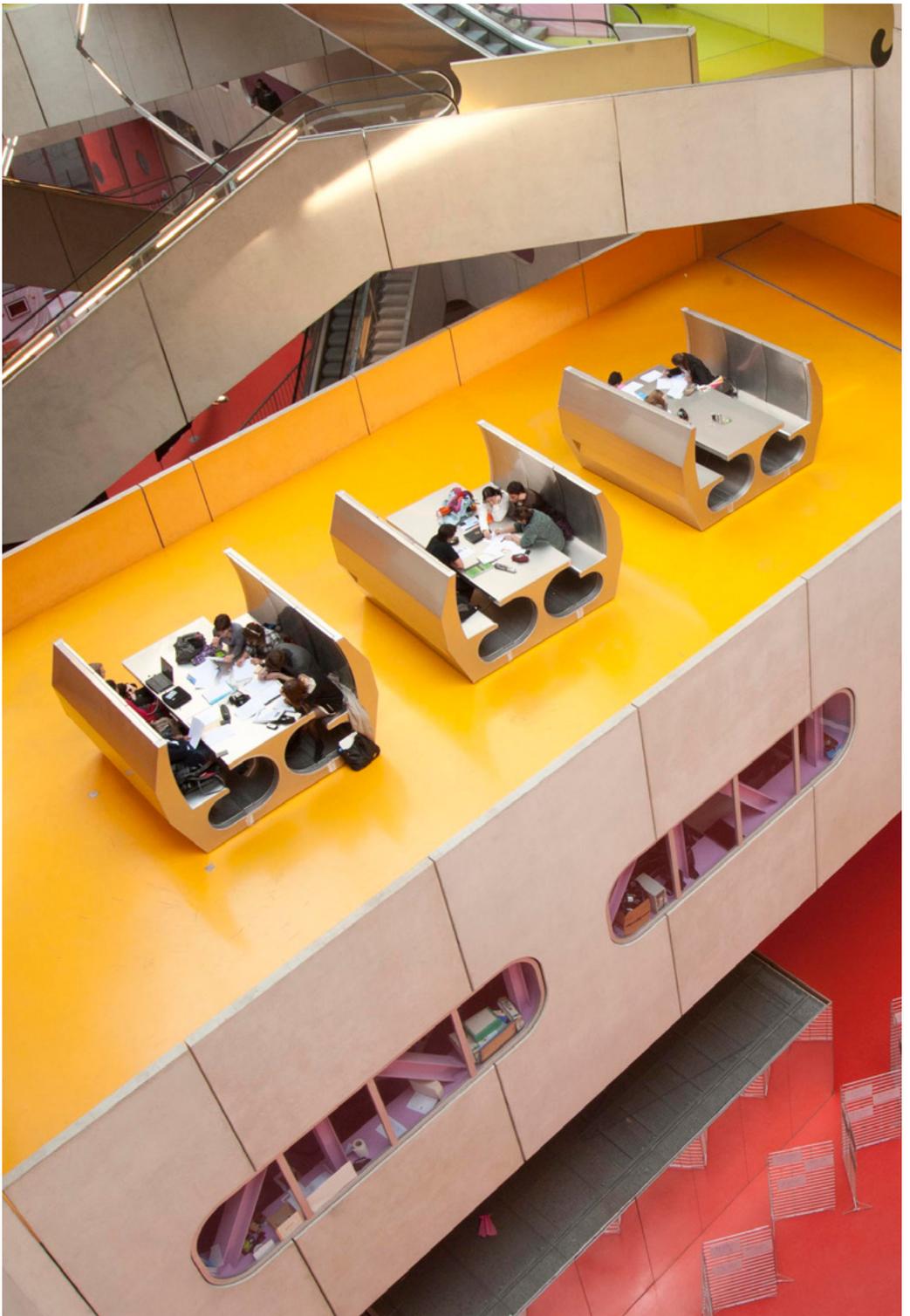


UPMC
SORBONNE UNIVERSITÉS

GUIDE FOR
INTERNATIONAL
STUDENTS



PIERRE AND MARIE CURIE UNIVERSITY

THE UNIVERSITY

13 Campuses and locations across seven departments (French administrative divisions) and four regions in France

4 museums and thousands of works of art

100 laboratories

30 500 students of which **20%** are international students

10 300 staff and **5 820** professor-researchers and clinical professors

7 teaching faculties/departments

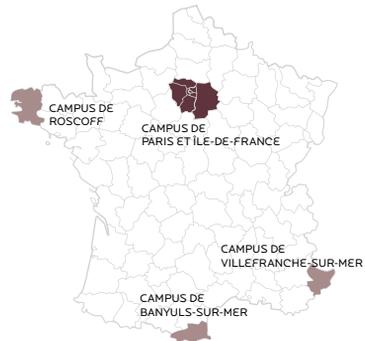
16 doctoral schools divided into 4 groups:

- Modeling and Engineering
- Energy, Matter and the Universe
- Living Earth and the Environment
- Life and Health Sciences

9 bachelor's degrees

18 professionally oriented bachelor's degrees

27 international programs



More information about the university [here](#).



UPMC FACULTIES AND INSTITUTES

The University is composed of seven departments and faculties (UFR - units of teaching and research) in:

- Chemistry
- Engineering
- Mathematics
- Medicine
- Physics
- Life sciences
- Earth sciences, Environment and Biodiversity

It also includes the Polytech'Paris UPMC engineering school, the Paris Institute of Astrophysics, the Henri Poincaré Institute and three marine stations in Roscoff, Banyuls and Villefranche-sur-Mer that have Universe Sciences Observatory (OSU) status. UPMC also has the IFD (Institute for doctoral education). Within the faculty of mathematics is ISUP, the top school for statistics in France.

For more information, visit our section :

- [Education](#)
- [Diplomas](#)

STUDYING AT UPMC

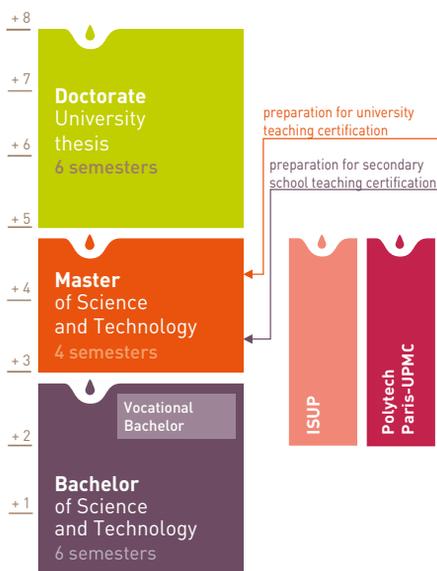
Since the beginning of 2004/2005 and as part of the European framework of higher education, UPMC has applied the new "L M D" system, which stands for Bachelor's (Licence) - Master's - Doctorate.

The studies are composed of 3 levels:

- Bachelor's program, 3 years, 180 credits
- Master's program, 2 years, 120 credits
- Doctorate program, 3 years

Science studies at UPMC

Each academic year is organised into two semesters of 30 teaching credits each.



