

SciencesPo

STUDY AT SCIENCES PO

— 2023/2024 —

In 2023, Sciences Po communities came together to define our purpose: **"Understand our times, make a difference"**. Opening minds, honing critical thinking, shedding light on contemporary issues from every angle and contributing to public debate: these are Sciences Po's goals as an institution. For 150 years, Sciences Po has offered students a multi-disciplinary intellectual training, our professionally driven programmes enriched by intellectually rigorous and innovative research. To its own extraordinarily multicultural community, which includes international students from 150 countries, Sciences Po adds a network of almost 500 partner universities and dual degrees with top universities around the world. That makes it one of the very top social sciences universities globally.

Combining geographic, social and intellectual openness, our selective admission procedures strive for excellence while welcoming students from a wide range of backgrounds. The aim is to bring together an inclusive and diverse body of students, who will become future leaders capable of grasping the complexity of the world that will be theirs to change.

Join us!

Mathias VICHERAT
Director of Sciences Po

KEY FIGURES

15,000

students

50%

international students

150

nationalities

480

partner universities

63

dual degrees in France and around the world

21

foreign languages taught

1 in 4

students is a scholarship holder

11

research units

29%

of Sciences Po's budget is dedicated to research

More than 2,000

students come on exchange

each year from our partner universities.

More than 4,600

lecturers

from within academia, business or public administration

3rd

in the world

for politics & international relations (QS rankings 2023).

CIVICA

Sciences Po is a founding member of **CIVICA**, the European University of Social Sciences created in 2019 and funded by the Erasmus+ programme. The primary goal of the ten world-renowned higher education institutions who make up the CIVICA alliance is to expand European influence and collaboration in the fields of education and research. CIVICA member universities are committed to finding solutions to complex societal challenges through a range of activities centred around four thematic priorities: Societies in Transition, Crises of Earth; Democracy in the 21st Century; Europe Revisited; and Data-Driven Technologies for the Social Sciences. CIVICA's funding has been renewed for the period 2022-2027.



THE UNDERGRADUATE COLLEGE

STUDY FOR A BACHELOR'S DEGREE

A Bachelor's degree grounded in the humanities and social sciences

Open to students who have completed a Baccalaureate diploma (or its foreign equivalent), the Sciences Po Undergraduate College is a three-year programme taught on one of the institution's seven campuses (four-year in case of a dual degree). Students graduate with the Sciences Po Bachelor of Arts degree (Bac +3).

The programme centres on core courses within the humanities and social sciences, complemented by additional courses in the arts and hard science disciplines. Field experience is encouraged within the framework of the Civic Learning Programme (over the course of three years, students develop a personal project that gives them first-hand insight into citizenship and social responsibility), as well as through study trips, internships, simulations, association and union activities.

Educating enlightened citizens

Courses offered at the Undergraduate College give students a comprehensive understanding of shifts within contemporary societies, and equip them with the tools to think critically and act ethically. The goal is to educate inventive and enlightened citizens committed to advancing the public interest.

An unprecedented "Ecological Culture" course

Environmental transformation is at the very heart of Sciences Po's educational and research project. Reflecting the institution's deep commitment to these issues, a compulsory 24-hour course on "Ecological Culture" was introduced for Sciences Po's 1,700 first-year students at the start of the 2022–23 academic year. Designed by Pierre Charbonnier, philosopher and CNRS research fellow at Sciences Po (Centre for European Studies and Comparative Politics), and drawing on political science, law, environmental history, economics, and sociology, the course benefits from the interdisciplinary richness of Sciences Po's curriculum.

Two years in France, one year abroad

The first year is devoted to studying the core disciplines, with courses in law, economics, history, humanities, political science and sociology.

In the second year students continue these core courses and choose one of three multidisciplinary majors: "Economy and Society", "Political Humanities" or "Politics and Government".

The third year is spent abroad on academic exchange at one of Sciences Po's 480 partner universities, possibly supplemented by a semester of internship.

One degree, countless opportunities

Upon completion of the Bachelor's degree programme, graduates are equipped to enter the job market or to pursue graduate studies at one of Sciences Po's seven Graduate Schools or at any university in the world.

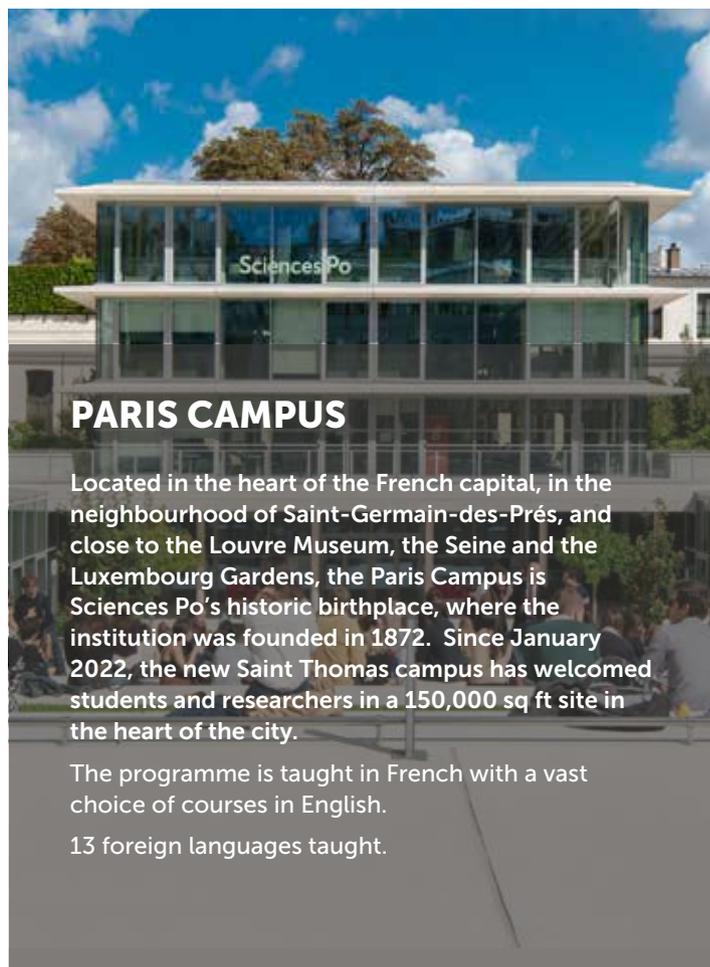
ADMISSIONS BACHELOR'S DEGREE

| Student's Background | Platform to Apply | The admissions procedure |
|---|---|--|
| Students preparing to sit the French Baccalaureate exam in France or in an international French lycée (including at a partner high school in our Equal Opportunity Programme) | Application for the bachelor's degree and/or a dual degree managed by Sciences Po via the Parcoursup platform | Applications are reviewed through four separate evaluations: 1/ Marks obtained in the French Baccalaureate exams or foreign equivalent 2/ Academic results obtained over the last three years of secondary school 3/ Two written pieces (motivation and essay) 4/ Remote interview |
| Students preparing a foreign secondary school diploma | Application for the bachelor's degree and/or a dual degree managed by Sciences Po on the Sciences Po platform | |
| Students preparing to sit a French baccalaureate or a foreign secondary school diploma | Application for an international dual degree on the partner university's platform | Admission procedures vary in accordance with the terms and conditions laid down by each of the partner universities |

THE 7 CAMPUSES

UNDERGRADUATE COLLEGE

The Undergraduate College comprises seven campuses, where all students study the same core courses in the humanities and social sciences. In addition, each campus offers a specific geographical minor which allows students to deepen their knowledge of contemporary political, economic and social issues from a regional perspective. Our campuses are home to a close-knit, multicultural student community, making them places of vibrant intellectual, social, and cross-cultural exchange.



