

# INSTITUT NATIONAL DES SCIENCES APPLIQUÉES DE LYON



LYON

Established in 1957, INSA Lyon - National Institute of Science and Technology in Lyon - is one of France's top institutions. INSA Lyon trains engineers in 9 specialties and 23 laboratories. 6,300 students including 5,200 enroll each year. INSA Lyon hires 670 administrative and technical staff and 740 teachers and researchers.

#### **♦ MAIN PROGRAMMES OF STUDY**

- Biosciences
- Civil Engineering and Urban Planning
- Electrical Engineering
- Energy and Environmental Engineering
- Industrial Engineering
- Mechanical Engineering
- Computer Science
- Materials Science and Engineering
- Telecommunications

#### **♦ RESEARCH**

23 research laboratories are affiliated with France's national research organizations (CNRS, INSERM, INRA, INRIA...). Research activities fall within 5 societal challenges:

- Digital Society and Information
- Energy for a Sustainable Development
- Environment: Natural, Industrial, and Urban Environments
- · Global Health and Bioengineering
- Transport: Structures, Infrastructures, and Mobilities

140 PhDs graduate each year.

#### STRENGTHS

INSA Lyon offers a full range of services for international students, on-campus housing, restaurants, and assistance with administrative procedures, social services and insurance. The institution has its own student residences and catering facilities.

- 28% students are international and a 100 different nationalities live and study together
- Social life on campus is very active with 130 clubs and associations
- French Summer and Winter Schools are offered to international students, to facilitate their integration before the start of the semester.

Intensive courses in French as a foreign language are available throughout the year and totally free of charge.

#### **LOCATION**

Classed a World Heritage Site by UNESCO since 1998, the former capital of Gaul, Lyon,

boasts over 2,000 years of history. Lyon has a striking, dynamic, and culturally rich offer: museums, festivals, shopping, theatre,

opera, monuments, cinemas, parks... and over 21,000 cultural and artistic events take place throughout the year. The city is also renowned for its gastronomy, in large part thanks to Paul Bocuse with 14 Michelin-star restaurants, the Cité de la Gastronomie, and 4,000 eateries to its name, Lyon doesn't need to prove that it is World's Capital of Gastronomy. Ideally located in the southeast of France, Lyon is the capital of the Auvergne-Rhône-Alpes region and just two hours by train from Paris, from the Mediterranean coast, and major Alpine ski resorts.

You can fly to 115 destinations from Lyon Saint-Exupery Airport.



### **IDENTITY FORM**

- Precise name of the institution
  Institut National des Sciences Appliquées de Lyon
- Type of institution
- City where the main campus is located Lyon
- Number of students 6200
- Percentage or number of international students
- ◆ Type and level of qualifications awarded Engineering degrees International double-degrees PhDs

## Specialized Masters

Yes - Taking part in the French Summer or Winter School is the best way for international students to quickly integrate their new environment, before starting the Autumn or Spring semester at INSA Lyon. Students will improve their French language skills and learn about French culture. The programme

prepares them for INSA studies and teaches them how to organise

their work and their everyday life. The course counts 85 hours lectures and gives them 4ECTS. More than 300 participants enrol in the French Summer and Winter Schools each year.

Sutdents can also attend extended French language courses throughout the academic year: 2 hours per week on average, totally free of charge. Contact: servfran@insa-lyon.fr for more details.

- Yes https://www.insa-lyon.fr/en/international-student-1
- Programs in English
- Registration fees/year (for information only)
  601 euros (hors droits spécifiques)
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