A whole ecosystem here to welcome you

Whether you like to ski, cycle, hike, snowshoe or just take it easy and sit down to take in an incredible landscape, Grenoble is the place for you! The ski capital and host of the 1968 Winter Olympics, Grenoble is the place for you! The ski capital and host of the 1968 Winter Olympics, Grenoble is now home to virtually every sport, offering facilities for student athletes competing in world-class competitions.

A paradise for athletes and mountain lovers, Grenoble is also an exceptional innovation ecosystem: a concentration of brainpower, technologies and patents, with a combination of resources and an astonishing collaboration between industries, services, research and training. Several international companies have been created right here: Schneider Electric, STMicroelectronics, Cap Gemini, A. Raymond, Rossignol ...

In this ecosystem, Grenoble hosts one of the world-class university sites. If the first Grenoble university dates back to 1339, the «new» Université Grenoble Alpes was born from a merger in 2016 between three former establishments, before expanding on January 1, 2020 by welcoming Grenoble INP, Sciences-Po Grenoble and the School of Architecture. The UGA is now ranked among the top 50 «young» universities in the world (QS 2020 ranking). It is also the 1st French university in 7 disciplines of the 2020 Shanghai thematic ranking. Grenoble IAE Graduate School of Management is fully in line with this vision, being at the forefront of the International stage and of Innovation. It is now one of the eight schools of Grenoble INP Institute of Engineering and Management, a major component of the University of Grenoble Alpes. Its mission is to reveal and Connect Talents for innovative management in local and international organizations.

«The world is a book, and those who do not travel read only a page.» The famous quote by Saint Augustine is as old as the 5th century... But is very accurate for our world and our age. You use different ways of learning and read different books during your studies: traveling is another book, and represents a very precious way of learning. That’s why international mobility is so welcome both by students and companies ; it is a powerful experience that develops your knowledge, skills and behavior in various contexts.

That’s why Grenoble IAE Graduate School of Management has been investing in international development and student mobility for many years. It is an honor for us to welcome foreign students and international visiting professors, and it will be our challenge to connect your talents to those of our faculty and ecosystem. May the force of intercultural connections be with you !

Christian DEFELIX

567 INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS
75 DIFFERENT NATIONALITIES
100 COURSES GIVEN IN ENGLISH
45000 STUDENTS
24 DEPARTMENTS AND SCHOOLS
80 LABS
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Your arrival

Getting to the Grenoble Campus

Aéroport de Lyon St Exupéry
A coach service runs from the airport to Grenoble. Services run daily, every hour from 6am to 10pm.

The journey takes around 1 hour. Get off at the Grenoble bus station «Gare Routière» and continue on to the university with the Tram B.

> For more information, have a look at the Ouibus website: https://www.ouibus.com or at the Flixbus website https://www.flixbus.fr/

Aéroport de Genève (2h15 from Grenoble)
A coach service runs from the airport to Grenoble. Services run daily, every hour from 6am to 10pm.

Get off at the Grenoble Bus Station «Gare Routière».
For more information have a look at the Ouibus website: https://www.ouibus.com

Depending on where you need to get to, get off at the Grenoble or Grenoble Université Gières train stations.

For more information, have a look at the SNCF website: https://en.oui.sncf/en/

Tram B
Grenoble Presqu’île to Gières Plaine des sports
25-minute journey from Grenoble train station to the «Bibliothèques universitaires» stop on campus.

5-minute journey from Gières train station to the «Bibliothèques universitaires» stop on campus.

Tram C
Seyssins Le Prisme
Saint Martin d’Hères Condillac Universités

Tram D
Saint-Martin-d’Hères Etienne Grappe
Les Taillées Université

Bus services C5, 11, 69
Bibliothèques Universitaires stop.
Transportation

TAG (Grenoble Urban Area Transport) runs an extensive public transport network in Grenoble and surrounding areas with 45 bus routes and 5 tramway lines. Local transport maps are available from ISSO’s office and from all the TAG agencies.

Where can you buy your pass?