PARIS CAMPUS

Located in the heart of the French capital, in the neighbourhood of Saint-Germain-des-Prés, and close to the Louvre Museum, the Seine and the Luxembourg Gardens, the Paris Campus is Sciences Po's historic birthplace, where the institution was founded in 1872. Since January 2022, the new Saint Thomas campus has welcomed students and researchers in a 150,000 sq ft site in the heart of the city.

The programme is taught in French with a vast choice of courses in English.

13 foreign languages taught.



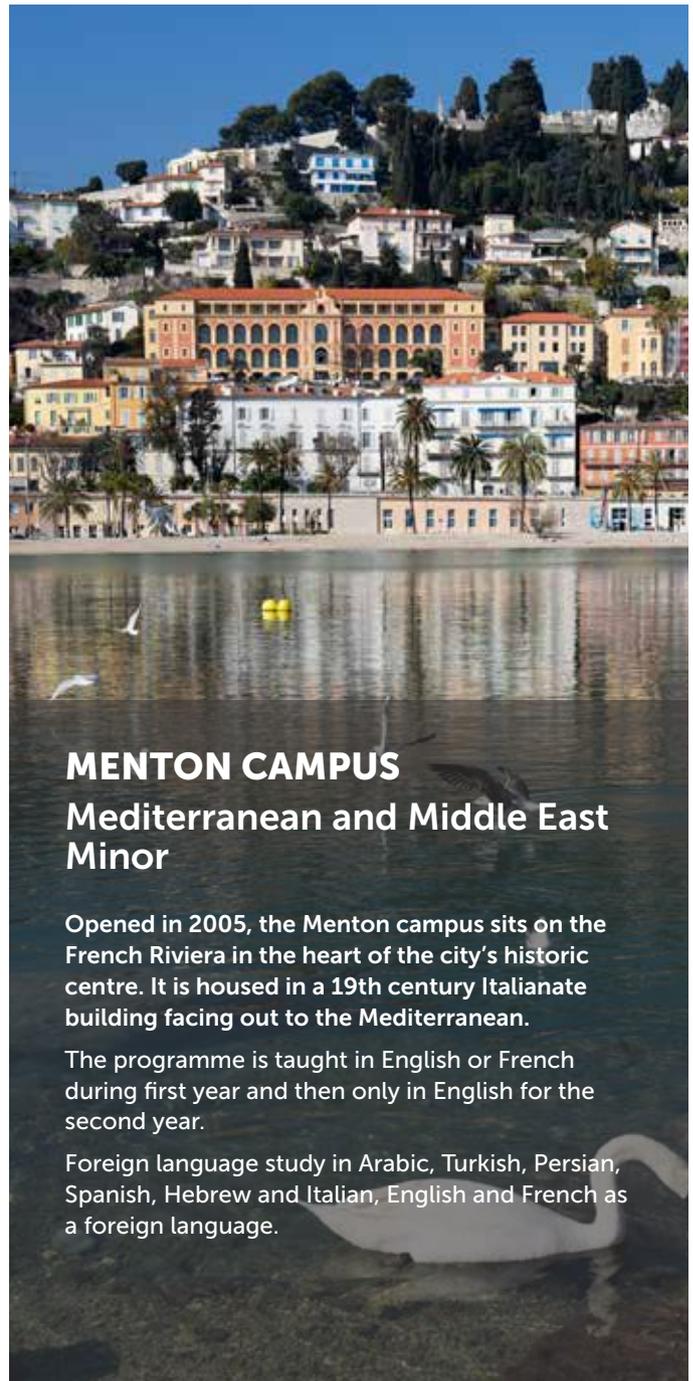
LE HAVRE CAMPUS

Asia-Pacific Minor

Since 2007, the city of Le Havre has been home to Sciences Po's campus on the Normandy Coast. Housed in a glass building overlooking the port, the Le Havre Campus offers students a convenient and picturesque setting for their studies.

The programme is taught in English.

Foreign language study in Chinese, Korean, Japanese, and French as a foreign language.



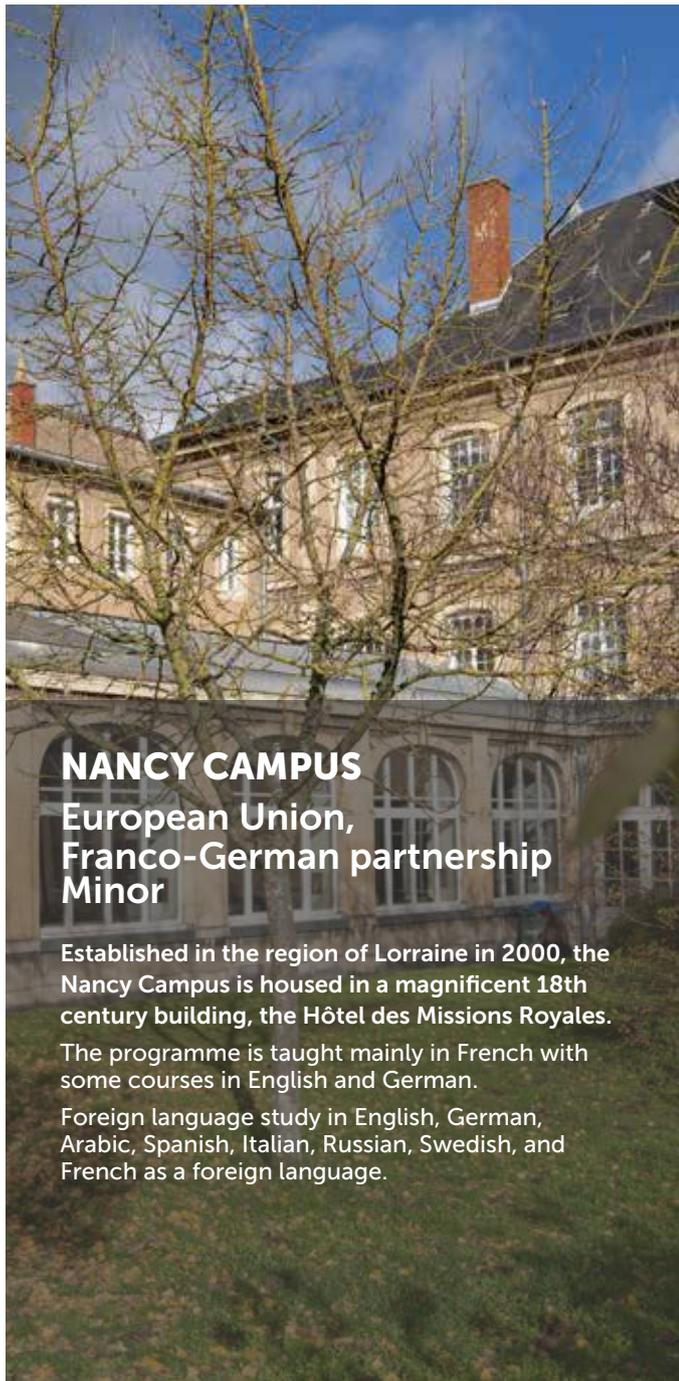
MENTON CAMPUS

Mediterranean and Middle East Minor

Opened in 2005, the Menton campus sits on the French Riviera in the heart of the city's historic centre. It is housed in a 19th century Italianate building facing out to the Mediterranean.