STUDYING AT UPMC

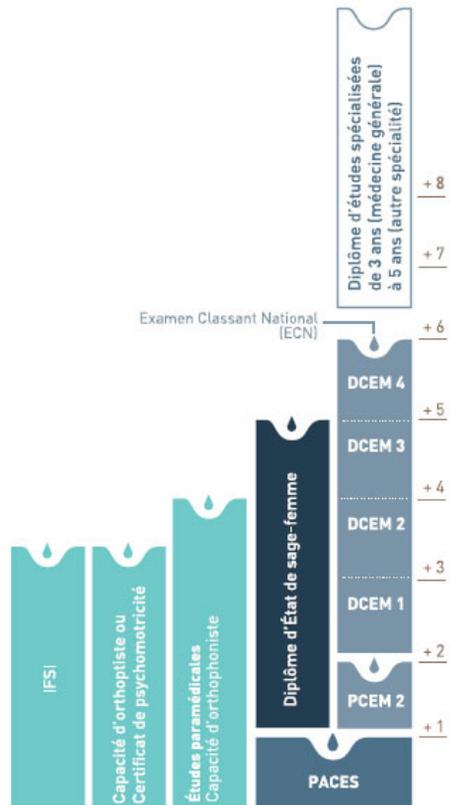


Medical studies at UPMC

In France, students cannot enroll directly in medical studies. Students who already have started medical studies abroad and wish to continue in France are required to enroll in the 1st year.

However, medical students from a country member of the European Union can, during their last year of the 2nd cycle of medical studies, register for the National Classifying Examination (ECN). Taking this exam, depending on the ranking achieved, will give access to the 3rd cycle of studies in medical specialties.

Find more information (in French) [here](#).



For more information on medicine studies, visit the website [Medical Study Guide](#)



STUDENT VISA & TITRE DE SÉJOUR (RESIDENCE PERMIT)

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Who needs a student visa?

- Every student except citizens of the EU, the EEA and the Swiss Confederation, needs a visa.

Types of student visa:

- Short-stay student visa (visa C): study in France for no longer than 3 months. This visa is not renewable in France.
- The long-stay student visa (visa D): study in France for periods longer than 3 months. This visa will be valid for one year after the medical visit organized by the immigration office in France. In the second year, students will have to apply for a *titre de séjour* (resident's permit) at the local police station ("*prefecture*").

Documents required to get a visa: (not exhaustive, see French consulate for full listing)

- Visa application form (see local French consulate for form)
- Passport valid for the duration of the visa
- Proof of pre-enrolment at UPMC
- Proof of sufficient funding during stay
- Proof of accommodation in Paris

How to get a visa?

- The application form and instructions are available at the French consulate (normally the "Center for Studies in France" (CEF))
- Visit the Campus France website: For students living in Algeria, Argentina,

Benin, Brazil, Burkina Faso, Cameroon, Canada, China, Chile, Colombia, Comoros, Congo, Gabon, Guinea, India, Indonesia, Iran, Ivory Coast, Japan, Lebanon, Madagascar, Mali, Morocco, Mauritius, Mexico, Peru, Russia, Senegal, South Korea, Taiwan, Tunisia, Turkey, the United States or Vietnam.

The Immigration office in France

At the French embassy of their home country, students are given a white form with their visa.

Applicants must send this form to the Immigration Office (OFII) upon their arrival in France.

A photocopy of the passport and the visa must be attached. The addresses of the different OFIIs are on the back of the form.

Those who live in Paris can either send it to the OFII or to the Cité Internationale Universitaire de Paris (CIUP) between September and December. The address is also indicated on the form.

Upon receipt of the application, the OFII will set up an appointment for a medical examination. For those who submit their application during the academic year at the CIUP, the acknowledgement of their application and their appointment for a medical examination will be given directly on site.

There is a cost of 58€ (students) for the resident's permit (*titre de séjour*) and 241€ (for a scientific researcher).

After payment and the medical visit, the OFII will stamp a visa confirming the *titre de séjour* for a year or for the validity dates on the visa.



Titre de séjour (Residence permit)

- Students who are staying for more than a year in France must apply for a *titre de séjour* during the 2nd year of their stay. It must be done at the local police station (*prefecture*) within the last 2 months of their valid visa.
- Most of the prefectures have established a system on the Internet where applicants can get an appointment for their *titre de séjour*. Do not go to the *prefecture* without an appointment, you could wait in line and turned away.
- When students need help with the *titre de séjour* in their 2nd year, they can contact the “*Bureau d'accueil*” of the International Relations office (the Welcome Office) for help.

Work permit

International applicants holding a *titre de séjour temporaire* labelled “*étudiant*” can carry out paid professional activities in France without a work permit. This activity must be secondary to studies, and last no more than 964 hours worked annually. The possession of a student card qualifies a student to work in any sector in France.

For more information, click [here](#) or go to:

- The city hall (*la Mairie*) or the police station or the prefecture or sub prefecture.
- The Department of labour, employment and professional training (la Direction Départementale du Travail, d'emploi et de la Formation Professionnelle de Paris - DDTEFP). Department headquarters 109 rue Montmartre 75084 PARIS CEDEX 02.

Civil Liability (*Responsabilité civile*)

According to French law, everyone on the territory should be in possession of this document. Usually when students ask for housing insurance, they are given a civil liability option as part of their contract.

REGISTRATION AT UPMC



ADMINISTRATIVE REGISTRATION

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Students coming to UPMC as part of an exchange program

Depending on their status and their exchange program, students may need to complete an administrative registration. If it is not clear whether an administrative registration is necessary, the program coordinators can provide the requirements for their program.

Students coming on an individual status

International applicants should register online first and then enroll at the "scolarité" office. Students must pay their tuition fees at the time of registration at UPMC to complete the process.

Contact L1 (1st year)

UPMC - SGFI - Scolarité administrative du L1
et des cumulatifs
Atrium Niveau J - Porte J07
Case Courrier : 1214
4, place Jussieu 75252 Paris cedex 05
01 44 27 20 31

Contact 2nd & 3rd yr. bachelor's & masters

For any questions:
scolaritecentrale@upmc.fr
RDC Bâtiment A, côté quai Saint-Bernard
4, Place Jussieu, Case courrier 2410,
75252 Paris CEDEX 5
01 44 27 35 65

Doctoral Applicants should contact:

Institut de formation doctorale
Campus des Cordeliers
Staircase C 1st floor
15 rue de l'École de médecine
75006 PARIS
ifd@upmc.fr

ACADEMIC REGISTRATION

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Registration for academic programs are managed by the relevant UPMC department. Applicants should see the registration office related to their department.

More information on
Registration for international
applicants, click [here](#).

REGISTRATION FOR FRENCH COURSES

Learn French as a foreign language

The Pierre and Marie Curie University (UPMC) is a scientific and medical university. Consequently, degrees in French language and French culture are not available.