- **Tabac du Campus**: Trams B and C «Bibliothèques Universitaires» (University Libraries) stop. 442 avenue de la Bibliothèque Domaine Universitaire - 38400 Saint-Martin-d’Hères
- **Agence de Mobilité Centre-Ville**: Trams A and B «Alsace-Lorraine» stop. 49-51 Avenue Alsace Lorraine - 38000 Grenoble.
- **Agence de Mobilité Grand’place**: Tram A «Grand’Place» stop.
- **Agence de Mobilité StationMobile**: Tram C «Vallier-Dr Calmette» stop 15 Boulevard J. Joseph Vallier à Grenoble

For occasional use, various tickets are proposed (for example, 1 trip = 1.60€, 10 trips= 14.30€)

For regular use, the monthly or year-long pass works out financially to be the best value and allows you to go free anywhere on the whole TAG network. If you are between 18 and 24 years old, the monthly pass is 15€.

**Métrovélo**: With this daily, monthly or annual cycle hire service, you can get around the campus, Grenoble and its urban areas much more easily.

Where can you hire a métrovélo cycle?

Opening times: Monday to Friday / 10.30am to 1pm - 2.15pm to 6.30pm /
Branch closed during the university holidays

Grenoble train station : In front of the station entrance Tram A and B «Gares» stop. Bus C1.
Opening times: Monday to Friday / 7.30am to 7.30pm, Weekends and Bank holidays : 9am to 7pm (April to October) or 9am to 6pm (November to March).

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Find your way around Grenoble IAE
The best way to find us is to use the google search engine.
**Grenoble IAE building**

**Ground Floor**
- School administrators’ offices
- Student societies
- Work spaces (33 to 38)
- Cafeteria (K’Fète)
- International corner (25)

**1st Floor**
- Directors’ offices (116)
- International relations office (114)
- Financial office
- Library
- Room Didier Retour

**2nd Floor**
- IT room
- Wifi space
- Academics offices (213 to 232)
  - Room 201, 212, 234, 236

**3rd Floor**
- Room 301 to 311
- Academics offices (313 to 327)

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**Where to eat**

Eating a balanced diet during your studies is vital! Whether it is in the IAE building, on campus or downtown, you have plenty of options to enjoy your lunch.

- **CROUS Restaurants**: Dotted across the Grenoble campus, the university restaurants and cafeterias managed by the CROUS Grenoble Alpes serve proper, varied meals to suit all budgets. There are two CROUS restaurants on campus: The Barnave Restaurant and the Intermezzo Restaurant and Cafeteria. Please refer to the map to see their location. Do not forget to use your Izly card to pay for your meals. To activate your card click on “Activer mon compte” in the Izly app, enter your mobile n° or email address and the 10 figure activation code sent to you by Izly.
- The K’Fète: located in the IAE building, this cafeteria offers sandwiches, snacks and drinks at affordable prices.
- Other lunch spots on the campus: Near the tram station “Bibliothèques Universitaires”, several places offer sandwiches, pizzas, drinks and hot meals.
- If you want more options, don’t forget that it only takes around 30 minutes by tramway to get to the city center, where there are a lot of bakeries, restaurants and places to eat!

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**Housing**

Different types of housing are available for International students. Students can apply for private or university provided (CROUS) accommodation.

The types of CROUS accommodation:

- **A 9 m² furnished room**, with wash basin. Toilets, shower and kitchen are shared. Average cost: 360 € per month.
- **A 12 m² furnished room** with its own toilet and shower. Shared kitchen facilities. Average cost: 300 € per month.
- **A 12-14 m² furnished 1-room apartment** for one person with its own toilet, shower and kitchen facilities. Average cost: 380 € per month (plus electricity).

Private-sector student residences offer furnished apartments of between 18 and 30 m² with their own toilet, shower and kitchenette.

Average cost: 450 to 600 € per month (plus service charges).

To be able to enter your university provided accommodation on the day of your arrival, please make sure you have:

- An accommodation offer received from CROUS Grenoble
- Paid the deposit and first month of rent before the deadline.

You will need proof of identity before you are given the keys to your accommodation.