The programme is taught in English or French during first year and then only in English for the second year.

Foreign language study in Arabic, Turkish, Persian, Spanish, Hebrew and Italian, English and French as a foreign language.



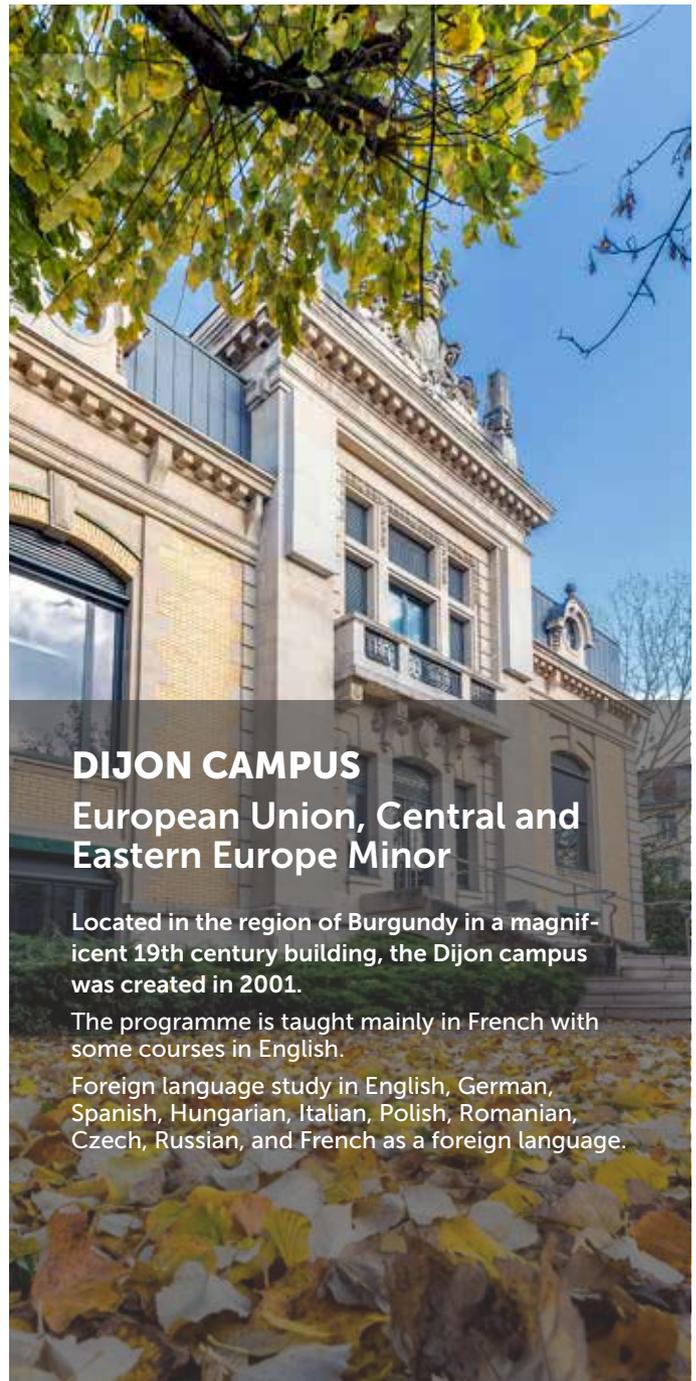
NANCY CAMPUS

**European Union,
Franco-German partnership
Minor**

Established in the region of Lorraine in 2000, the Nancy Campus is housed in a magnificent 18th century building, the Hôtel des Missions Royales.

The programme is taught mainly in French with some courses in English and German.

Foreign language study in English, German, Arabic, Spanish, Italian, Russian, Swedish, and French as a foreign language.



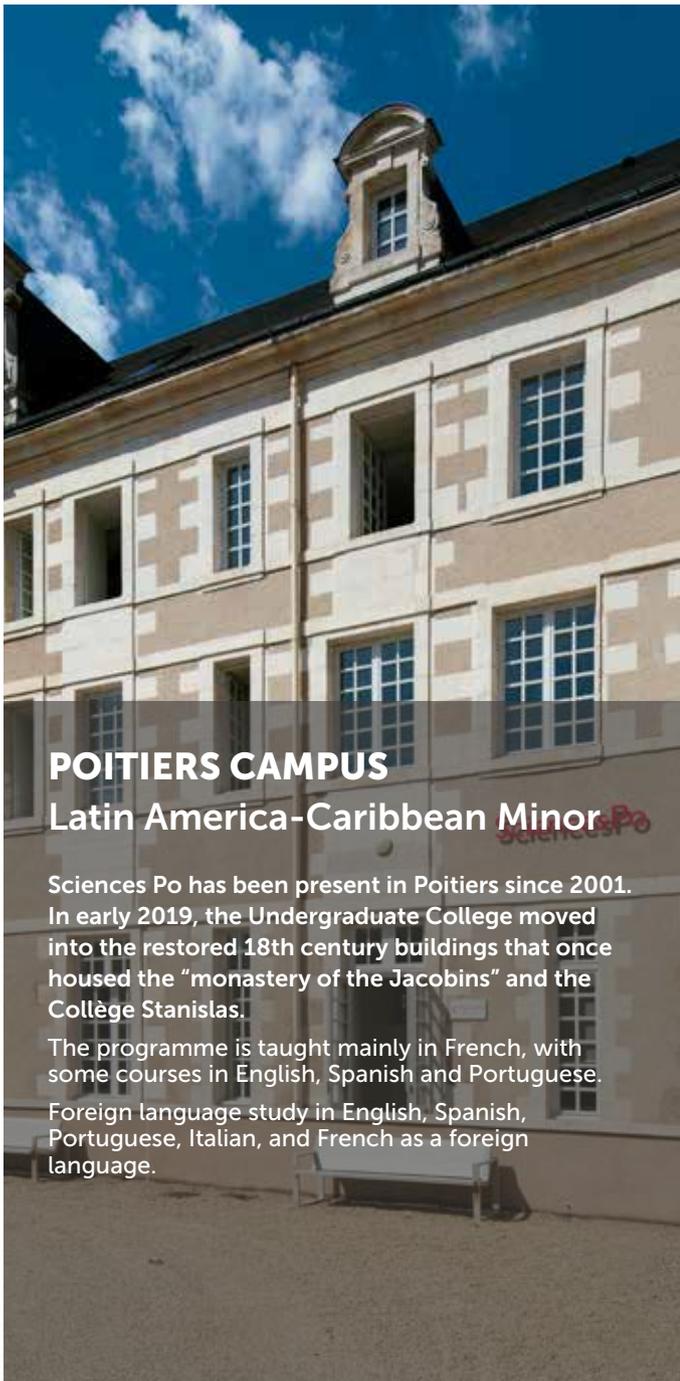
DIJON CAMPUS

**European Union, Central and
Eastern Europe Minor**

Located in the region of Burgundy in a magnificent 19th century building, the Dijon campus was created in 2001.