Before starting studies in French at the University, it's essential to have a sufficient level (both written and oral).

However, foreign students enrolled at UPMC who need linguistic assistance can benefit from our French courses. These courses take place on campus and are adapted to the student's schedule. French classes over the academic year are available: between 2 hours and 7 hours a week during one or two semesters, depending on the student's initial level (estimated by a compulsory placement test).

Courses are free for masters and undergraduate students.

An intensive French course is planned in January and in June

(2 hours a day for 3 weeks) at the price of 250 euros.

French as a foreign language courses can be validated as optional course units (UE) and can be awarded ECTS credits.

Registration by e-mail only:
coursdefrancais@upmc.fr

Address

Bâtiment de la Scolarité
1st floor– Office 105

4, Place Jussieu – 75252 PARIS CEDEX 05
01 44 27 74 23 / 30 62

More information on Knowledge of French, click [here](#).

PROGRAMS TAUGHT IN ENGLISH AT UPMC

At the Master's level, UPMC offers some full programs taught in English. These courses can be part of a general Master's curriculum or part of an International Master's program.

Faculty of Biology			
Program	Domain	Level	Contact
Genetics Molecular and Cellular Biology	Molecular and Cellular Biology	2 nd year of the Master's	Frédéric Devreaux
BMC specialty Cellular Biology	Molecular and Cellular Biology	2 nd year of the Master's	Joëlle Sobczak-Thépot
IMP specialty from Developmental Biology to medicine, evolution and System Biology	Molecular and Cellular Biology	1 st and 2 nd year of the Master's	Claire Fournier-Thibault
IMP specialty Biology of Stem Cells	Molecular and Cellular Biology	2 nd year of the Master's	Joëlle Sobczak-Thépot,
IMP specialty Biotherapies and Immunology	Molecular and Cellular Biology	2 nd year of the Master's	Véronique Mateo
IB and Physiology specialty Neurosciences	Integrative Biology	2 nd year of the Master's	Régis Lambert
Faculty of Engineering			
Program	Domain	Level	Contact
Informatics specialty Networks (RES) - EIT ICT Labs	Computer Science	1 st & 2 nd year of the Master's	Prométhée Spathis
Bioinformatics and Modeling (BIM)	Computer Science	2 nd year of the Master's	Alessandra Carbone
Fluid Mechanics, Foundations and Applications (MF2A) specialty Fluid Mechanics	Engineering Science	2 nd year of the Master's	Stéphane Zaleski
Distributed systems and applications (SAR) specialty Mechatronic Systems for Rehabilitation (MSR)	Engineering Science	2 nd year of the Master's	Véronique Perdereau

Some departments offer selected course units taught in English within a program that is taught mostly in French. See the specific department of interest for more information.

Faculty of Mathematics			
Program	Domain	Level	Contact
Mathematics for Modeling Specialization specialty Numerical Analysis and Partial Differential Equations (ANEDP)	Mathematics	2 nd year of the Master's	Emmanuel Trélat
Mathematics for Modeling Specialization specialty Mathematics and Biology	Mathematics	2 nd year of the Master's	Luis Almeida
Faculty of Physics			
Program	Domain	Level	Contact
Physics and Applications (MPA) specialty Inter-university Physics Training (FIP)	Physics	1 st year of the Master's	Stéphanie Bonneau
MPA specialty Complex Systems	Physics	2 nd year of the Master's	Leticia Cugliandolo
MPA specialty International Center for Fundamental Physics	Physics	2 nd year of the Master's	Gérald Bastard
MPA specialty Nuclei particles Astroparticles Cosmology (NPAC)	Physics	2 nd year of the Master's	Delphine Hardin, Sophie Trincaz-Duvoird
MPA specialty Materials Science and Nano-objects (NANO-MAT)	Physics	2 nd year of the Master's	William Sacks (specialty), Nadine Witkowski (international master's program)
Faculty of Earth, Environment and Biodiversity			
Program	Domain	Level	Contact
SDUEE specialty Oceanography and Marine Environments (OEM)	Oceanography	2 nd year of the Master's	Eric Thiebaut
SDUEE specialty Ocean, Atmosphere, Climate and Remote Sensing (OACOS)	Oceanography	2 nd year of the Master's	Vladimir Tseitlin

HEALTH INSURANCE



HEALTH INSURANCE IN FRANCE

Health insurance in France is required for all students.

European students

Students coming from one of the 27 member states of the European Union, from the economic European area, or from the Swiss Confederation should apply for the European healthcare card. This card is proof that they have a health insurance in their country. The CEAM (*Carte européenne d'assurance maladie*) will enable them to be reimbursed for their medical costs in France. Students must ask for this card from the administration in charge of their health insurance in their home country.

Students who have European health insurance, won't need to take a complementary insurance in France.

Required documents to be reimbursed:

- A copy of the European healthcard
- A copy of the student card
- A copy of the receipt and prescriptions
- Address in France and date of arrival in France
- Bank account information or RIB
- Healthcare report sheets

Reimbursements must be addressed to the CPAM of Paris international relations office, Rue de Bercy, Paris.

Student Health Insurance

Students under the age of 28 who don't have a European Health Insurance card must pay for health insurance ("*Securité sociale*") when registering at UPMC. If they want, students with health issues can also sign up for complementary insurance in order to have additional coverage for particularly costly healthcare needs.

The student insurance companies LMDE (la mutuelle des étudiants) or Smerep (société mutualiste des étudiants de la région parisienne) have offices located near the Jussieu campus so that students will be able to go for all the information to compare coverage.

LMDE

7 rue Danton 75006 Paris

09 69 36 96 01

from Monday to Friday 9h30 to 17h30

www.lmde.com

Smerep

54, Boulevard Saint-Michel 75006 Paris

01 56 54 36 34

from Monday to Friday 9h to 18h

(17h30 on Friday)

www.smerep.fr

MEDICAL CENTERS

UPMC preventive medicine and promotion of good health offices (medical and psychological) and student social services are also available to assist in case of difficulties, including:

- Health problems, doubts about life balance, questions about relationships, worries about the future or if applicants repeatedly find themselves in situations of failure. Medical certificates can also be obtained.
- Difficult family situations, financial, material or other troubles

The UPMC website - [Campus life section](#)

Relais Social International

Managed by professionals, this agency enables students to meet with psychologists and professors who can listen to personal and university problems.

These people are there to help students to accomplish their projects and are available to give free of charge counselling, by appointment and if desired, anonymously. Furthermore, it includes an administrative facility to assist students in obtaining a *carte de séjour* (residence permit) and financial aid for housing.

> Cité internationale universitaire de Paris
Résidence André Honnorat, rez-de-chaussée

19, boulevard Jourdan
75690 PARIS cedex 14
01 44 16 64 00
relais.social@ciup.fr
Open from 9:00 to 13:00 from Tuesday to Friday

Centre de Santé Saint Michel

This medical center is quite close to the University. It provides low-cost access to physicians or specialists.