Please note: as an international student you are potentially entitled to financial assistance with your rent. For more information click here: [https://international.univ-grenoble-alpes.fr/en/student/accommodation/financial-assistance-with-accommodation/](https://international.univ-grenoble-alpes.fr/en/student/accommodation/financial-assistance-with-accommodation/)

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**You also have other platforms to search for private housing:**

- [https://iae-france.immojeune.com/](https://iae-france.immojeune.com/)
  - You can connect with the code: CAMPUS IAE-France*18

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**Map of the main CROUS accommodations on campus**

1. Résidence Ouest
2. Résidence Les Taillées
3. Résidence Berlioz
4. Résidences Condillac A et B
5. Résidence Marie Reynoard

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**Map of the main CROUS accommodations on campus**
Your student card

Your student card will allow you to access a wide range of services. It will be given to you on registration day.

You can use your student card in:

- Libraries: borrow books, get connected to your reader account.
- CROUS restaurants: put money on your card and use it to pay for your meals at any of the university restaurants.
- Use it to print documents with the university printers.
- Use it to get discounts at the cinema, museum, theatre, or on your train tickets and ski pass.

How do you put money on it?

You can put money on your student card (via the Izly system) with your credit card by following this link: http://www.izly.fr.

To activate your account, log in using the password you received in your student email account.

If you have any problems, you can go to the frontdesk of Barnave restaurant, located 121 Rue des Résidences on campus.

Registration

This is your first step in finalizing your registration at Grenoble IAE and a chance to meet the International Relations Team.

We will finalize your registration and give you your student card.

Exchange students:

University enrollment

Individual meetings will be given to you

Documents to bring

Registration form completed and signed
- Copy of ID or passport
- For EU students: copy of the European Health Insurance card
- For overseas students: please see the HEALTH page on the ISSO website. You will have to register for Health Insurance as a foreign student. No fees.

Course enrollment

Another step is the Teaching Registration, when we register you to the different classes you have chosen. For this we need your Learning Agreement. You provided us with a “Before the mobility” Learning Agreement while applying. Since changes in courses might have occurred after your arrival, you need to send us before November 30th a Learning Agreement reflecting the courses you are taking during the semester. It needs to be signed and stamped by your Home University.

For other documents needed by your Home University, such as a Certificate of Arrival, you need to come by the Office (I14) so we can sign them before the end of September. Templates for these documents will be available on the student portal.

Degree seeking students:

University enrollment

Dates will be communicated to you depending on your program.

First days

Induction week:
Events and meetings on campus and in town with the student organizations, integration day, sports forum, information meetings with the International Students and Scholars Office etc.

Degree-seeking students

Dates will be communicated to you depending on your program.

French classes

Exchange students:

Undergraduate

48 hours/semester of FLE (French as a Foreign Language) for all levels.

Master 1 & master 2 students

20 hours of FLE (French as a Foreign Language)

Degree-seeking students

French classes will be a part of your study program. If you would like to take more classes, you can do so through CUEF https://cuf.univ-grenoble-alpes.fr/

Online French courses

Exchange and Degree-seeking students

Brush up your French skills before arriving!
You can follow FREE online courses (MOOC) https://www.fun-mooc.fr/universities/ direction-generale-des-etrangers-en-france/ Strongly recommended
Teaching and Assessment in France

Course organisation

Cours magistraux (CM) are large, lecture-style lessons which happen in “amphi” lecture halls. Travaux dirigés and travaux pratiques (TD or TP) are smaller group sessions (seminars) which put into practice the ideas and principles taught in the CM.

Homework:

More contact hours and less personal work compared to some foreign universities. Homework can be graded by teachers, do not forget to do it!

Undergraduate students:

Courses are organized in “tracks” : Full English, Mixed and Parcours Français. For each track, you must take the required courses but can add other courses from a list of optional courses to obtain the desired amount of ECTS credits.

Graduate students:

Within a master program, courses are organized in “UE” (Unité d’Enseignement - Teaching Units). Credits are awarded for each UE (and not each course), but you need to pass all the courses to get the UE credits.

Compulsory attendance

Attendance is compulsory for the classes, whether they are lectures or seminars. Attendance is checked by signing the attendance sheet or the teacher doing a roll-call at the beginning of the class.

If you have 2 unjustified absences for a course, you are at risk of being awarded the grade of 0/20 for the continuous assessment for this course.

Grading System and Assessment

Two types of assessment:

- Continuous assessment -- based on participation, homework assignments, group work, etc. -- which allows the professor to evaluate the student’s work throughout the term.
- Exams -- organized during the exam period at the end of each semester. The exams allow the professor to evaluate the entirety of your work for the term.

