



École Nationale Supérieure des Techniques Industrielles et des Mines d'Alès

PROFILE

The Ecole des Mines d'Alès, founded in 1843, was originally focused on mining industries. Beginning in the 1970s, the school opened up to other engineering disciplines, becoming a multidisciplinary engineering school. The Ecole des Mines d'Alès thus has benefited through its partnerships with technology and engineering universities.

It is also one of the top schools that encourages free enterprise and the creation of companies.

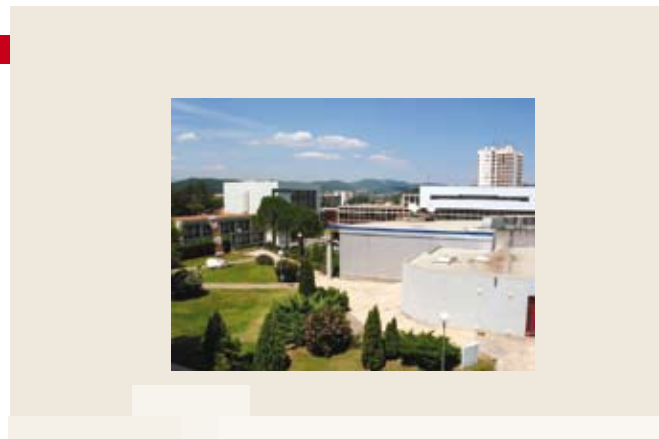
The school is located in Alès, in the heart of the Cévennes area of the Languedoc-Roussillon region. Two other campuses are at Nîmes (specialized work in the areas of computer sciences and automatic control engineering) and at Pau (a specialized laboratory in the area of psychosensorial properties of materials).

The school currently has 90 full-time teacher-researchers and 805 students and doctoral candidates; 14 percent foreign students at the school represent 35 countries.

The Ecole des Mines d'Alès focuses on training in major areas of engineering, emphasizing the creation of companies. **It offers several options for specializing: materials, mechanics, civil engineering, risk management, environment, networks, computer sciences and industrial automation.**

Research

These specializations are associated with specialized research centers in materials, computer science engineering, the environment and risks. Research is at the heart of the mission for the Ecole des Mines d'Alès. Associated with the Ministry in charge of Industry, the school is involved with industrial development and seeks out contracts for research. The significant number of its corporate partnerships is tangible evidence of the interest in the school's research efforts on behalf of industry.



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Strengths

Students can use the restaurants and have housing located on the campuses at Alès and at Nîmes. A wide-range of services also is available for students, including athletic, cultural and educational activities.

The school created in 1998 an Association for Foreign Students (AIMA) to help with their welcome and adaptation to their new environment. The school provides cultural activities and special language classes.

Location

The Ecole des Mines d'Alès is located in the Languedoc-Roussillon region, in the crossing of a Mediterranean Arch in Southern France between Spain, Italy and Greece and the Rhône river corridor linking Northern Europe to Southern Europe.

IDENTITY FORM

www.mines-ales.fr

Precise name of the institution →	École Nationale Supérieure des Techniques Industrielles et des Mines d'Alès
Type of institution →	Public
City where the main campus is located →	Alès
Number of students →	805 students and doctoral candidates
Percentage or number of international students →	14 %
Type and level of qualifications awarded →	• MD • Other national diplômes • Institution-specific Diplôme
French language courses →	Yes
Programs for international students →	Yes
Programs in English →	No
Registration fees / year (for information only) →	According to the programs, between 400 euros and 3800 euros
Postal address →	6, Avenue de Clavières - 30319 Alès Cedex

