Beginner (A1-A2)	Year	350H	350H	200H	5 700€
<b>Module 2 (550H)</b>	Elementary (A2-B1)	Year Semester	350H	200H 350H	200H	3 900€
<b>Module 3 (450H)</b>	Intermediate (B1-B2)	Year Semester	350H	100H 350H	100H	3 330€
<b>Module 4 (200H)</b>	Advanced (B2)	Semester			200H	2 100€

*H = hours*

## Registration :

Deadline : 30 April (each year)

Requirements for registration : Compulsory placement test and the minimum level required for these courses is A1

Evaluation : Continuous evaluation and Final exam

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# RESEARCH

The University of Lille 1, involved in numerous partnerships (Engineering schools, national organisations, research and business clusters, local authorities) is a top-flight centre for science and technology, both at national and international levels. Its laboratories are affiliated with national research organisations, i.e. CNRS, INRIA, INSERM, IFREMER, CNES, IFSTTAR and INRA.

The quality of its research teams and science facilities is recognized in international rankings ; at the national level, the Montaigne Institute has ranked the University of Lille 1 second in the French university league tables (publications category), and A+ laboratories in the field of pure science.

The University has over 19 000 students and some 1 500 professors, associate professors and researchers, including 1 000 PhD students (30% of whom are international).

The Doctoral Schools offer PhD students a high level scientific supervision thanks to the worldwide recognized research teams. In the University of Lille 1, there are 4 Doctoral Schools :

- Science of Materials, radiation and environment
- Engineers
- Social and Economic Science, Urban Planning and Management
- Biology and Health

Lille 1 is part of the European Doctoral School (CDE), contributing with its 4 Regional Doctoral Schools in :

- Engineering Science - 800 PhD students
- Material Science Radiation and Environmental Science - 300 PhD students
- Economics and Social Sciences, Regional Planning, Management - 300 PhD students
- Biology and Health - 350 PhD students

The CDE was conceived to federate the European activities of 6 cross border regional doctoral schools, and to develop new, coordinated projects to ensure the excellence of doctoral education, the promotion and international mobility of Doctors, and to foster the employability of doctoral fellows. The CDE provides financing via specific calls for doctoral projects based on European attractiveness and academic excellence.

At Lille 1, research activities have a truly international scope that is measured via the setting up of 12 Joint European or International laboratories, an active participation in European and international programs (60 European FRP VI projects including 7 as coordinator, 18 INTERREG III cross-border projects, 55 international French-speaking country programmes, 2 Erasmus Mundus Master Courses and 6 Erasmus Mundus Action 2).



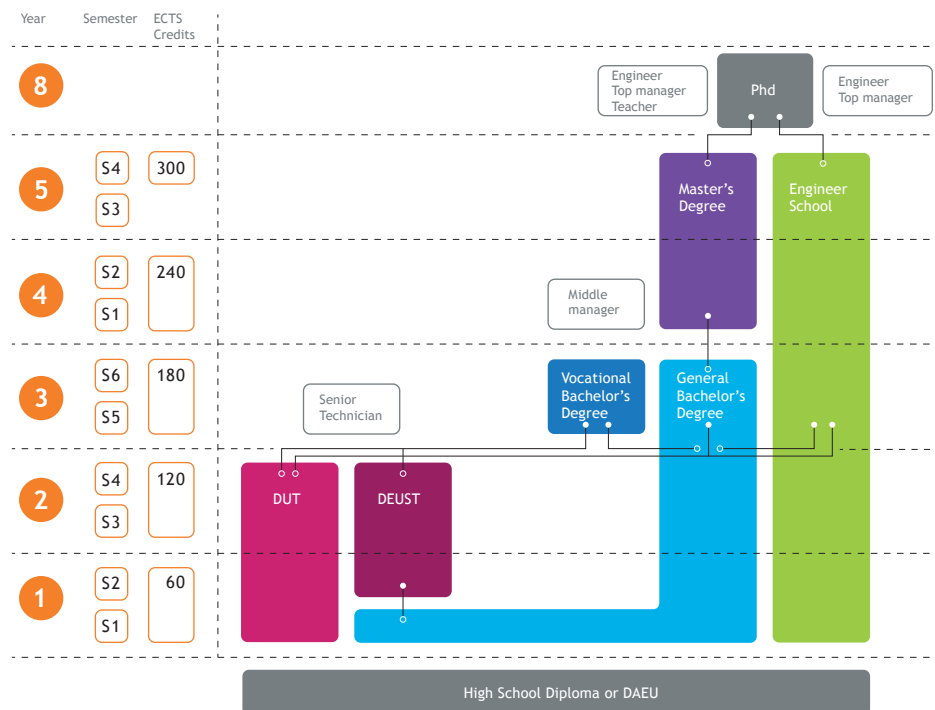
Lille 1 laboratories are equipped with cutting edge science facilities and technological platforms, integrated within regional, national and international science community networks. The research activities are structured in 8 main interdisciplinary areas, fitting to the most updated national and European trends in societal needs :