Please note that the exam structure at IAE is very strict. You will receive more details towards the end of the semester on how to prepare for an exam and the exam itself.

You should ask the teacher what assessment it is (continuous assessment or exam) and if the exam takes place before or after Christmas.

You pass a course and get the associated credits ECTS if you have at least 30/20 (continuous assessment and examination grades combined).

Grade qualifications:

20: perfect
19/3: near perfection
17: outstanding
16: excellent
15/4: very good
13: good
12/3: average/passable
10: passing grade/adequate
9/8: failure/nearing passing
7/6/5: failure/poor
4/3/2: failure/very poor
0: eliminatory

Examination

Each semester, exams are held in two sessions:

*First session (Session 1)
For all the courses you have taken during the semester. For Semester 1 (Fall) exams will be held early/mid-January (with some early exams in December before the Christmas break). For Semester 2 (Spring) exams will be held in early/mid-April.

*Second Session (Session 2)
Also called “catch-up session”, it is organized to allow students who did not pass exams from Session 1 (meaning you obtained less than 30/20 or you were absent for the exam) to retake an exam.

The organization of Session 2 depends on how many students need to retake the exam for a course. Teachers can decide on the type of retakes (written, oral or a dossier to hand in). Be aware that retakes can be held a couple of months after the initial exam.

Important instructions

1. You have to arrive 30 minutes before the exam starts (or 25 minutes if you have two exams one after the other).
2. You MUST have your student card. If you do not: a valid ID (ie. Passport) will be accepted. Any other type of card with your photo on it such as the European healthcare card or any public transport card is not considered valid.
3. Late students WILL NOT be admitted into the exam room. Access to the exam room is not allowed after the envelopes containing the subjects have been opened.
4. Personal belongings e.g. coats, jackets, electronic equipment (including phones and smart watches), bags, books, papers, briefcases and cases must be left at the front/back or sides of the examination room (near the examination supervisors). No coats or jackets are permitted on the back of chairs.
5. Students must not communicate with other students either by word or sign, nor let their papers be seen by any other student.
6. Cheating is an extremely serious offence, and any student found by the University to have cheated or attempted to cheat in an examination may be deemed to have failed that examination or the entire set of examinations, or be subject to such penalty as the University considers appropriate.

Plagiarism

Plagiarizing is cheating!
The term plagiarism is used when a person appropriates the thoughts or ideas of another person without indicating their origin.

All academic work is based on previous work and it is normal to draw inspiration from it or to use it to justify one’s reasoning. But attributing to yourself the work of others, whether whole or partial and in whatever form, is illegal and constitutes an infringement sanctioned by articles L. 335-2 et seq. of the French Intellectual Property Code.

The English translation of the French intellectual property code is available here: https://www.legifrance.gouv.fr/content/location/1742

To avoid plagiarism and know how to quote in your documents, please ask the Grenoble IAE’s librarian team or your teachers. They will be glad to help you!
Getting connected

IT services

Computer rooms are located on the second floor of the IAE building, as well as a printer in the “wi-fi space.”

Computers and printers are also available in all the University libraries.

If you have a technical problem, please contact the IAE IT services hotline: iae@grenoble-iae.fr

After registration, you will be given access to your academic email address: name.surname@etu-univ-grenoble-alpes.fr

There are many places in town with free wi-fi: this applies to many popular open spaces, such as the Jardin de Ville, the Jardin des Plantes, the Parc Paul Mistral, place Victor Hugo, place Saint-André and place Grenette, as well as the town hall (Hotel de Ville) and the municipal libraries. In these zones you will automatically access 'wifigrenoble'. You can register for free and you will be sent a password by e-mail or SMS.

How to connect to the wifi

A Wi-fi network is available on campus: “wifi-campus”

You can connect to the Wi-fi using your student login and password. You will be able to access it once you are fully registered.

How to set up your account

To access all the services and the portal you need a login and a password.

The information to get your login is on your registration certificate:


You MUST change your password. It might take up to 24h to be effective.

In case you lose your login, you can recover it at: https://cas-uga.grenet.fr/login

Your login and password are personal and confidential: do NOT give them to anyone as they could be used to retrieve confidential information.