RER B Cluny la Sorbonne.
RER B Saint-Michel Notre Dame
Underground 10 Cluny la Sorbonne.
Underground 4 Saint-Michel.

> 22 boulevard Saint-Michel
75006 PARIS
01 53 73 03 03
Open from 8 am to 20 pm
from Monday to Friday.
Open from 8 to 18h on Saturday.

Click [here](#) to find a list of English-speaking doctors



USEFUL CONTACTS AND WEBSITES

Emergency numbers

- **Emergency call number in Europe**
112
- **Fire department**
18
- **SAMU (serious medical emergencies):**
15 or 01 45 67 50 50
- **Police station**
17
- **Anti-Poison Center:**
Hôpital Fernand Widal, 200 rue du Faubourg Saint-Denis - 75010 Paris
01 40 05 48 48
- **Severe burns:**
Hôpital Foch, 40 rue Worth - 92150 Suresnes
01 46 25 24 96
- **Drugs info Service:**
08 00 23 13 13
- **Alcohol helpline:**
08 11 91 30 30
- **Cannabis helpline:**
08 11 91 20 20
- **AIDS info Service:**
08 00 84 08 00
- **Pharmacy open day and night:**
84 avenue des Champs-Élysées - 75008 Paris
01 45 62 02 41
- **Emergency Doctor:**
01 47 07 77 77 or 01 43 37 77 77
- **Emergency Dentist:**
87 Bd de Port Royal - 75013 Paris
01 43 37 51 00

HOUSING ACCOMODATION



Finding long-term housing in Paris can be challenging. In most cases, foreign students accepted by UPMC must find their own accommodation. It should be handled as soon as possible. Below is a list of organization that can help with finding housing.

A written request must be sent with the application for a room with the CROUS or at the Cité Internationale Universitaire of Paris (CIUP) (master's or doctorate level), because the number of places is very limited. Cost: approx € 400/month.

CROUS DE PARIS

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Rooms are reserved according to financial need, primarily for French students.

Le CROUS de Paris

39 avenue Georges Bernanos, 75005 Paris
RER B Port Royal
01 40 51 55 55

www.crous-paris.fr

- Free access to the advertisement bulletin board in the entrance hall of CROUS
- Minimum budget of 380€/month for a room and 455€/month minimum for a studio.
- The CROUS *logement en ville* service acts as an intermediary between landlords and students for room rental: for an apartment, a studio or a 2-room apartment. If you have an Academy of Paris student card (*carte d'étudiant de l'Académie de Paris*), this service is free. It is open all year long from 1 pm - 4:30 pm Monday to Friday.

CITÉ INTERNATIONALE UNIVERSITAIRE DE PARIS (CIUP)

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Registration with a National House:

Candidates must contact the National House of their country (if there is one). For all administrative information (application, schedules...), contact the house secretary [here](#).

Registration with admissions service:

Candidates not represented by a national house must contact the admissions service:

Cité Internationale Universitaire de Paris

Service des Admissions

19, Boulevard Jourdan, 75 690 Paris Cedex 14

Tel: 01 44 16 64 48 ou 40

Fax: 01 44 16 64 03

E-mail: admissions@ciup.fr

UPMC HOUSING PLATFORM (OFF CAMPUS)

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You are a future international student at UPMC, use the university's housing platform on which you will be able to:

- Find a rental close to the campus
- Find your international or French roommate(s) and form shared rentals
- Find a subletting
- Find a room in a French family (ideal for the experience).

Website: housing.upmc.fr

STUDENT RESIDENCES

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Reception office and student services
(Office d'Accueil et de Services étudiants - OSE)
11 rue Serpente, 75006 Paris
Métro Saint-Michel ou Cluny la Sorbonne
Tel: 0 820 20 23 30
www.leclubetudiant.com

Private residences (Estudines, Lauréades, Adèle, etc.)

Furnished accommodation in private residences. Please compare prices at the following sites before renting.
www.citadines.com
www.citéa.com
Students can reserve a room online in various residences in Paris and Ile de France. Special rates are available for UPMC students. Contact the reception office for more information.
www.estudines.fr
www.icade-immobilier.com
www.fac-habitat.com
www.univercity.fr
www.adele.org

APARTMENT RENTING OR SHARING WEBSITES

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www.locaflat.com • www.nyhabitat.com/fr/
• paris-appartement.html • www.sergic.com •
www.colocation.fr • www.apartager.com •
www.appartement.org • www.cidj.com •
www.portail-colocation.com • www.pap.fr •
www.kel-koloc.fr • www.lacentrale.fr •
www.fnaim.fr • www.bonjour.fr •
www.particulier.fr • www.fusac.org
www.explorimmo.fr • www.mapiaule.com
• www.alliancefr.org (live with a family) •
www.centraledesparticuliers.com • www.leparisolidaire.fr/wp/

PRIVATE ACCOMMODATION

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The American Church has a bulletin board with notices (accommodation or work) which can be found at the exit of the church.
65, Quai d'Orsay
75007 Paris

Tel: 01 40 62 05 00
Fax: 01 40 62 05 11

Estate agents

Find addresses for estate agents in the directory:
www.pagesjaunes.fr, written "agences immobilières" in the section "Quoi".

Accommodation of the City Hall of Paris (Mairie de Paris)

Find the addresses for accommodation of the City Hall of Paris in the directory: www.pagesjaunes.fr, written "logement de la mairie de paris" in the section "Quoi" and "Paris" in the section "Où".

Emergency accommodation: info [here](#)

Miscellaneous

- [Home stays in Paris](#)
- [Campus France](#)

Accommodation for international exchange students: info [here](#)

Union Parisienne des Etudiants Locataires

21, rue du Val de Grâce
75005 Paris
01 40 46 86 73

An annual fee will be required

L'accueil familial des jeunes étrangères

23 rue du Cherche Midi
75006 Paris
01 42 22 50 34

INFORMATION BEFORE RENTING

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Common questions to ask

- How many rooms? (a studio, a T1 or a T2?)
- Is the apartment furnished or unfurnished?
- How much is the rent?
- Are the water and electric bills included in the rent or charged separately?
- Is there a guarantee or agency fee to pay?

Types of accommodation

- Studio = accommodation comprising of a single room used as a bedroom, living room, kitchen, bathroom/WC.
- T1 = Accommodation composed of a principal room, with separate kitchen and bathroom/

WC.

- T2 = Accommodation composed of two rooms + kitchen + bathroom/WC.

Rental vocabulary

- CC = “Charges comprises” (included in rent: building maintenance, water).
- Equipé = Accommodation with an equipped kitchen (with at least a refrigerator, a sink, hot plates, pots, pans and dishes).
- Meublé = Accommodation with minimal furniture (bed, table, chairs)
- Duplex = Accommodation on two floors, with an internal staircase.

MORE INFORMATION

Terms of a lease

In the Parisian region, landlords ask for a guarantee of 1-month rent and a guarantor who can ensure payment on behalf. Sometimes the landlord can ask for a guarantor who lives in the Parisian region. For more information: www.loca-pass.com.