- Science and Technology of Information and Communication (STIC)
- Mathematics
- Chemistry and Materials
- Environment
- Bio-Health
- Physics
- Social and economic science, regional planning, management
- Mechanics, Energetics and Civil Engineering



# THE FRENCH HIGHER EDUCATION SYSTEM

The University of Lille 1 has adopted the Bologna process and the courses are organised around three levels :



Phd programmes are conducted in 4 Doctoral Schools :

- Engineering
- Biology / Health
- Economics / Sociology / Management
- Science

# GRADING SCALE AND ACADEMIC CALENDAR

## Grading system and ECTS

ETCS Grading scale	Scale at The University of Lille 1 : 0-20	Successful students normally achieving the grade	Definition
A	14.50 - 20	10%	<b>Excellent</b> outstanding performance with only minor errors
B	12.50 - 14.49	25%	<b>Very good</b> above the average standard but with some errors
C	11 - 12.49	30%	<b>Good</b> generally sound work with a number of notable errors
D	10.50 - 10.99	25%	<b>Satisfactory</b> fair but with significant shortcomings
E	10 - 10.49	10%	<b>Sufficient</b> performance meets the minimum criteria
FX	8 - 9.99	-	<b>Fail</b> some more work required before the credit can be awarded
F	0 - 7.99	-	<b>Fail</b> considerable further work is required

## Lille 1 academic year

1st semester : September to mid-December / *Early January* : 1st exam session  
 2nd semester : mid-January to mid-May / *End of May* : 2nd exam session

# STUDY PROGRAMMES IN ENGLISH

## Science and Technology and Health

*Master* Advanced Spectroscopy in Chemistry

*Master* Electrical Engineering and Sustainable Development

*Master* Urban Engineering and Habitat

*Master* Mathematical Engineering, Advanced Scientific Computing

*Master* Micro-Nanotechnology

*Master* Past and Current Geoenvironments

*Master* Atmospheric Environment (Physics-Chemistry)

## Economics and Management

*Bachelor* Business Administration (BBA)

*Master* Executive International Management

*Master* Economics of Globalisation and European Integration (Erasmus Mundus)

*Master* Global E-Business

*Master* Management of European Affairs

## Human and Social Sciences

*Master* Eurostudies (European Studies for Territorial and Urban Development)

# STUDY PROGRAMMES IN FRENCH

## Science and Technology and Health- BACHELOR

Major	Specialities
Computer Science	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Computer Science</li> <li>· Computer Science Methods applied to Management of Enterprises</li> </ul>
Physics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Fundamental Physics</li> <li>· Instrumental Physics</li> </ul>
Mathematics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Mathematics</li> <li>· Mathematics and Literature</li> </ul>
MASS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Applied Mathematics and Social Sciences</li> </ul>
Mechanics Mechanical Engineering Civil Engineering	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Mechanics</li> <li>· Mechanical Engineering</li> <li>· Civil Engineering</li> </ul>
Chemistry	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Chemistry</li> <li>· Quality, Environment of Industrial Productions</li> </ul>
Electronics Electrotechnics Automation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Electronics, Electrical Systems, Automation</li> <li>· Electrical Engineering</li> <li>· Measuring, Instrumentation and Control</li> </ul>
Life Science	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Biology - Geology</li> <li>· Earth and Life Science</li> </ul>
Biology	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Biochemistry</li> <li>· Cellular and physiological biology</li> <li>· Biology of organisms and populations</li> </ul>
Earth and Environment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Earth and Environment</li> </ul>

## Science and Technology and Health - MASTER

### Major

Planning, Urban planning and Development of territories

Earth Science, Science of the universe and of the environment

Ecology

Physics

Chemistry

Chemistry and Biology

Nutrition and food products management

Biology and biotechnologies

Micro and Nanotechnologies, Telecommunication

Mechanics, Civil engineering and mechanical engineering

### Specialities

- Geography, Environment, Territories
- Eco-development, Project conception and Development of territories
- Urban Planning "Town and projects"
- Local development and tourism

- Geology of the engineer
- Current and former geoenvironments

- Management and evolution of biodiversity
- Functioning and management of marine eco-systems