The student web portal - LEO

All student services in ONE PLACE, the student portal LEO:

https://leo.univ-grenoble-alpes.fr/

Once you are registered you have a student email address: name.surname@etu.univ-grenoble-alpes.fr, that you can access from LEO (forwarding emails to a personal email address is possible though).

Remember to check your inbox regularly.

We will provide you with a general translation in English beforehand.

A question, a suggestion...Please feel free to contact us: https://formulaires.univ-grenoble-alpes.fr/fr/contact-iae

Your timetable

On the left panel click on “Campus Grenoble” “IAE” “Accueil échange Internationaux”

Right panel is your timetable

Click on “Mon emploi du temps”
The virtual learning environment - Moodle

- Access your courses and consult the latest information published by your teachers
- Submit documents for your courses
- Discuss and exchange with other students on forums for the various courses.

IAE Community

Are you looking for an internship? Do you want to develop your professional network?

Go to www.grenoble-iae-community.fr, our platform putting students or graduates in touch with companies!

IAE Community is a professional social network for IAE students only, in which you can:

- Look for internships, part-time training and job offers
- Create your profile online to be viewed by recruiters
- Turn on notifications to be kept informed about the offers published in your field of study
- Apply online and see the proceedings of your applications

Access the latest news and events in Grenoble IAE, and don’t miss anything!
- Connect with other graduates and companies

If you are an exchange student and you want to get access to our jobs board, please send an account creation request to relations-entreprises@grenoble-iae.fr.

Student services

ISSO

The International Students and Scholars Office’s main aim is to facilitate your arrival in Grenoble - and help with the settling in process.

1025 avenue centrale
Domaine universitaire (behind BU science)
38 402 St-Martin-d’Hères

For all administrative and practical advice:
issou@univ-grenoble-alpes.fr

For all information concerning student accommodation:
studenthousing@univ-grenoble-alpes.fr

Libraries

As an UGA and Grenoble IAE student, you have access to all the campus libraries. Use your student card to borrow books and access your reader account online. One mutual website to know:

Browse the Beluga Catalogue to search for documents. Discover all digital databases: press and academic articles, dictionaries, etc.

Grenoble IAE library: located on the first floor of the IAE building.
Tools available: 3 computers to search the Library catalogue; 5 open-access computers; 1 printer; 2 workrooms for group projects.

Staff are available to help you search for the right resource.
Opening hours: Monday to Friday 8am-7pm.

Library tours and workshops to get you started are available upon request at the beginning of the year.

Information about IAE Library on Leo:
http://urlz.fr/7bP2
Visit the IAE Library’s Moodle and find the reader’s guide in English: http://urlz.fr/7bP5

Contact: bibliotheque@grenoble-iae.fr
Tel: 04.76.82.57.45

On the website, you will find a downloadable welcome guide and info sheets on various subjects.

There are essential information on:
- housing and accommodation,
- information on the French academic system,
- visas,
- information on the health system,
- insurance and practical information such as French classes, transportation, culture, etc.

Bibliothèque Universitaire Droit Lettres: located near the tram station “Bibliothèques universitaires”. Good workspace, computers and printers available. Individual and group workrooms can be booked at the front desk.

Bibliothèque Universitaire Joseph Fourier: located near the tram station “Bibliothèques universitaires”. Good workspace, computers and printers available. Individual and group workrooms can be booked at the front desk. Coffee shop on the ground floor.

Grenoble Public Libraries
http://www.bm-grenoble.fr/
694-english-speakers.htm

Network of 12 libraries in the city.
Subscription is FREE to borrow documents.

Libraries

- Université de Grenoble Alpes
- IAE Library
- Bibliothèque Universitaire Droit Lettres
- Bibliothèque Universitaire Joseph Fourier
- Grenoble Public Libraries
Health Centre

A team of health professionals is available to ensure regular consultations and preventive healthcare:
- Medical consultations with general practitioners or specialists (gynaecology, sexology, psychiatry, nutrition, addiction)
- Full nursing and vaccination services
- Consultations with psychologists
- Medical consultations for students with disabilities (in the context of an adaptation to studies and exams, and in relation with the «Service Accueil Handicap»)
- Family planning centre (contraception, abortion, HIV testing)
- Workshops: self-confidence, support group, stress management, sophrology, relaxation
- First Aid training
- Occupational health care.

