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MASTER'S DEGREES

FINANCIAL MATTERS

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1. TUITION FEES

Fees for the whole duration of the program, including an intensive French language program (3-weeks) in September:

- 24 months: 6 000€ for EU students (EU countries + Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway, Swizterland and Turkey)
- 24 months: 12 000€ for non-EU students

A **deposit of 1000€** is to be paid before arrival to confirm admission.

Tuition fees can be paid in several installments (2 maximum, in October and January) following EURECOM's Regulations upon request. FINANCIAL SUPPORTS

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INTERNSHIPS

The last semester of the program is at least 20 weeks (outside holidays) over six months and is carried out in a university or corporate R&D lab.

20- WEEKS PAID INTERNSHIP in a company based in France or abroad. Students receive a monthly financial allowance enabling them to cover a substantial part of their costs. The total amount of the allowance is the **sole responsibility of the company offering the internship**.

PART-TIME JOBS

International students with long-term French visas are allowed to work part-time in France, yet it is not advised to rely on such jobs to finance living expenses.

It is hard to find such jobs without a good grasp of French language and the workload of the Master's program is so demanding that working part-time can seriously entail the success of studies.

SCHOLARSHIPS

TYPE OF GRANT	DESCRIPTION	APPLICATION	DEADLINE
SCHOLARSHIPS	French embassies / local	Each embassy/Campus	Deadlines may differ
FROM FRENCH EMBASSIES	provide scholarships with a	France institutes have their own application and deadlines; Please check the website of the Embassy of France/Campus France office of your country of residence to know the existing programs.	but they usually take place before April.

You can have a look to this link that gather the main relevant information: https://www.campusfrance.org/en/bursaries-foreign-students

Or this grant search engine:

http://campusbourses.campusfrance.org/fria/bourse/#/catalog

IMPORTANT NOTICE

- 1. Scholarship applications will only be processed after the corresponding application for Master's programs has been completed online.
- 2. Students need to be aware that the number of scholarships is limited and that the number of applicants is very high. Students should then also be ready to consider other sources of funding for their future studies in case scholarships cannot be granted (scholarships from their home state, bank loans...)
- The scholarship receiver must confirm the offer by accepting the offered study within two weeks of the scholarship notification. Without any confirmation, the scholarship will be granted to another student on the waiting list.
- 4. Scholarship decisions will not be reconsidered. It is not possible to request a scholarship after admission decisions and after arrival in France.

3. FINDING OTHER SOURCES OF FUNDING

You can begin your search for other funding possibilities from the links below, but note that the list is not exhaustive and you should also look for country-specific options.

Please note also that the EURECOM is not responsible for these scholarships, nor can provide more information. You should always check the details of any given funding option directly with the organization providing the scholarship.

National scholarship or student loan schemes

National scholarships from the student's home country are to be arranged independently. Examples of national scholarship or loan schemes include e.g. <u>CONACYT</u> (Mexico) and <u>COLFUTURO</u> (Colombia). See the scholarship portals below for other options.

French embassies, foreign governments and international institutions may also provide scholarships, for more information, please refer to the following search engine to find financing opportunities:

Scholarships portals

scholarship-positions.com scholars4dev Topuniversities

CAMPUS BOURSE

Fondation de France (in French)

French Ministry of Foreign Affairs

EU Programs

Becas Universia (in Spanish)

Mas Oportunidades (in Spanish)

4. COST OF LIVING IN FRANCE

ACADEMIC - YEARLY COST		
CVEC	100€	
VISA VALIDATION	50€	
Opening bank account	0€	
Civil Liability Insurance (included in your housing insurance)	40€	
Private additional health care insurance optional (25€/month)	300€	
TOTAL	490 €	

ACCOMMODATION - YEARLY COST		
Accommodation (400 - 850/month)	4800€ - 10200€	
Deposit	380€ - 850€	
Web	30€	
Duvet/Pilows/sheet	60€	
Plate/Glasse/cutlery/Pans	50€	
TOTAL	5320€ - 11 190€	

STUDENT LIFE - MONTHLY EXPENSES				
Restaurant Lunch (University restaurant "Resto U Hélios" 11:00am - 2:00pm)	100 € - 530 €			
Food shopping Week-End/Breakfast/Break/Diner	300 €			
Landry	12€			
Cleaning shopping (Lessive, produit nettoyant)	10€			
Mobile phone contract	20€			
Monthly bus pass (annual pass 100€)	22€			
TOTAL	464€ - 894€			

TOTAL YEARLY COSTS 11378€ - 22408€

MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES (optional and/or occasional)	
Doctor visit	25 €
hairdresser	10€ - 50€
Warm clothes	200€
TOTAL	235€ - 275€

5. MONTHLY HOUSING ALLOWANCE

Students are eligible to receive a monthly housing grant from the French State (via the French institution called "CAF" – <u>Caisse des Allocations Familiales</u>).

It is worth mentioning that the schedule and amount of payments from the CAF may vary and students should not rely on this allowance during the first months. The first payment is usually made in November or much later and the first month of living in France is not taken into account in the payments.

Students should be aware that the allowance is not guaranteed before applying as the decision to grant it depends solely on the CAF and neither French schools nor students can influence their decision.