- Materials
- Light - Material
- Strategic monitoring, intelligence and innovation
- Biological and medical Physics

- Chemistry, energy, environment
- Chemistry and Engineering of formulation
- Engineering of polymer systems
- Water treatment

- Organic chemistry
- Bio-analytical chemistry

- Management of nutritional quality and marketing of food products
- Industrial transformation of agroe-resources

- Biology and Health
- Genomics and proteomics

- Micro and nanotechnologies
- Telecommunication
- Systems of communication

- Civil engineering
- Infrastructures in civil engineering
- Mechanical engineering
- Soil and Water
- Mechanical science and engineering

## Science and Technology and Health - MASTER

### Major

Engineering of industrial systems

### Specialities

- Instrumentation, Measurement and Quality
- Control and optimization of industrial processes
- Production and Maintenance
- Treatment and Surface coating materials
- Hygiene, security and quality of environment
- Computer science for industry
- Catalysis and processes
- Chemical analysis in industrial control and environment
- Industrial risks and maintenance
- Materials and textile processes

Automatisms and electrical systems

- Electrical energy and sustainable development
- Management of networks of electrical energy
- Systems, autonomous machines and ground networks
- Image, vision, interaction

Computer science

- Engineering and architecture of softwares
- Technologies for internet infrastructures and their robustness
- Image, Vision, Interaction
- Models for calculation of huge data masses

Computer Science applied to the management of firms

- Engineering for computer science projects and new technologies

Mathematics

- Applied mathematics
- Pure mathematics

Mathematics and Finance

- Mathematics applied to risk management
- Computational finance

Engineering of Mathematics

- Statistical and digital engineering
- Advanced scientific computing

## Economics and Management - BACHELOR

### Major

Economics and Management

### Specialities

- Geography, Environment, Territories
- Eco-development, Project conception and Development of territories
- Urban Planning "Town and projects"

Applied Economics

- Economics and Societies
- Mathematics, Computer Science, Statistics applied to Economics and Management

Management Science

- Marketing International, Communication, Culture
- Management
- Direct Marketing and distance selling
- Marketing and Sales

## Economics and Management - MASTER

### Major

Marketing

### Specialities

- Marketing and trade
- Direct marketing and e-business
- Audit Control and research in marketing
- Marketing Studies and trade analyses
- Industrial, International Marketing and Innovation
- Marketing, Communication, Culture

Management science

- General management of business units
- Management of Human resources
- International trade
- Audit, Accountancy and Finance
- Internal Audit and control board
- Finance and development of firms

Engineering of management

- Business administration
- Management by project
- Entrepreneurship and management of innovation
- Management of firms in health sector



## Economics and Management - MASTER

### Major

Business Economics and Management

### Specialities

- Human Resources Management
- Logistics Management and transport engineering
- Management and economics of service firms and organisation
- Banking Finance
- Organisation, Management and Control
- Information systems and business intelligence
- Innovation strategies and entrepreneurial dynamics

Applied economics

- Applied econometrics
- Public policy, institutions and social and solidarity economics
- Economic development of the public-private interface

International economics and management

- Trade and management of international affairs
- Trade and management for East Asia.
- Cooperation project Engineering
- Global e-business
- Management of European affairs
- Competitive intelligence and international development
- Financial management of international firms
- Economics of globalisation and European integration

Public economics and management

- Economic analysis of public policies
- Management and administration of regional and local authorities

Economics and Public management

- Management of social and health organisations
- Culture and development
- Manager in local authorities
- Management of Universities

## Human and Social Sciences - BACHELOR

### Major

Geography

Education Science

Sociology-Ethnology

### Specialities

- Geography
- Planning, Environment and Urban Planning

- Education Science and Lifelong Learning

- Contemporary Sociologies and demography
- Ethnology
- Economics and Society

## Human and Social Sciences - MASTER

### Major

Planning, Urban planning and development of territories

Sociology-Anthropology

Education Science

Epistemology, scientific mediation

### Specialities

- Geography, environment, territories
- Eco-development, project conception and development of territories
- Urban Planning "Town and projects"
- Local development and tourism
- Construction and sustainable planning

- Engineering in social science investigation
- Labour market organisation, diagnostic and human resources
- Sociology and anthropology of urban issues
- Sociology of the non-profit sector
- Local Health activities and policies
- Organisation of work, diagnosis and human resources

- Education science and adult education

- History and philosophy of science, logics and epistemology
- Journalists and scientists