The programme is taught mainly in French with some courses in English.

Foreign language study in English, German, Spanish, Hungarian, Italian, Polish, Romanian, Czech, Russian, and French as a foreign language.



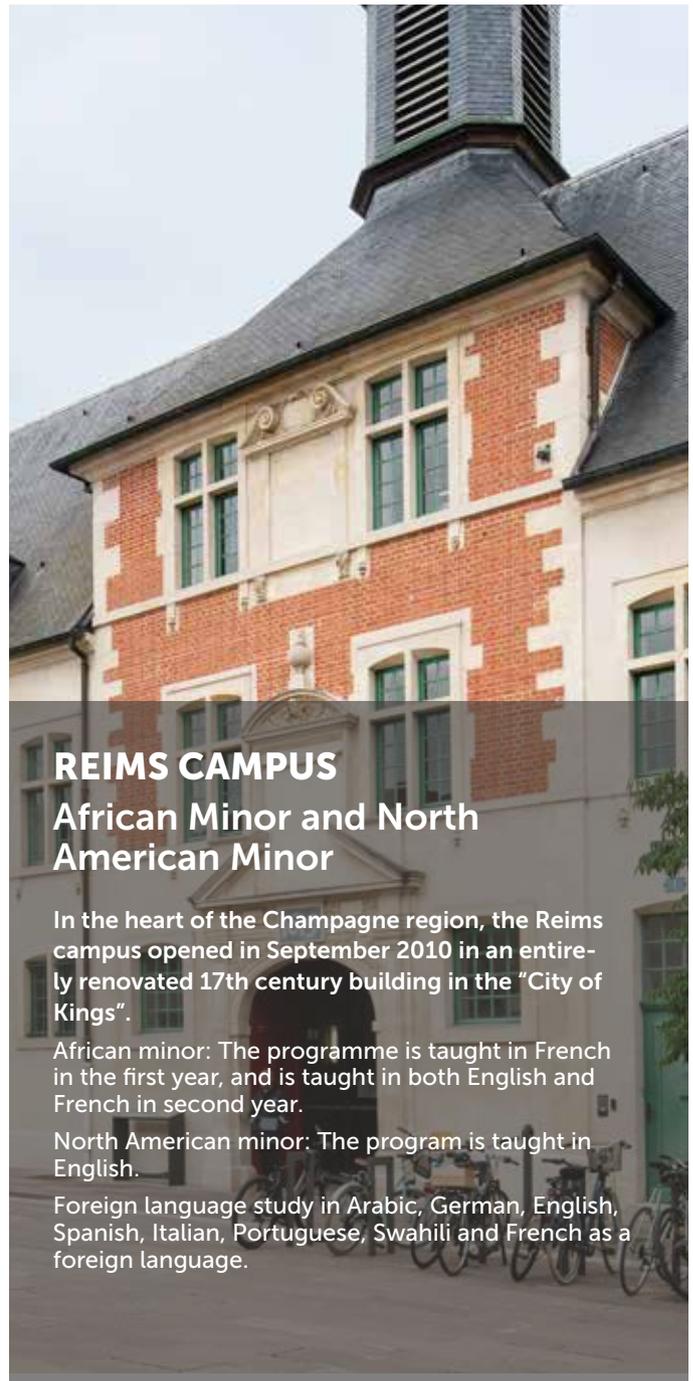
POITIERS CAMPUS

Latin America-Caribbean Minor

Sciences Po has been present in Poitiers since 2001. In early 2019, the Undergraduate College moved into the restored 18th century buildings that once housed the “monastery of the Jacobins” and the Collège Stanislas.

The programme is taught mainly in French, with some courses in English, Spanish and Portuguese.

Foreign language study in English, Spanish, Portuguese, Italian, and French as a foreign language.



REIMS CAMPUS

African Minor and North American Minor

In the heart of the Champagne region, the Reims campus opened in September 2010 in an entirely renovated 17th century building in the “City of Kings”.

African minor: The programme is taught in French in the first year, and is taught in both English and French in second year.

North American minor: The program is taught in English.

Foreign language study in Arabic, German, English, Spanish, Italian, Portuguese, Swahili and French as a foreign language.

DUAL BACHELOR'S DEGREE PROGRAMMES

INTERNATIONAL

The Sciences Po Undergraduate College offers **ten dual Bachelor's degree programmes** with leading universities around the world.

These programmes are spread over four years: the first two years on one of Sciences Po's campuses in France, the third and fourth years at the partner university, where students choose a major.

Dual degree students graduate with two Bachelor's degrees, an exceptional asset for pursuing further study within a Master's programme, or for launching their careers.

Dual degree with **Columbia University** (New York, USA)

- Two years at Sciences Po on the Reims, Menton, Le Havre or Poitiers Campus / two years at Columbia in New York.
- General programme in the social sciences at Sciences Po, choice of a major at Columbia.

Dual degree with **University of California Berkeley** (USA)

- Two years at Sciences Po on the Reims, Menton or Le Havre Campus + two years at UC Berkeley (USA).
- General programme in the social sciences at Sciences Po, choice of a major at Berkeley.

Dual degree with **Freie Universität Berlin** (Germany)

- Two years at Sciences Po, on the Nancy campus + two years at Freie Universität Berlin.
- General programme in the social sciences at Sciences Po, political science at Freie Universität Berlin.

Dual degree with the **University of Hong Kong**

- Two years at Sciences Po on the Reims, Menton or Le Havre Campus + two years at Hong Kong (HKU).
- General programme in the social sciences at Sciences Po, choice between three programmes at HKU: arts, social sciences or business.

Dual degree with Keio University (Tokyo, Japan)

- Two years at Sciences Po on the Le Havre campus + two years at Keio University.
- General programme in the social sciences at Sciences Po, economics and Japanese language and culture at Keio.

Dual degree with the National University of Singapore (NUS, Singapore)

- Two years at Sciences Po on the Reims, Menton or Le Havre Campus + two years at NUS Singapore.
- General programme in the social sciences at Sciences Po, choice between four majors at NUS: economics, political science, sociology or history.

Dual degree with the University of British Columbia (UBC, Vancouver, Canada)

- Two years at Sciences Po on the Reims, Menton or Le Havre Campus + two years at UBC.
- General programme in the social sciences at Sciences Po, choice of five majors at UBC: economics, geography, history, political science or sociology.

Dual degree with University College London (London, UK)

- Two years at Sciences Po on the Dijon, Nancy, Poitiers, Paris or Menton Campus + two years at UCL.
- General programme in the social sciences at Sciences Po, choice of six majors at UCL: economics, history, international relations, law, philosophy, political science.