Methods of payment in France

In France, payment by French checks and/or debit/credit card is the most common (for example to pay rent).

For more information: www.adele.org

Insurance

Students must have housing insurance. Two French student insurance organisations, LMDE and SMEREP, offer insurance for approximately 50 €/year.

Banks can also offer a housing insurance. Some housing insurances include a “responsabilité civile” insurance (important to register at UPMC).

www.lmde.com

www.smerep.fr

Financial aid for accommodation

A Personalised Aid for Accommodation (Une Aide Personnalisée au Logement - APL) can be awarded by the Caisse d'Allocations Familiales de Paris (CAF) for students. APL is calculated on resources, the family situation and the rent.

The form for the student accommodation aid is available on the website: www.caf.fr

For the online application to be taken into account, the applicant must

- be a student
- rent the accommodation and be the lease holder (if students share accommodation, then each person with their name on the contract must apply for the aid)
- not have children

Attention: Non European students must hold a titre de séjour (residence permit) valid for at least 3 months.

Dispute with a landlord

In case of dispute, contact:

- I.N.C Institut National de la C.N.L. Confédération Nationale du Logement (National Confederation of Accommodation) 62, bd Richard Lenoir - 75011 Paris 01 47 00 96 20

- Association des Comités de Défense des Locataires (Association for the defense of tenants) 11, rue de Bellefond - 75009 Paris 01 48 74 94 84

- Institut National de la Consommation (National Institute of the Consumer) 80, rue Lecourbe - 75015 Paris 01 45 66 20 20 - 3615 INC

- A.D.I.L Association D'Information sur le Logement (point juridique) (Association for Information on accommodation-legal issues): 46 bis, boulevard Edgar Quinet - 75014 Paris 01 42 79 50 50 (sur rendez-vous)

- C.I.D.J. (Centre d'Information et de Documentation Jeunesse) (information centre for the youth) 101, Quai Branly 75740 Paris cedex 15 01 44 49 12 00

INTERNATIONAL CENTERS OF ACCOMMODATION

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Centre international de séjour de Paris

Centre Kellermann
17 boulevard Kellermann
75013 Paris
Tel: 01 43 58 96 00
Fax: 01 43 58 95 14
[Website](#)
From 44.30€ breakfast included

Centre international de séjour de Paris

Centre Maurice Ravel
6 avenue Maurice Ravel
75012 Paris
Tel: 01 43 58 96 00
Fax: 01 43 44 45 30
[Website](#)
From 44,30€/pers breakfast included
(without drinks)-Maximum stay: 1 week

Foyer international d'accueil à Paris (FIAP)

30, rue Cabanis
75014 Paris
Tel: 01 43 13 17 00
Fax: 01 45 81 63 91
Email: fiap@fiap.asso.fr
www.fiap.asso.fr
From 57€/pers breakfast included
Single room or dorm for 3 months maximum.

Maison internationale des jeunes

4, rue Titon
75011 Paris
Tel: 01 43 71 99 21
Fax: 01 43 71 78 58
Price from 33,50 € 55€/night +breakfast
+2,50 subcription
mij.cp@wanadoo.fr
Rooms (2 to 8 beds): Bathroom upstairs.
3 nights maximum
www.nije.com

YOUTH HOSTELS

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Students must have a membership card costing €11 for those under 26 and €16 for those who are over 26 years old.
[\[www.fuaj.org\]](http://www.fuaj.org)

Fédération Unie des auberges de jeunesse

27, rue Pajol -75018 Paris
Tel: 01 44 89 87 27
Fax: 01 44 89 87 10
Email: fuaj@fuaj.org

Auberge de jeunesse Jules Ferry

8, Boulevard Jules Ferry
75011 PARIS
Tel: 01 43 57 55 60
Fax: 01 43 14 82 09
Email: paris.julesferry@fuaj.org
23€/pers sheets and breakfast included

Auberge de jeunesse Clichy

107, rue Martre
92110 Clichy
Tel: 01 41 27 26 90
Fax: 01 42 70 52 63
Email: paris.clichy@fuaj.org
22,70€/pers sheets and breakfast included

Auberge de jeunesse Cité des Sciences

24, rue des Sept Arpents
1, rue J.B. Clément Jean-Baptiste
93310 Le Pré Saint Gervais
Tel: 01 48 43 24 11
Fax: 01 48 43 26 82
Email: paris.cite-des-sciences@fuaj.org
22€/pers sheets and breakfast included

Auberge de jeunesse Le d'Artagnan

80, rue Vitruve
75020 Paris
Tel: 01 40 32 34 56
Fax: 01 40 32 34 55
Email: paris.le-dartagnan@fuaj.org
23,50€/pers breakfast included

Auberge de jeunesse Paris-Yves Robert

20 esplanade Nathalie Sarraute
75018 Paris
Tel : 01 40 38 87 90
Fax : 01 40 38 87 90
31 € /night+breakfast [nouvelle]

STUDENT CENTRES

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Some hostels for young workers accept students. It is one of the least expensive solutions for housing (on average € 282/ month). It is essential to inquire in advance.

List of hostels for young workers (FJT) is available on the website: www.fjt-idf.fr

URFJT Ile-de-France,

10-18 rue des Terres-au-Curé, 73013 Paris

Foyer les Francs-bourgeois

21, rue Saint-Antoine
75004 PARIS
Tel: 01 42 77 95 02
Fax: 01 42 77 95 02

Institut Serviam (women)

20, rue Gay Lussac
75005 PARIS
Tel: 01 42 34 95 90
Fax: 01 42 34 95 91
Email: foyerserviam@wanadoo.fr
[Website](#)

Foyer International la Vigie (women)

7, rue Poullétier
75004 PARIS
Tel: 01 46 33 33 98
Fax: 01 40 46 81 83

Foyer UCJF (women)

22, rue de Naples
75008 PARIS
Tel: 01 53 04 37 47
Fax: 01 42 94 81 24
Email: naples@ucjf.net
www.ucjf.net

Palais de la Femme (women)

94, rue de Charonne
75011 PARIS
Tel: 01 46 59 30 00
Fax: 01 46 59 30 40
Email: fdff@armedusalut.fr.fr

Foyer Ste-Geneviève (women)

65, rue du Cardinal Lemoine
75005 PARIS
Tel: 01 43 54 77 12
Fax: 01 43 25 25 39

Présence au Monde

6, rue Berthollet
75005 PARIS
Tel: 01 43 54 11 41

Foyer International des Etudiantes (women)

93, bd Saint Michel

75005 PARIS
Tel: 01 43 54 49 63
Fax: 01 43 54 23 45
Email: infos@fie.fr
www.fie.fr

Foyer Franco Libanais (men)

15, rue d'Ulm
75005 PARIS
Tel: 01 43 29 47 60
Fax: 01 43 25 70 88

Home Saint-Jacques / (Institut de l'Asie du Sud-est)

269, rue Saint Jacques
75005 PARIS
Tel: 01 46 33 16 48

Fondation Pierre Lafue / Foyer d'étudiantes (women)

