The Université de Perpignan Via Domitia (UPVD) is a comprehensive yet intimate institution that is dynamic, accessible, and open to the world, especially neighboring Catalonia.

- 9,500 students
- 23% of international students
- 120 nationalities in the student body
- +100 international cooperation agreements with 36 countries
- 140 Erasmus+ agreements
- 3 double degrees
- 1 Erasmus Mundus Masters
- 19% PhDs double degrees

**MAIN PROGRAMMES OF STUDY**

- 5 faculties: Law and economics (SJE) - Literature and humanities (LSH) - Exact and experimental sciences (SEE) - International faculty for comparative law in francophone states (FIDEF)
- 3 institutes: Institute of business administration (IAE) - University institute of technology (IUT) - Franco-Catalan border institute (IFCT)
- 1 engineer’s school in renewable energy
- A university center for French-language training

**RESEARCH**

2 doctoral departments in the humanities and social sciences (InterMed) and sciences (energy and environment)

**STRENGTHS**

- International engagement: The university's determined reciprocal mobility policy has contributed to the internationalization of its educational programs, notably through the adoption of double-degree programs, and to the amplification of its research activities through strong participation in European programs, integrated projects, and networks of excellence.
- The international office assists new students from the arrival and all along their stay
- University Centre for French Studies
- An international Mentoring to facilitate the integration of foreign students

**LOCATION**

Located on France’s Mediterranean coast close to the Pyrenees and Spain, Université de Perpignan enjoys an ideal environment. With a population of 120,000, Perpignan is the southernmost city in France, located 3 hours from Lyon, 5 hours from Paris, and 1.5 hours from Barcelona by high-speed train. Students enjoy the exceptional climate and geography of the city and region (more than 300 days of sunshine per year). A rich cultural heritage and convivial campus make this Mediterranean city an ideal academic environment. Université de Perpignan provides a warm welcome for international students.

**IDENTITY FORM**

- Precise name of the institution: Université Perpignan
- Type of institution: Public
- City where the main campus is located: Perpignan
- Number of students: 9,500
- Percentage or number of international students: 23%
- Type and level of qualifications awarded:
  - 28 Licence programs
  - 19 Licence Professionnelle programs
  - 30 Master’s programs
  - 8 DUT
  - 13 DU
  - 1 national diploma program in interpreting (Diplôme National de Guide Interprète National)
  - 32 doctoral specialities
- French language courses:
- Programs for international students:
  - Yes - Program in French language for academic purposes
  - Yes - Program in English
  - Yes - Only for the Master Erasmus Mundus - DU program in legal English
- Registration fees/year (for information only):
  - Licence: 189 euros
  - Masters: 261 euros
  - Doctorat: 396 euros
  - 215 euros (Social Security)
- Postal address:
  - Université de Perpignan - Service Universitaire des Relations Internationales - Bat.A - 52, avenue Paul Alduy 66 860 Perpignan cedex

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