



ÎLE-DE-FRANCE



'BIENVENUE EN FRANCE' LABEL



ÉCOLE POLYTECHNIQUE

The 'Bienvenue en France' Label is awarded to higher education institutions that develop quality-driven services for international students. Such services include comprehensive information, orientation and welcome services, tutoring, campus life, as well as post-graduate support. In addition, a proven commitment to sustainable development and social and environmental responsibility must be provided.

Ecole Polytechnique (L'X), founded in 1794, is the most prestigious academic institution in France. Specializing in science and engineering, it is distinguished by its academic excellence and cutting-edge research. Its 23 internationally renowned laboratories are at the forefront of innovation, contributing to significant scientific advancements.

Each year, the Ecole Polytechnique welcomes faculty and students from around the world, with 40% of the campus population being international. With programs taught entirely in English and attractive scholarships, it offers a stimulating multicultural environment.

CONTACTS

OFFICE OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

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RECEPTION SERVICE

<https://programmes.polytechnique.edu/en/about/ecole-polytechnique/international-students>

OTHER CONTACT(S) USEFUL TO INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

Specify contact type

INTERNET

www.polytechnique.edu/en/education/programs

WELCOME

Enrolment

- ✓ Application timeline and procedures
<https://urlr.me/W4BVR>
- ✓ Online application
<https://urlr.me/shnRk>

International Student help desk

- ✓ To facilitate arrival in France
<https://urlr.me/VZwWQ>
- ✓ Staff trained in intercultural communication

Housing

- ✓ Specialized housing services
<https://urlr.me/sKcf>
- ✓ Information on housing (guide, websites)

Support services

- ✓ Visa/residency permit
- ✓ Insurance (rental, health...)
- ✓ Banking
- ✓ Public transport (on site)

¹ Free services, ² Paid services,
³ Services for exchange programmes students,
⁴ Services for unaffiliated students



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ACADEMICS

Course in French as a foreign language

- ✓ During academic year

Tutoring or academic contact

Students who need academic support have access to specific tutorials, either one-on-one or in small groups. Bachelor students can thus receive help and coaching from faculty, but also from other students on campus in other academic programs (Ingénieur Polytechnicien, Graduate Degree, Master's and PhD).

CAMPUS LIFE

Health services

The medical center is open for all types of medical consultation and to obtain a medical certificate. Families and civilians may use the service if the doctors are available.

Social and psychological services

Students enrolled in one of the School's programs and staff members can benefit from support from one of the School's clinical psychologists.

Student associations

École Polytechnique's vibrant student life can be attributed to the wide range of associations available to students. In total, our students take part in almost 250 associations in a great variety of cultural, artistic, social, scientific, religious and sporting activities.

Academic year kickoff event, welcome seminar^{13, 4}

Cultural and Athletic offering^{1, 3, 4}

Sport plays an essential role in students' education at the École Polytechnique. There are 16 sporting activities on offer at the campus by the CXS (the X Sport Club), with facilities both on and off the site.

<https://www.polytechnique.edu/en/campus/sports#Competitions>

CAREER SERVICES

Employment

- ✓ Internship search assistance
- ✓ Career development support
- ✓ Corporate partnerships

Entrepreneurship

<https://www.polytechnique.edu/en/novationcenter>

- ✓ Courses in entrepreneurship
Located at the entrance to the École Polytechnique campus, the Drahi X-Novation Center is a place of innovation on the Paris-Saclay plateau of more than 5000m².
- ✓ Support for start-ups
- ✓ Incubator

Alumni

- ✓ Alumni network
Founded in 1945, AX is the association that gathers former students and graduates of École Polytechnique. It stemmed from the merging of the Société amicale de secours des anciens élèves de l'École polytechnique and the Société des amis de l'École polytechnique, two former associations dating back 1864 and 1908.
- ✓ France Alumni network
<https://www.francealumni.fr/en>

SD & SES

Green transport

Student project promotion

Training

Gender equality promotion

PRACTICAL INFORMATIONS

Institution

Number of students: 3 700
Percentage of international students: 40%
Institution profile: <https://urlr.me/sHv8X>

City and region

Region: ÎLE-DE-FRANCE
Profile of city of main campus: <https://urlr.me/WbsZj>
: PALAISEAU (JUST OUTSIDE OF PARIS)