Dual degree with the University of Sydney (Australia)

- Two years at Sciences Po on the Reims, Menton or Le Havre Campus + two years at University of Sydney.
- General programme in the social sciences at Sciences Po / choice between three Bachelor's programmes at the University of Sydney: Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Economics, Bachelor of Political, Economic and Social Sciences.

Dual degree with LUISS, Libera Università Internazionale degli Studi Sociali Guido Carli (Rome, Italy)

- Two years at Sciences Po on any of the seven campus + two years at LUISS.
- General programme in the social sciences at Sciences Po / choice of two Bachelor's degrees from LUISS: Bachelor in Political Science, Bachelor in Politics, Philosophy and Economics.

IN FRANCE

Sciences Po offers a number of dual degrees with French universities, offering its students a unique programme that combines world class studies in the social sciences with the study of hard sciences or the humanities.

Dual degree in Applied Mathematics & Social Sciences with Université Panthéon Sorbonne (Paris 1)

- Two years in Paris: programme in social sciences at Sciences Po, and courses in applied mathematics (algebra, analysis, probability, statistics) and computer science at Paris 1.
- One year abroad at a partner university of Sciences Po or Université Paris 1.

Dual degree in Social Sciences and Literary Humanities with Sorbonne Université

- Two years in Paris, France: programme in social sciences at Sciences Po and courses in literature, philosophy or history at Sorbonne Université.
- One year abroad at a partner university of Sciences Po or Sorbonne Université.

THE BACHELOR OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

The Bachelor of Arts and Sciences is a unique interdisciplinary dual degree programme combining the so-called “hard” sciences with the humanities and social sciences.

Dual Degree in Human & Social Sciences and Geoscience with the Institut de Physique du Globe de Paris (IPGP): “Politics of the Earth”

- 3 years in Paris, France: programme in social sciences at Sciences Po, training in earth sciences at IPGP, interdisciplinary courses from both institutions.
- 1 year abroad at a partner university.

Dual Degree in Life & Social Sciences and Mathematics/Computer Science with the University of Paris: “Algorithms & Decisions”

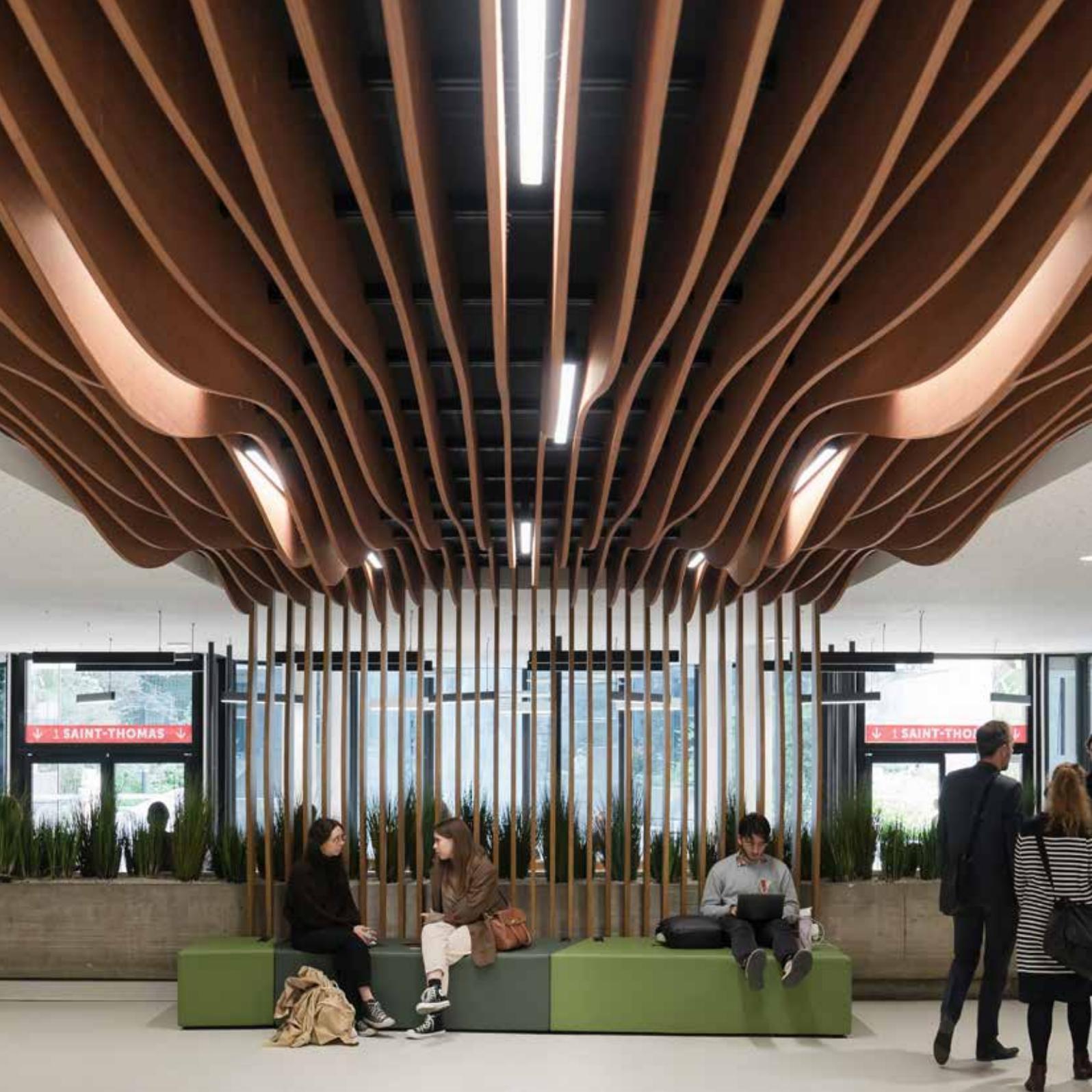
- 3 years in Paris, France: programme in social sciences at Sciences Po, training in mathematics and computer science at the University of Paris, interdisciplinary courses from both institutions
- 1 year abroad at a partner university.

Dual Degree in Life & Social Sciences with the University of Paris: “Politics of Life and Identities”

- 3 years in Paris, France: programme in social sciences at Sciences Po, training in life sciences at the University of Paris, interdisciplinary courses at both institutions.
- 1 year abroad at a partner university.

Dual Degree in Human & Social Sciences and Life Science with the University of Reims Champagne-Ardenne (URCA): “Environment, society and sustainability”

- 3 years in Reims, France: programme in social sciences at Sciences Po, training in life sciences at URCA, interdisciplinary courses at both institutions.
- 1 year abroad at a partner university.



THE GRADUATE SCHOOLS

STUDY FOR A MASTER'S DEGREE

Seven graduate schools to prepare students for professional life

Graduate programmes at Sciences Po are open to students with a Bachelor's degree or equivalent and are hosted within seven schools, all located on our Paris Campus. Each of these graduate schools has an original educational approach combining core knowledge, expertise and professional skills. They offer students two-year research-intensive courses, enriched by an active pedagogy designed to ensure a successful transition to professional life.