All these services are available without initial payment. Make sure that you take with you:
- Your student card,
- Your 'carte vitale' (medical card) or your certificate of affiliation to Social Security and any complementary policy 'mutuelle', or your EHIC (European Health Insurance Card), or RAMQ form.

30, rue Vassieux en Vercors
38000 Grenoble
+33 4 76 82 76 88
Tram B station « CEA - Cambridge »

Opening Hours: from 10 am to 5 pm on Tuesdays and from 8 am to 5 pm on Thursdays.

If you need to go to the hospital for an emergency, you can go to the CHU Grenoble Alpes’s emergency room:

CHU - Grenoble Alpes
Access on « Belledonne » side
Entrance near the SAMU building (where ambulances are parked)
Tram stop «Michallon» ou «Grand Sablon» on the B tram.

Health insurance

If you are an overseas student: you have to register on the ‘Assurance Maladie’ (French health insurance) website for international students: https://etudiant-etranger.ameli.fr/ (English version available) to ensure your healthcare costs are covered by the general health insurance system (CPAM). Registration is free and you do not need to pay social security contributions.

Once registered, you will need to send the supporting documents requested in order to receive your social security number.

Student organizations

There is a lot happening around Grenoble IAE and many of the projects are led by students! Here are the organizations at Grenoble IAE and on the campus:

The Student Council (Bureau Des Etudiants, or BDE) brings together all of the student organizations. It is also very active in school events, communication, debate organization and social events. It organizes every year the famous integration week-end and gala evening.

Contact: bdguegrenobleiae@gmail.com

The BDS (Bureau Des Sports) organizes sport events all year long, among which the iconic “IAE French Cup” during which students from several French IAEs compete in different sports (basketball, volleyball, football…)

Contact: bds.iae.grenoble@gmail.com

La Junior Consulting conducts studies for companies, just like a consulting firm. It gives students the opportunity to familiarize themselves with the business world and to create their own network. It also organizes events such as the Global Village, the Negotiation Trophy…

Contact: presidence@junior-grenoble-iae.fr

The K’Fet manages the IAE cafeteria, which holds a central place in the IAE. It provides great things to eat and a nice space to spend your free time, but also organizes events such as Blind Tests and Football matches.

Contact: grenoble.iae.kfete@gmail.com

LAHMI is a humanitarian association. Each year, the association gives its help to people in need.

Last year, the AHMI took supplies to migrants in Calais.

Contact: ahmi.iaedegrenoble@gmail.com

There are more than 100 organizations at UGA, eg:

InteGre, a student-run organization whose mission is to bring together French and international students for cultural, social, and outdoor events.

Contact: contact@integre-grenoble.org

The list of all the UGA organizations is available on the EVE website: https://eve-grenoble.fr/ plateforme-alveole/annuaire-des-associations.
Jeunes Ambassadeurs Program

For master’s degree seeking students only. The “Jeunes Ambassadeurs” Program was created in 1999 at the Lyon Chamber of Commerce and Industry and now aims to contribute to the international outreach of the Auvergne Rhône-Alps region through the mentoring of a foreign student by a business leader.

Goals:

- Encourage the creation of quality and long-lasting relations between foreign students and business leaders.
- Encourage international partnerships for companies from the Lyon, Saint-Étienne, Grenoble, Chambéry and Clermont-Ferrand region.
- Boost the reputation of Lyon, Saint-Étienne, Grenoble, Chambéry and Clermont-Ferrand around the world.
- Participate in Award programs: a «Buddy» Program.
- Attend events: company visits, cultural exchanges, international conferences and forums, organized festivities.
- Form teams with their «business coach»: The coach is a manager of a company whose business activity relates to the theme of a business, cultural or institutional link between their home city or region and Lyon, Saint-Étienne, Grenoble or Chambéry.
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Jeunes Ambassadeurs Program

The program for a Jeune Ambassadeur lasts 7 months (from October to April) during which the students will:

- Form teams with their «business coach»: The coach is a manager of a company whose business activity relates to the theme of a business, cultural or institutional link between their home city or region and Lyon, Saint-Étienne, Grenoble or Chambéry.
- Attend events: company visits, cultural exchanges, international conferences and forums, organized festivities.
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- Participate in Award programs: a «Buddy» Program.
- Attend events: company visits, cultural exchanges, international conferences and forums, organized festivities.
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«Buddy» Program

The Buddy Program puts international students in touch with French students, for a semester or a year. Each international student teams up with a French student (a «Buddy»). Your French Buddy will be there for you throughout your stay, whether you want to practice your French with a native, discover the French culture, or ask him/her questions about life in Grenoble!