21, rue du Cherche Midi
75006 PARIS
Tel: 01 45 48 93 48
Fax: 01 45 48 93 48

Foyer de la Sainte Famille (women)

49, rue de Vaugirard
75006 PARIS
Tel: 01 45 48 82 54

Foyer 44 Cherche Midi (women)

44, rue du Cherche Midi
75006 PARIS
Tel: 01 45 48 49 63

Association des étudiants protestants de Paris

46, rue de Vaugirard
75006 PARIS
Tel: 01 46 33 23 30
Fax: 01 46 34 27 09

Foyer Dominicain (women)

10, rue de Condé
75006 PARIS
Tel: 01 43 29 91 62
Fax: 01 43 25 05 41

Foyer Tolbiac (women)

234, rue de Tolbiac
75013 PARIS
Tel: 01 44 16 22 22
Fax: 01 45 88 61 84
Email: contact@foyer-tolbiac.com
www.foyer-tolbiac.com

ALJT Paris 4 Célestins

30/32 quai des Célestins
75004 Paris
Fax : 01 56 98 09 55

LOW-PRICED HOTELS

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Young & Happy

80 rue Mouffetard
75005 Paris
Tel: 01 47 07 47 07
Fax: 01 47 07 22 24
www.youngandhappy.fr

Hôtel Le Village

20, rue d'Orsel
75018 Paris
Tel: 01 42 64 22 02
Fax: 01 42 64 22 04
Email : mailto:bonjour@villagehostel.frailto
www.villagehostel.fr

Hôtel Aloha

1, rue Borromée
75015 Paris
Tel: 01 42 73 03 03
Fax: 01 42 73 14 14
Email: friends@aloha.fr
www.aloha.fr

Hôtel Idéal

49, rue des trois bornes
75011 Paris
Tel: 01 40 21 48 18
Fax: 01 40 21 48 19

BVJ

Quartier Latin
44, rue des Bernardins Rousseau
75005 Paris
Tel: 01 53 00 90 90
Fax: 01 53 00 90 91
Email: bjj@wanadoo.fr
www.bvjhotel.com
From 45€/pers, small single room including breakfast

BVJ

Louvre
20, rue J.J. Rousseau
75001 Paris
Tel: 01 53 00 90 90
Fax: 01 53 00 90 91
Email: bjj@wanadoo.fr
www.bvjhotel.com
35€/pers including breakfast (double room)

MIJE

11 rue du Fauconnier
75004 Paris
Tel: 01 42 74 23 45
Fax: 01 40 27 81 64
Single or dorm, 1 week maximum.
Tarifs: 49€ approx per night + breakfast
(online reservation: [here](#))

UCRIF

27 rue Turbigo
75002 Paris
Tel: 01 40 26 57 64
Fax: 01 40 26 58 20
Email: mailto:info@ethic-etapes.frailto
www.ucrif.asso.fr

UCRIF - Léo Lagrange

107 rue Martre
92110 Clichy
ALJT Paris 4 Célestins
30/32 quai des Célestins
75004 Paris
Tel : 01 41 27 26 90
Fax : 01 56 98 09 55

PRACTICAL GUIDE



ACCESS TO UPMC – JUSSIEU CAMPUS

Postal Address

Jussieu Campus
Université Pierre et Marie Curie
4 Place Jussieu
75005 Paris, France

Access via public transport

Metro

Line 7 and 10 - Jussieu station

Bus

Line 67 - stop Jussieu

Line 63 - stop Rue des Fossés St-Bernard
or Quai St Bernard

Line 86 or 87 - stop Rue des Fossés
St-Bernard

Line 89 - stop Jussieu or Cardinal Lemoine
or Quai St-Bernard

RER

Line C

Station Gare d'Austerlitz

Line B

Station Saint-Michel - Notre-Dame
(Cluny La Sorbonne)

→ Underground line 10 : Cluny la Sorbonne

From the International Airport/Train Station
Charles de Gaulle Airport:

Take the RER B train (direction of Saint-
Remy-les-Chevreuse or Massy-Palaiseau)
to the station Saint-Michel Notre-Dame.
Then take the metro line 10 (direction Gare
d'Austerlitz) to the station Jussieu. UPMC is
located directly next to the station.

Orly Airport

Take the ORLYVAL shuttle to the RER B station
at Antony. From here take the RER B train
(direction Mitry-Claye or Aéroport Charles
de Gaulle) to the Saint-Michel Notre-Dame
station. Then take the metro line 10 (direction
Gare d'Austerlitz) to the station Jussieu.
UPMC is located directly next to the station.
Alternatively, take the ORLYBUS to Paris. The
shuttle bus goes to the Denfert-Rochereau
station. From there take the metro line 4
(direction Porte de Clignancourt) to the Odéon
station. Change to metro line 10 (direction
Gare d'Austerlitz) to the Jussieu station.
UPMC is located directly next to the station.

Gare du Nord (Thalys/Eurostar)

Take metro line 5 (direction Place d'Italie)
to the Gare d'Austerlitz station. Change
to the metro line 10 (direction Boulogne
Pont de Saint-Cloud) to the Jussieu station.
UPMC is located directly next to the station.

Velib and Autolib

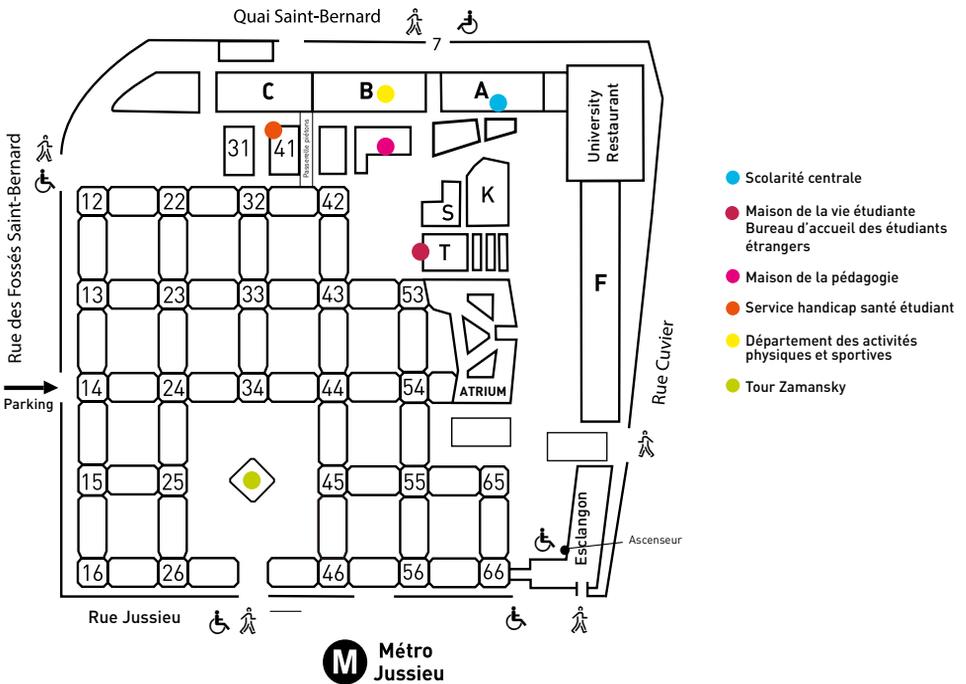
Rent a bicycle (velib) or an electric car
from the city of Paris. Stations are available
all over the city. The Jussieu campus is near
the No. 5021 velib station.