30 Master's Programmes

Each School offers a wide choice of specialisations within its Master's courses, linked to the professional sectors and professions for which it trains students. Some Masters are offered with an apprenticeship track in the second year. Students can also opt for a gap year between the first and second year of the Master's programme in order to gain professional experience. The second year includes a semester off-campus, in the form of an internship, an international study trip or the writing of a research dissertation.

One-year Master's Programmes

Our one-year Master's programmes offer an intensive curriculum designed for young professionals and graduates who want to quickly develop the expertise necessary to accelerate their careers.

ADMISSIONS TO TWO-YEAR MASTER'S PROGRAMMES AND ONE-YEAR MASTER'S PROGRAMMES

| Master's Programmes Procedures | Who can apply? | Application Process |
|--|---|--|
| French procedure | Students who have completed a French undergraduate degree or are due to complete one at the end of the current academic year (Bac+3, 180 ECTS credits or equivalent) | Doubly assessed online application, followed by a remote interview |
| International procedure | Students who have completed a non-French Bachelor's degree or are due to complete one at the end of the current academic year, whether in France or abroad (180 ECTS credits or equivalent) | Doubly assessed online application |
| One-year Master's programmes procedure | Young graduates (Bachelor's or Master's degree) with previous professional experience and early-to-mid career professionals | Doubly assessed online application |

OUR 7 GRADUATE SCHOOLS

School of Public Affairs

The School of Public Affairs prepares students to work in public administration, and all careers related to public affairs, whether in the public or the private sector, at local, national or international level.

- Master in Public Policy (*fr + eng*)*
- Master in European Affairs (*fr + eng*)*
- Preparation for French and European competitive administrative examinations

Dual Master's Degrees

International: with Bocconi University (Italy), Columbia University - School of International and Public Affairs (USA), Freie Universität Berlin (Germany), Fudan University (China), Graduate School of Public Policy, University of Tokyo (Japan), Hertie School of governance (Germany), London School of Economics and Political Science (UK), Munk School of Global Affairs and Public Policy (Canada), University of St. Gallen (Switzerland).

In France: with AgroParisTech, Saint-Cyr Coëquidan Military Academy, École du Louvre, HEC Paris, ISAE-SUPAERO (Higher Institute of Aeronautics and Space Engineering, Toulouse).

**Master's programmes in which it is possible to pursue an apprenticeship.*

Paris School of International Affairs

The Paris School of International Affairs (PSIA) allows students to choose from a huge range of specialisms, preparing them for international careers of all kinds: from international organisations and NGOs to public administration, think tanks and transnational companies.

- Master in International Security (*eng*)
- Master in International Governance and Diplomacy (*eng*)
- Master in International Economic Policy (*eng*)
- Master in International Development (*eng*)
- Master in Human Rights and Humanitarian Action (*eng*)
- Master in Environmental Policy (*eng*)
- Master in International Energy Transitions (*eng*)
- Master in Journalism and International Affairs (*eng*) with the School of Journalism
- Master in Advanced Global Studies (*one-year programme - eng*)

Dual Master's Degrees

International: with Columbia University - School of International and Public Affairs (USA), Freie Universität Berlin (Germany), Georgetown University Law School (USA), King's College London (United Kingdom), London School of Economics and Political Science (UK), Peking University (China), Bocconi University (Italy), University of St. Gallen (Switzerland), Stockholm School of Economics (Sweden), IE University - School of Politics, Economics and Global Affairs (Spain).

In France: : AgroParisTech, Saint-Cyr Coëquidan Military Academy, ISAE-SUPAERO (Higher Institute of Aeronautics and Space Engineering, Toulouse), Sorbonne University.

Law School

The Sciences Po Law School trains top legal professionals wishing to join the bar, or contribute to the business world, economic regulation agencies, NGOs or the Judiciary.

- Master in Economic Law (*fr + eng*)
- Master in Judicial and Legal Professions (*fr*)
- Joint Master of Law and Finance with the School of Management and Impact (*fr*)
- LLM in Transnational Arbitration & Dispute Settlement (*one-year Master's programme - eng*)
- Preparation for competitive legal examinations

School of Journalism

Placing emphasis on practical learning and immersion in digital media, the Sciences Po School of Journalism trains future journalists capable of covering major news items and issues of global importance across all formats: photography, audio, written press and digital media.

- Master in Journalism (*fr*)*
- Master Journalism and International Affairs (*eng*) with the Sciences Po School of International Affairs (PSIA)

Dual Master's degree

in Journalism with Columbia University - Journalism School (USA).

School of Management and Impact

Committed to producing change-makers, the School of Management and Impact trains students for a wide range of positions in business: management, finance and strategy, human resources, communications and marketing, media management and the creative industries.

- Master in International Business and Sustainability (*eng*)
- Master in Finance and Strategy (*fr + eng*)*
- Joint Master of Law and Finance (*fr*)
- Master in HR and Sustainable Governance (*fr*)*
- Master in Marketing and Society (*fr*)*
- Master in Marketing: New Luxury and Art de Vivre (*eng*)
- Master's in Communications, Media and Creative Industries (*fr + eng*)*
- Master in Corporate Strategy (*one-year programme - eng*)

Dual Master's Degrees

International: with Bocconi University (Italy), University of St. Gallen (Switzerland), Stockholm School of Economics (Sweden), University of Pennsylvania (USA), Fundação Getulio Varga-Escola de Administração de Empresas (Brazil), Fudan University (China).

In France: with AgroParisTech, ISAE-SUPAERO (Higher Institute of Aeronautics and Space Engineering, Toulouse).

*Master's programmes in which it is possible to pursue an apprenticeship.

Urban School

The Urban School trains new professionals to design, manage, develop strategies, and advocate for the interests of cities and regions to build a fair and sustainable urban future.

- Master Governing the Large Metropolis (*eng*)
- Master in Regional and Urban Strategy (*fr*)
- Master Governing Ecological Transitions in European Cities (*eng*)
- Master in Urban Planning (*fr*)

Dual Master's Degrees

International: with London School of Economics and Political Science (UK), Bocconi University (Italy), and University of California Los Angeles (UCLA, USA), Tata Institute of Social Sciences (India).

In France: with AgroParisTech, ISAE-SUPAERO (Higher Institute of Aeronautics and Space Engineering, Toulouse).

School of Research

Interdisciplinary and internationally-facing, the School of Research welcomes students who want to train for or through research.

- Master in Economics (*eng*)
- Master in History (*fr*)
- Master in Political Science (*fr et eng*)
- Master in Sociology (*fr et eng*)

Dual Master's Degrees

International: with King's College London (UK).

In France: with École du Louvre and Paris 1 – Panthéon- Sorbonne University.

Doctorates in law, economics, history, political science and sociology.





RESEARCH AT SCIENCES PO

At Sciences Po, nearly 300 faculty members in the fields of humanities and social sciences study transformations at work in the modern world. With a firm focus on the major challenges facing society, research conducted at Sciences Po fuels and enhances public debate on issues such as the environment, digital transition, inequalities, public health, urban development, security and democracy all over the world.