International corner

Room 25 - Grenoble IAE ground floor

This room is dedicated to cultural & language exchanges, it is a place where students can study and relax, read the world press, meet and exchange with students from all over the world. Free access.

Leisure and culture

Sport

On campus you can do a wide variety of sports, such as rowing, dancing and swimming (there is a swimming pool on campus!). You can choose whether or not you want to get a grade for these activities. Please refer to the SUAPS for more details.

https://suaps.univ-grenoble-alpes.fr/

No other university can boast close proximity to three massive mountain ranges and natural parks (Belledonne, Chartreuse and the Vercors) and the proximity of the highest mountain peaks in the western Alps (Mont Blanc, the Vanoise range and the Ecrins). Mountain and winter sports play a very special role at Université de Grenoble.

U-glisse.com can provide you with a card giving you cheaper ski passes for the surrounding stations, as well as reduced travel by bus to the stations. You will need your student card, a recent passport photo and 30€.

U-glisse, 430, rue de la passerelle (campus swimming pool), Mon-Friday 12-2pm and 5-6pm.

There are 35 ski stations near Grenoble (from 30 minutes to 2 hours away by car). You can get there by car, by taxi but also by bus! For example, Skiligne is a combined coach journey + 1 alpine ski pass for one resort for the day. It includes the return coach journey + 1 alpine ski pass for one of the following resorts: Les 2 Alpes, L’Alpe d’Huez, Chamrousse, Les 7 Laux, Villard de Lans COTE 2000 and L’Alpe du Grand Serre. For further information, please visit http://www.transaltitude.fr/en/skiligne/

Cinemas

Le Méliès, Le Club, Pathé Chavant... several cinemas are located in various places in Grenoble. Le Club and La Nef both show movies in their original version (with French subtitles), so you can watch movies in English there. The price of a cinema ticket can vary from 6 to 13€. Do not forget to show your student card to get discounts.

The ‘Service Culture et Initiatives Étudiantes’ of the Communauté Université Grenoble Alpes aims at promoting and supporting cultural projects undertaken by students.

Located in the same building as the ‘Espace Accueil Information’, in the center of the Campus, its team will be happy to provide you with information about:

- The cultural program for students, also available in a monthly booklet called ‘Un tramway Nommé Culture’.
- The student organizations involved in performing arts (singing and choirs, music, etc.).
- Cultural events and cultural organizations off Campus.

‘Un Tramway Nommé Culture’ also regularly organizes Campus tours, to discover its many different works of art, and meetings with artists and cultural professionals.

The Tourist Office

The multilingual staff in the city's tourist office can provide answers to all your questions and help you find out about all sorts of activities, events, clubs, leisure pursuits, visits, sports, etc. And you will be provided with documentation.

Contact: 34 rue de la République 38 000 Grenoble

Opening hours: May to September: from Monday to Saturday 9 a.m. to 6.30 p.m., Sundays and holidays: from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., October to April: Sundays and holidays from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. +33 (0) 4 76 42 4141

If you want to be kept informed of all the events organized in Grenoble, you can subscribe to the Tourist Office’s newsletter on their website www.grenoble-tourisme.com (just enter your email address in the appropriate field at the bottom.)
Emergency contacts

Security on campus: +33 4 76 82 82 82

European Emergency Number: 112

Police: 17

Fire services ‘Pompiers’ (fire, accident and medical emergencies): 18

Emergencies for deaf and/or mute people (text messages only): 114

Poisoning and intoxication centre
(Centre anti-poison):
in Grenoble and Chambéry: +33 4 72 11 69 11

SOS Médecins 24/7
in Grenoble, Annecy and Chambéry: 36 24
Home visits 24/7 - Be careful, overtaxed consultations.

Emergency contacts

Grenoble International Relations Team

The International Relations Team is in charge of developing international programs, internationalizing the school’s range of courses and helping students with their mobility projects.

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