Alternatively you can take a taxi!

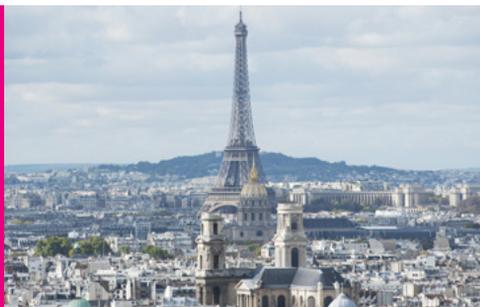


Jussieu Campus Map

This map indicates the campus access points and the building locations of the university.



All other UPMC campuses can be found [here](#).



LIFE AT UPMC

Campus Restaurants - CROUS

CROUS (*centres régionaux des œuvres universitaires et scolaires*) manages the university restaurants (resto U). There are 14 university restaurants and 23 CROUS cafeterias in Paris offering a range of menus. The UPMC student card gives access to all restos U in the region. Some restaurants are open in the evenings, on weekends and during the holidays.

Cost of a meal at resto U: 3.15 €

For more information visit the website.

Libraries

UPMC libraries offer a set of collections and services. The Jussieu Inter-university Science Library and the SCDM (Common Medical Reference Service) provide access to a large number of scientific and biomedical databases as well as a vast choice of unabridged newspapers and electronic books.

To see the list of libraries, click here.

Internet Access

There are various access points at UPMC:

- [WiFi zones](#)
- [Computer Rooms](#)
- [Libraries](#)

Sports

Physical and sports activities at UPMC are provided by two different but complementary structures:

The Department of Physical and Sports Activities (DAPS; Département des Activités Physiques et Sportives), a UPMC teaching department, organises personal training courses for all. Traineeships and approved

certificate courses are supervised by physical and sports education teachers who are also responsible for the majority of competition training. Students can benefit from these activities for free.

More information [here](#).

The UPMC Sports Association (AS; Association sportive) [AS-UPMC], a non-profit association, manages university competitions with the French Federation of University Sports (FFSU; Fédération française du sport universitaire) and organises recreational activities.

More information [here](#).

Disability

The Disability Support Service (*Relais Handicap Santé*), part of the Student Life Department, is dedicated to assist and support students with disabilities or health problems. Further information regarding their services can be found [here](#).

Students associations

Find all the information on students associations (in French) [here](#).



LIFE IN PARIS

Bank account

It is advised for long term stays to open a French bank account. To open an account, make an appointment at the bank and present the following documents:

- Passport
- Proof of domicile in France
- Proof of enrolment at UPMC

Upon opening their account, students should ask for a check book and/or a bank debit card (carte bleue). Check books are normally free. But clients have to pay about 30 to 40 € for the card per year. A receipt showing account details is provided as well. These details will be required for many transactions, such as setting up standing orders, monthly allowance transfer... There are many banks located within the vicinity of the campus.

Living Expenses

The main living expenses include rent, food and transport. The average monthly student budget is 1000€ in Paris.

Some typical prices in Paris

- A baguette: 1€
- A croissant: 1€
- A coffee: 2€
- A sandwich: approx 5€
- A complete menu at a restaurant: between 15€ and 20€ minimum
- A post stamp: 0.73€
- A cinema ticket: 10€ (student price: 6 to 8€)

Paris Public Transport

www.ratp.fr

Paris public transport is operated by the RATP and includes the métro system, RER trains, buses, night buses, Montmartrobus, and the Montmartre funicular railway, all of which accept the same tickets and passes.

Types of Tickets

Individual tickets (T+): 1.80 €

Books of ten tickets: 14.10 €

Pass Navigo: Weekly: 20.40 €, monthly

67.10 € or annual 679.80 €

From September 70 € /per month excepted unlimited zones

Students can have access to cheaper prices with the "Carte ImaginR". Please see the website for more information:

www.imagine-r.com/forfait/la-carte.aspx

Purchase these tickets at a metro station and online for the Pass Navigo:

www.navigo.fr.

Downloadable map: [here](#)

Velib'

Velib' is the biggest bike-sharing in the world! With over 20,000 bikes covering the city, available 24/7 all year long in 1,800 bike stations located every 300 meters, Vélip' offers an alternative way to move around Paris. It is possible to sign up for a long-term subscription (19 to 29€ per year for unlimited trips of 30 mins maximum) or buy a 1-day (1,70€) or a 7-day ticket (8€).

Learn more : <http://en.velib.paris.fr/>



Autolib'

Autolib' is the first public service plan with electric vehicles to be developed in a large European metropolis. Today, there are 2000 self-service cars available 24/7 spread out over 840 charging stations in the Greater Paris area. Estimated cost : subscription of 120€ per year + 5,5€ per 30mins of use.

Learn more : www.autolib.eu/en

Other useful information

Misc

List of official translators in Paris:

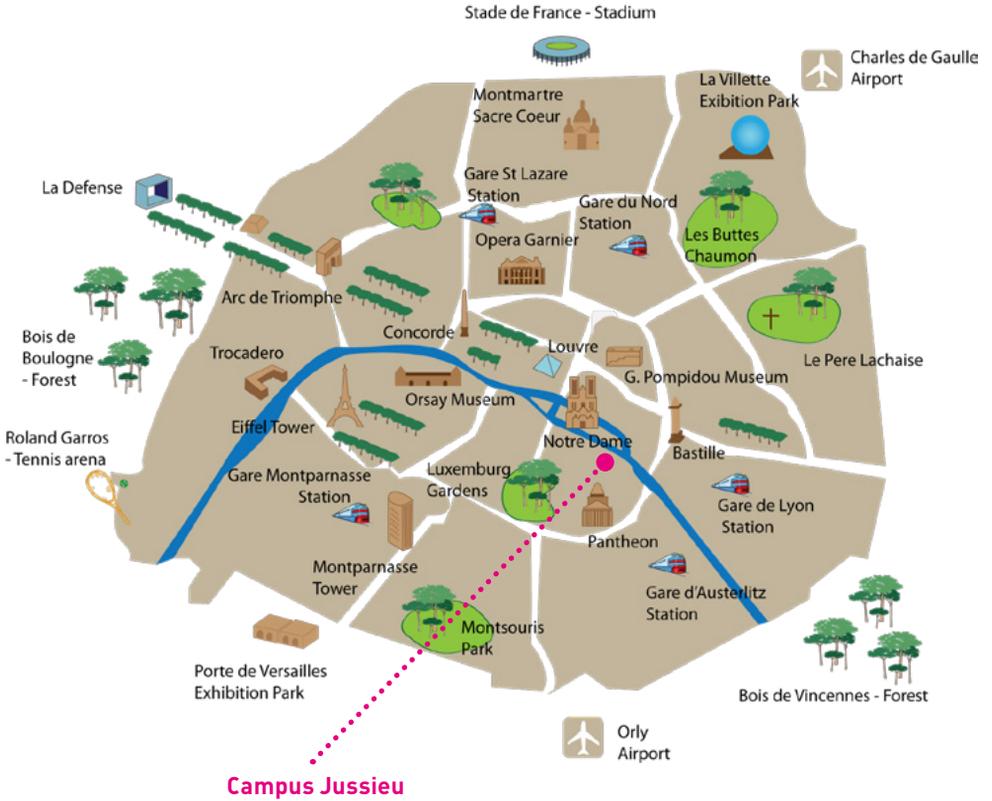
www.ceticap.com

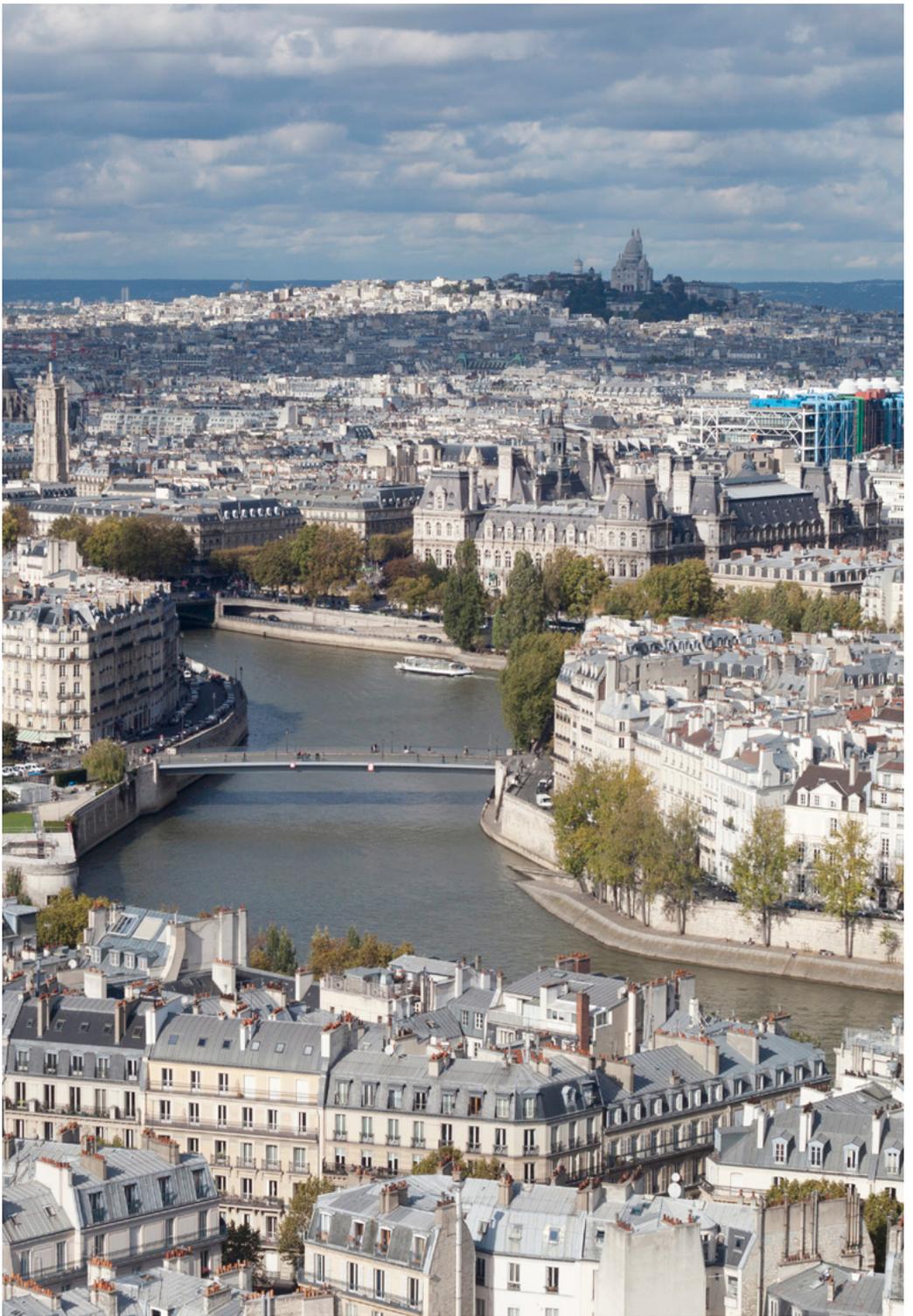
Tourist Information:

<http://en.parisinfo.com/>

Websites for foreign students:

- [Campus France](#)
- [Fnak](#)
- [Smeno](#)







www.upmc.fr

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Erasmus office address	<p style="text-align: center;">Université Pierre et Marie Curie Direction des Relations Internationales Bureau Mobilité (case courrier 604) 4, place Jussieu, 75252 paris cedex 05 France</p>
Whom should we send applications to?	<p style="text-align: center;">To the institutional coordinator of the concerned field : By ordinary mail (see address above)</p>

Useful Web Pages

Internet Addresses	<p style="text-align: center;">Website of UPMC : http://www.upmc.fr</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Information about academic matters (first and second cycle) : http://www.upmc.fr/fr/formations/diplomes/sciences_et_technologies2.html</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Website of the Faculty of Medicine: http://www.chups.jussieu.fr</p>
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Academic Year 2016 / 2017

Semester dates	<p>Lectures for the Degree courses in the Faculty of Sciences are held on a semester basis. The academic year is divided into two terms, the first of which runs from approximately 1 September to January while the second runs from approximately 15 January to 31 May. Some courses are taught on an annual basis. The last fortnight of January is devoted to examinations. Further examination sessions are held from May to the end June.</p>
Application deadlines	<p>Medicine: If you apply for the first semester, the second semester of the full year: Nomination: 30 April Hardcopy application form and supporting documents: 31 May</p>

	<p>Other disciplines : If you apply for the first semester or for the full year: Nomination: 30 April Hardcopy application form and supporting documents: 31 May</p> <p>If you apply for the second semester : Nomination: 15 October Hardcopy application form and supporting documents: 15 November</p>
<p>Language in which courses are taught</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">French</p> <p>It is highly recommended that applicants have at least a basic level of French before coming to our university (level B1).</p>
<p>Will language courses be held for Erasmus students?</p>	<p>French classes are available. http://www.upmc.fr/fr/international/venir_etudier_a_l_upmc/cours_de_francais_langue_etrangere.html http://www.upmc.fr/en/international/international_applicants/knowledge_of_french.html</p> <p>For more information, please contact : coursdefrancais@upmc.fr</p>