300
permanent
faculty
members

100
visiting
researchers

340
PhD
students

70
PhDs
defended
each year

40%
of international
PhD students

Our fields of study

The research of our permanent faculty mobilises cutting-edge tools to further questions and develop knowledge in five major disciplines. Beyond traditional study, each discipline is committed to developing Sciences Po's interdisciplinary tradition, exploring new questions, in fields, such as:

- **in law**, the globalisation of legal practices, intellectual property in the digital age, protection of the environment and the commons.
- **in economics**, a great deal of research is aimed at revisiting behavioural economics via the cognitive dimensions of economic choices and game theory.

- **in history**, approaches to comparative history are being developing in connection with global history, and by analysing links between history and art.

- **in political science**, issues surrounding distrust in elites and democracies and the emergence of populism around the world.

- **in sociology**, in addition to the study of fundamental issues around inequality, research into gender and the environment are taking on particular importance.

Our PhD Students

Beyond the Master's level, the School of Research mentors and supervises students preparing a doctoral thesis in law, economics, history, political science or sociology. It trains experts in each discipline and offers top-notch academic support, complemented by careers preparation guidance and workshops.

At the end of their doctorate:

- 65% of Sciences Po PhDs join the teaching and research sector in France, Europe and around the world.
- Nearly 35% of PhDs work in the public and private sectors, in the civil service, international organisations, think tanks and non-profit organisations.

At doctoral level, the School of Research offers three international dual degrees with Columbia University (political science), Northwestern University (sociology) and International Max Planck Research School (political science and sociology).

ADMISSION TO A PHD PROGRAMME

Candidates with a Master's degree (Bac +5) or equivalent who wish to enter a doctoral programme, whatever their previous course of study (international or French), must apply online.

Our 11 research centres

Sciences Po's 11 research centres - seven of which are associated with the French National Centre for Scientific Research, CNRS - are where new approaches and new knowledge are produced:

- The Centre for Socio-Political Data (CDSP)
- The Centre for European Studies and Comparative Politics (CEE)
- The Centre for Research on Social Inequalities (CRIS)
- The Centre for International Studies (CERI)
- The Centre for Political Research (CEVIPOF)
- The Centre for History (CHSP)
- The Centre for the Sociology of Organisations (CSO)
- The Department of Economics
- The Law School's Research Centre
- The médialab
- The French Economic Observatory (OFCE)

In addition to these centres, there are five major interdisciplinary research programmes:

- LIEPP (Laboratory for Interdisciplinary Evaluation of Public Policies)
- DIME-SHS EquipEx (Excellence Facility for Survey Data Infrastructures and Methods in the Humanities and Social Sciences)
- L'Observatory of Market Society Polarization (AxPo)
- The "Cities are Back in Town" programme
- The Research and Educational Programme on Gender Studies (PRESAGE)

EXECUTIVE EDUCATION

FOR PROFESSIONALS

Continuous professional development

For more than 40 years, Sciences Po Executive Education has been supporting executives, directors and leaders from across all sectors through the process of enhancing their careers.

In recognition of the essential role that life-long learning plays in all professional and personal development, Sciences Po Executive Education gives participants access to guidance from leading academics and professional mentors to help them reveal their talents and boost their careers.

Custom-built training

Equipping executives with the skills to address the strategic issues and goals of their companies is a necessity. That is why Sciences Po Executive Education designs custom-built programmes, complete with unique content, which are tailored to the needs of each organisation.

In 2022, Sciences Po Executive Education developed over 100 custom-built training programmes.

Find out more at: www.sciencespo.fr/executive-education

Expertise

More than 200 courses are delivered each year around 11 key themes:

- Digital Transformation of Organisations
- Public and Administrative law
- Ecological Transitions and Corporate Social Responsibility
- Human Engineering and Soft Skills
- Leadership and Management
- Management and Public Relations
- Communications and Media
- HR and Social Dialogue
- Social Protection and Health
- Business Strategy and Management
- Cities, Regions and Real Estate

FOR UNIVERSITY AND SECONDARY SCHOOL STUDENTS

THE SUMMER SCHOOL

The Summer School is a unique opportunity for students from all over the world to study at Sciences Po, France's leading university in the social sciences.

- The **University Programme** is aimed at university students and graduates. It hosts over 500 students every year, from around 70 different countries. Participants have the choice between two pathways: one focusing on the **social sciences**, where students study Sciences Po's core disciplines, and one **French as a foreign language** course, where they can boost their language skills. Both programmes are taught on our Paris Campus over the course of two separate sessions (in June and July). The Summer School also offers a wide range of **cultural trips and activities**, allowing students to discover Paris, its history and French culture.
- Short programmes are also organised for **partner universities** throughout the year, enabling groups of students from excellent institutions around the world to discover Sciences Po's teaching for a few weeks.



The Summer School also offers programmes enabling secondary school students to discover the social sciences and their importance in addressing major contemporary global issues:

- The **Pre-College Programme** welcomes secondary school students from around the world for an intensive programme on the social sciences taught in English. It offers an introduction to the fundamental disciplines of Sciences Po and a foretaste of higher education. The programme is held on the Reims and the Paris Campuses in July. In addition to the academic programme, students can also participate in a variety of extracurricular activities and cultural visits.
- The **Online Programme: World Climate Negotiations Bootcamp** is perfectly suited to students interested in environmental issues who are looking to hone their negotiation skills and get to grips with issues within international relations and diplomacy.



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CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Sciences Po works actively to support its students, PhD candidates, and recent graduates in choosing a career path and entering the job market.

Preparing for professional life and building a career project

- Individual advice and guidance; profile tests and assessments
- Roundtable discussions on specific professions and regions
- Videos, testimonials, and a survey on young graduates' careers

Connecting students and employers

- Recruitment events (job fairs, corporate presentations)
- Networking with alumni

Nailing applications and finding a job

- Support and follow-up for internship search
- Workshops: CV and cover letter writing, interview simulations, salary negotiations, etc.

2,100 students have attended Sciences Po Careers workshops

More than 1,000 students have benefited from individual coaching interviews

300 career events organised

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

47%
of students are recruited before graduation

87%
of graduates are employed **within six months** of graduation

35%
of graduates begin their careers in **75 countries** outside France

Breakdown of our graduates by sector



63%
private sector

21%
public sector

9%
international organisations

7%
non-profit sector and NGOs

90,000 alumni

Sciences Po alumni play an important role in political life, international organisations, multinational corporations, academic research, as well as in the media and art world.

Heads of State or Government

Sir Austen Chamberlain, former British Foreign Secretary and Nobel Peace Prize laureate in 1925; Chandrika Kumaratunga, former President of Sri Lanka; Pierre Trudeau, former Prime Minister of Canada; Salomé Zourabichvili, President of Georgia; and many more.

French presidents: Jacques Chirac, François Hollande, Emmanuel Macron, François Mitterrand, Georges Pompidou.

French Prime Ministers: Édouard Balladur, Michel Debré, Dominique de Villepin, Lionel Jospin, Alain Juppé, Édouard Philippe, Michel Rocard, etc.