## PhD Programmes

### PhD

Biology - Health

### Field of Study

- Molecular and cellular aspects of biology
- Physiology and organic biology
- Bio molecules, pharmacology, therapy
- Clinical research, technological innovation, public health
- Science and techniques of physical and sports activities

Economic sciences, Social sciences, planning and Management

- Economic Science, Management Science, Sociology
- Anthropology - Ethnology, Geography
- Planning and Urbanism, Prehistory

Material sciences, radiation and environment  
History and epistemology of Science

- Molecules and condensed matters
- Optics and Lasers, Physical chemistry, Atmosphere
- Geosciences, Ecology, Palaeontology, Oceanography,
- Biological function engineering

Engineering sciences

- Pure mathematics, Applied mathematics
- Mechanics, Energy, Materials Civil engineer
- Electrical engineer, Computer science
- Automation, Computer sciences engineer, Signal and image treatment
- Micro and Nanotechnologies, Acoustics and Telecommunications

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- Philosophy, History of science and techniques
- Education science

The Bachelor is mainly considered as a professional degree. With the system of accumulated credits and the academic year being divided into semesters, the three year programme can be taken in modules or in a shorter time. All students who have completed a Bachelor are eligible to follow with a Master programme. This programme provides more in-depth study of a specialisation in a given discipline.

The decision to do a Doctorate should be made as soon as possible during the Masters programme. The three years of a Doctorate are entirely dedicated to research and writing a thesis.

# ADMISSIONS

## Admission requirements

If you wish to apply for a study programme in English, please check the requirements for each programme on Lille 1 website or download our booklet "Degree programmes in English". Students whose mother tongue is not French should provide a proof of French proficiency when applying for a study programme in French. The required level is B2 according to the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages.

### Exchange students and degree-seekers from partner universities

Contact your international relations office for application process.

### Free movers

You first need to check if your country has a Campus France agency.

If so, you need to follow the Campus France procedure (online application and interview).

*Application deadline : January*

If not, you need to follow Lille 1 validation process to apply (application process and documents downloadable on Lille 1 website).

*Application deadline : 30th April*



## Enrolment

In order to register at the University of Lille 1, you will need to provide the following documents :

- your Passport and student visa
- about 5 passport photographs
- your diplomas and transcripts of records
- a birth certificate translated into French or English and validated by the Embassy
- if you are a free-mover, you need to provide the document called "attestation de pré-inscription" issued by Campus France or the "décision de validation" issued by the University of Lille 1 if there is no Campus France agency in your country.

Specific documents requested for exchange students :

- the registration certificate from your home university
- your learning agreement

## Fees

The University of Lille 1 is a public University, this means that it is funded by the French government. That's why tuition fees are low :

- Bachelor degrees : around 200€
- Master degrees : around 250€
- Phd : around 350€

As they are already registered in their home institution, exchange students will benefit from a tuition waive.

Please note that you will have to pay for Health Insurance (Student Social Security). The yearly amount is about 200€.

## Residence permits

If you are from a European Economic Area Country, Switzerland, Andorra or Monaco, you are exempt from the residence permit obligation (Bulgarian and Romanian citizens need a residence permit to work).

If you are from another country, you will get a one-year student visa in most cases. The French Consulate will as well give you a document called "Attestation OFII". Once arrived and within 3 months after arrival, you will need to fill in this document with your address in France and add a copy of your passport and visa with your entry stamp. You will have to send it to the OFII (French Office of Immigration). The OFII will call you for a compulsory medical examination and will validate your visa after you pay a tax. This one-year visa will exempt you from applying for a resident permit.

If you study in France for more than one academic year, you will need to apply then for a residence permit before the expiry of your one-year visa. The University of Lille 1 has a special office called "Office for International Students" (*Caution : this office is not the International Relations Office*) that can help you ask for a student resident permit (only open from September to December).

# EXCHANGE PROGRAMMES

The University of Lille 1 has established formal exchange agreements with a number of Universities in Europe, Asia and the Americas. These agreements are designed both for international students who wish to spend one or two semesters in a programme of study at the University of Lille 1 and transfer the credits to their home institution (Erasmus programme for instance) as well as for students who want to study and get a the University of Lille 1 diploma.

Located centrally (A3 building) on the campus, the International Relations Office provides a link between your home University and the University of Lille 1. Staff are available to provide assistance before, during and after your stay. The International office coordinates the application process as well as the orientation programme and should be your first contact point for all enquiries.

