UniLaSalle
Terre & Sciences

4 months of multidisciplinary sciences and experiential learning in France



Spring Semester in Water & Environmental Management

A fully English taught program








KEY FEATURES

Multidisciplinary approach: environmental management requires interactions between scientific disciplines. Our courses cover a large scope: life, earth, soil and agricultural sciences.

Guest lectures: water issues are different across countries. To give students a wider overview of management practices, 1/3 of the courses are taught by invited faculty from partner universities.

Experiential learning: 1/5 of classes are dedicated to field observation, measurement and sampling activities. Several excursions are embedded to the program, including a one week field-trip.

AVAILABLE ECTS CREDITS

The program offers 30 ECTS credits + 2 ECTS credits (French as a Foreign Language course). Choose the number of credits required by your home institution credits (please note that at least 18 ECTS are compulsory).
2 European credits (ECTS) are equivalent to approx. 1 US credit.

ELIGIBILITY

Junior, senior or master students attending degrees in Geosciences, Life, Agricultural, or Environmental Sciences

Classes are taught in English and advanced or intermediate English is required, attested by any one of the following:

- a minimum score of 785 TOEIC points
- a minimum score of 567 TOEFL points (or 227 TOEFL CBT and 87 TOEFL iBT points)
- a minimum score of 6.5 IELTS points.

TUITION AND FEES

Tuition fees include 1-day excursions.

Erasmus+ students
(enrolled in an Erasmus+ partner university): tuition fees waived.

Exchange students
(enrolled in a partner university/with a cooperation agreement): tuition fees waived.

Other students:
€3,500 tuition fees + €50 non-refundable registration fees.

LIVING COSTS 2016-2017

- Catering in canteen: €3.25/meal
- Insurances: €200
- Campus fees: €100
- On-campus single room: €483
- On-campus shared room: €260

5-day field trip (April):
€300 (exchange or non-exchange students)

CHECK OUT OUR BLOG

Learn about guest lecturers, field work and feedbacks from students on our blog.



EQUIPMENT TO BRING

Lab coat, laptop, adaptor plug, field equipment (plastic boots, warm waterproof clothing, walking shoes).

2018 SCHEDULE

JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY
1	Water policy and gov. 2 ECTS	Winter holidays		Labor Day
2			Easter	Water pollution and remediation 2 ECTS
3			Water manag. across agroecosystems 2 ECTS	
4				
5		GIS applied to hydrology 2 ECTS		
6				
7				Retake exams
8				V Day
9			Ecological eng. applied to water management 2 ECTS	Checkout day
10				
11				
12		Surface and groundwater modelling 2 ECTS		
13				
14				
15				
16	Orientation day		Water quality monitoring 2 ECTS	
17	Cross cultural communication 1 ECTS			
18				
19		Stream hydrology 2 ECTS		
20	Team building			
21				
22				
23	Water: current needs and further challenges 2 ECTS		Field trip 2 ECTS	
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25				
26		Environmental biogeochemistry 2 ECTS		
27				
28				
29	Water policy and governance			
30			Day off	
31				

Context
Applied sciences
Monitoring & modelling
Mitigation & conservation
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International seminars (6 sessions throughout the semester - 1 ECTS)

French as a Foreign Language: 1.5h/week (2 ECTS)

FEEDBACKS FROM THE STUDENTS



Franco (Rosario National University, Argentina)

"The program was excellent for me. It was a big opportunity to take lessons in France. It helped me to improve my English, all the lessons and exams were in English and we all lived in an international residence with people from different countries with their own languages but with a common language that was English."



Yadan (Nanjing Agricultural University, China)

"I think the program is successful and special. The international students had different knowledge backgrounds, and this program gave us a chance learning more beyond our own fields. Besides, this program combines us together, and we are just like an international family."

STUDENT LIFE

French Buddy:
Each international student is welcomed and managed by a French student

Social events organized by French students:

- Gala
- Geological fair
- Ovalies (charity rugby tournament)

Social events organized by the International Department:

- Team building day
- Touristic visit

70 student organizations on the campus

Study in France

The “Grandes Ecoles” are unique to France. They were created in the late 18th century in order to offer outstanding scientific education to the country’s future engineers. UniLaSalle, founded in 1854, belongs to this tradition. The associate professors involved in the program belong to a multi-disciplinary research group named AGHYLE. They look at how the water elements are influenced by biogeochemical interactions between rock, soil and plants. These studies will contribute to a better understanding of soil/water pollution as well as its remediation. Studying on our campus will not only give you access to excellence in education; you will also have the opportunity to live in the country that invented “savoir-vivre”, the art of living well. The Hauts-de-France region, home of UniLaSalle, is well known for its beautiful villages and its inspiring gothic cathedrals.



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Application forms are available on our website:
http://international.unilasalle.fr/programs-taught-in-english/programs-taught-in-english-2/spring-semester-in-water-and-environmental-management/

More information about the programs

www.unilasalle.fr

ADMISSIONS

Deadline for sending application: October 15, 2017

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We are already looking forward to welcoming you on our campus!

Beauvais is located in northern France, 50 miles to the north of Paris.
Trains to Paris depart every hour.
Beauvais is an ideal base for exploring Europe. From Paris Beauvais international airport (5 minutes from UniLaSalle campus), low cost companies offer regular flights to exciting destinations such as: Italy (Rome, Milan, Venice, Pisa), Spain (Barcelona, Madrid), Great Britain (Manchester), Ireland (Dublin), Sweden (Stockholm), Norway (Oslo), Portugal (Porto), Romania (Bucharest), Poland (Warsaw), or Czech Republic (Prague)…

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