Heads of International Organisations

Audrey Azoulay, Director-General of UNESCO; Boutros Boutros-Ghali, former UN Secretary General; Pascal Lamy, former Director-General of the World Trade Organization; Jean-Claude Trichet, former President of the European Central Bank; Simone Veil, former President of the European Parliament, etc.

Business and Finance

Maud Bailly, CEO for Southern Europe, Accor; Alexandre Bompard, CEO of Carrefour; Agathe Bousquet, President of Publicis Groupe France; Jean Lemierre, Chairman of BNP Paribas; Laurence Parisot, Vice-President of IFOP; François Riahi, CEO of Natixis; Sibyle Veil, President of Radio France, etc.

Academic, Journalism, Literature & Arts

Hélène Carrère d'Encausse, historian, Perpetual Secretary of the Académie Française; Stanley Hoffmann, professor emeritus at Harvard University; Jean-Marie Colombani, former President of Le Monde; Michèle Cotta, journalist; Marcel Proust, novelist; Christian Dior, fashion designer, etc.

Source: 2023 Graduate Employability Survey on the class of 2021

TUITION FEES

At Sciences Po, we believe that financial barriers should never get in the way of education. Tuition fees are adapted to family income and are lower than those of other world-class universities.

On average, one in three students at Sciences Po pays zero tuition fees. Sciences Po grants tuition fee waivers to all students receiving the CROUS scholarship, as well as non-scholarship holders from low-income families.

French and European students: fees adapted to your means*

For all students whose tax residence is in France or in a country inside the European Economic Area (EEA), tuition fees are calculated according to household income.

At undergraduate level (2023-24), tuition fees range from €0 to €14,210

per academic year
(average 2021–22: 4,536 €).

At graduate level (2023-24), tuition fees range from €0 to €19,670

(average 2021–22: 5,180 €).

Non-European students: lower fees than the world's leading universities*

For students whose tax residence is outside of the European Economic Area, the 2023–2024 tuition fees are:

- **€14,210 for the Bachelor's degree**
- **€19,670 for the Master's degree**

**Please visit our website for specific one-year master's, dual degree, PhD and summer school tuition fees.*

** The above rates apply to students registering for the first time for a Bachelor's or Master's degree at Sciences Po.*

SCHOLARSHIPS AND FINANCIAL AID

To ensure that all students admitted to Sciences Po can smoothly and successfully complete their studies, Sciences Po has set in place a unique policy, providing financial aid to almost 4 out of 10 students.

European students

European students receiving the CROUS scholarships – i.e. **25%** of students in 2022–23 – are not only exempt from tuition fees, but also receive a significant top-up grant from Sciences Po, amounting to **75%** of the CROUS scholarship.

What is the CROUS scholarship?

European students who have studied in France for at least one year are eligible to apply for the CROUS need-based scholarship. These need-based scholarships are awarded by the French Ministry of Higher Education and Research to students under 28 years of age depending on family situation and household income.

Non-European students

A large number of scholarships and financial aid opportunities are available for non-European students, amongst them:

The Émile Boutmy scholarships

Named after Sciences Po's founder, this scholarship is awarded to **first-time applicants** from outside of the European Economic Area who demonstrate academic excellence and meet the profile requirements. Every year, around 300 students are awarded the scholarship, which can go up to €13,100 annually at Master's level.

Other scholarship programmes include **the Mastercard Foundation Scholarships** for African students, **Campus France scholarships**, and **Eiffel scholarships** awarded by the French Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

SCIENCES PO

STUDENT SERVICE

Student Housing

A dedicated housing service centralises classified ads, helps students with their enquiries, and offers accommodation through our partnerships with student residences

Student Welfare & Support

Sciences Po's Student Welfare and Support Office offers:

- Information on the social security system and the healthcare system
- Help with applying for housing benefits with the French governmental agency CAF
- One-off emergency financial assistance under specific conditions
- Help finding a student job
- Help and information on your administrative formalities

Besides financial aid, the Sciences Po Student Service also provides various other forms of support, so as to ensure that day-to-day, administrative and logistical procedures do not hold students back in their studies.

Disability & Accessibility

If you have a temporary or permanent disability or disabling health condition, Sciences Po will ensure that you receive the necessary support and adjustments to complete your chosen programme and immerse yourself in student life. In 2022-23, over 500 students with a disability studied at Sciences Po.

SCIENCES PO'S COMMITMENTS

Combating Sexual and Gender-based Violence

Sciences Po is committed to a culture of respect, courtesy, and equality. Sexual and gender-based violence (SGBV) has a profoundly detrimental impact on the lives of survivors and will not be tolerated at this institution. With priority given to listening to and supporting victims, Sciences Po has put in place a comprehensive policy ranging from prevention to punishment of the perpetrators of sexual and gender-based violence. The Gender Equality and Fight Against Sexual and Gender-based Violence Officer oversees all of these actions, in the interests of a serene and inclusive **campus life**.

Fighting Racism and Discrimination

Sciences Po has developed a range of resources and tools to ensure a respectful, caring and welcoming environment in which to study and work. The Anti-Discrimination and Secularism Officer works to promote equal treatment and to support anyone who feels they have been the victim of a discriminatory comment, behaviour or act, in accordance with Sciences Po's Regulations on Student Life and the legal framework currently in force. This undertaking extends to the fight against racism, anti-Semitism and all other forms of hatred.

Climate Initiatives

Sciences Po is mobilising to act in response to the growing environmental crisis. We are committed to fulfilling our responsibilities as an institution, a research university and, above all, as a place of instruction. We have defined three priority action areas:

- Adapting our teaching and research in view of environmental disruption.
- Transforming our campuses and activities through 10 concrete objectives to become a more environmentally responsible university.
- Raising awareness among our communities and the wider public, with events dedicated to the subject, featuring guests with world-renowned expertise.



CAMPUS LIFE

More than 300 student clubs and associations

Culture, the environment, education, solidarity, discovery, reflection, and debate convey the diversity of the fields in which over 300 clubs and associations are active on a daily basis across our seven campuses.

They offer over 200 activities in more than 40 sporting disciplines. Sciences Po students can take part in a wide range of sporting competitions, discover or develop an interest in theatre, writing or cinema thanks to cultural workshops and participate in a wide range of activities designed to enhance their physical and mental well-being.

1,500 events a year

Sports competitions, festivals, public speaking contests, theme weeks, artworks and exhibitions: the 1,500 community events that take place on our campuses enhance campus life every day!

Seminars and conferences are held throughout the year with leading figures from the worlds of politics, business and academia.

Recent visitors include:

Michelle Bachelet, former President of Chile; Souleymane Bachir Diagne, Senegalese philosopher; Kamel Daoud, Franco-Algerian writer and journalist; Alberto Fernández, President of Argentina; Antonio Guterres, Secretary-General of the United Nations; Beate Klarsfeld, Shoah remembrance activist; Lula, President of the Federative Republic of Brazil; Angela Merkel, former Federal Chancellor of Germany; Benjamin Millepied, French dancer and choreographer; Joseph Stiglitz, Nobel Prize-winning American economist; Volodymyr Zelensky, President of Ukraine.

Sciences Po is the place to speak for the leaders of the world.