Prospective students who may need advice should contact the international relations office of their home institution or email : [international@univ-lille1.fr](mailto:international@univ-lille1.fr)

Further information may be obtained from the International Relations Office website : [ci.univ-lille1.fr](http://ci.univ-lille1.fr)

## Erasmus Mundus Action 2

The University of Lille 1 is actively participating in the European programme called EMECW. This programme aims at developing student and teaching mobility between the European Union and other parts of the world. The University of Lille 1 is a member of in numerous geographical lots : Maghreb, Africa, Caribbean Area, Pacific Area, Middle-East, Central Asia and Eastern Europe.



Thanks to these QR-code, you will find all information in the international part of the University of Lille 1 web site.

#### **How to use it?**

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Scan the QR-code with this application. You will then be directed to the appropriate page.

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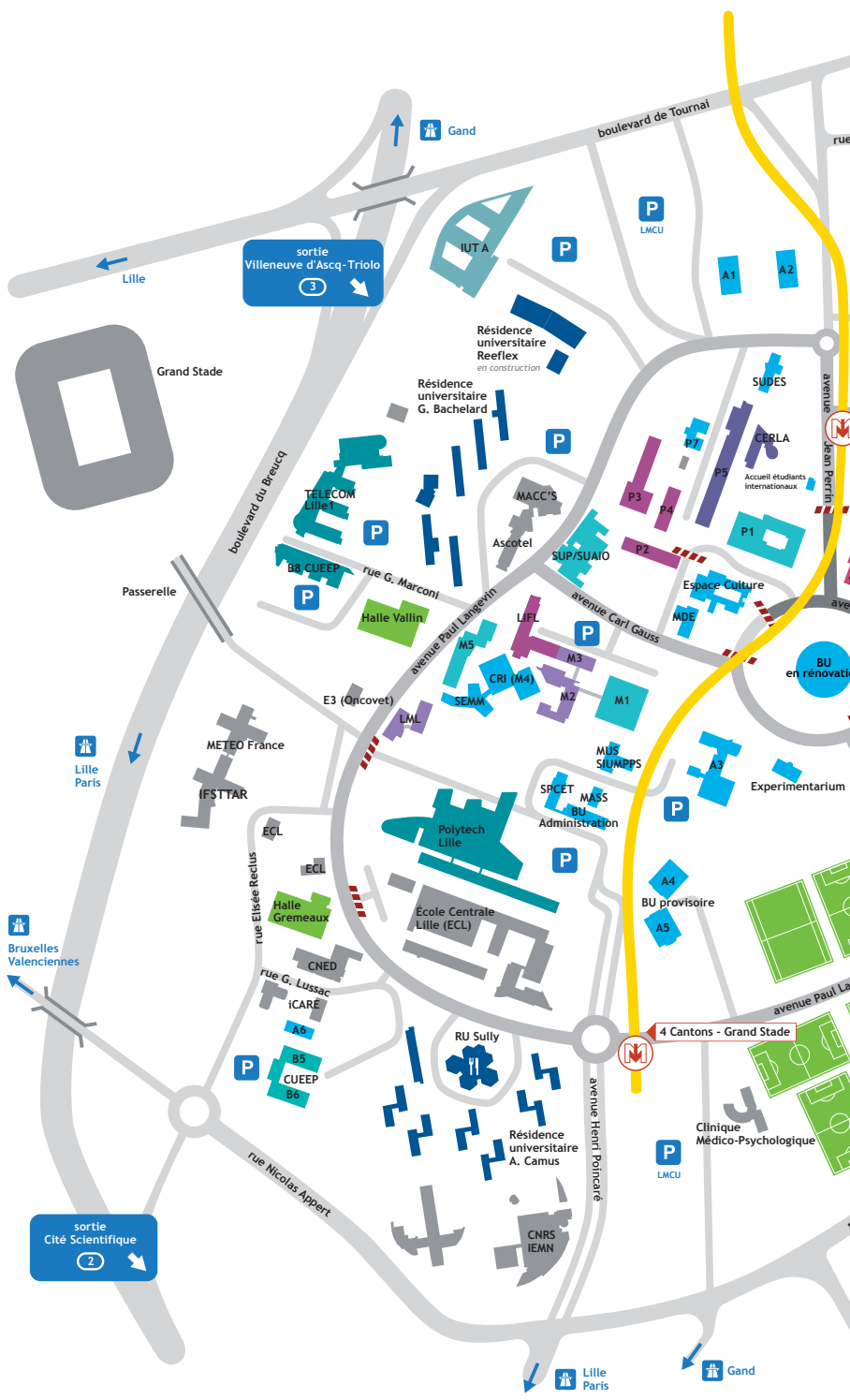


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