FACT SHEET FOR INCOMING STUDENTS
Admissions for AY 2023-2024 and spring semester 2022-2023

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NOMINATION AND APPLICATION

Nomination deadline
Before submitting their application, students have to be officially nominated by their home university. Nominations should be endorsed by the international coordinator. Nominations through e-mails sent to emmanuel.simantov@enpc.fr are accepted.

**Deadline for nominations : 24/09/2022 for :**
- Double degree students applying for the academic year 2023-2024
- Exchange students applying for Spring semester 2022-2023
- Exchange students applying for an English taught program offered in Fall semester 2023-2024.

Application deadline
**Deadline for applications : 30/09/2022 for :**
- Double degree students applying for the academic year 2023-2024
- Exchange students applying for Spring semester 2022-2023
- Exchange students applying for an English taught program offered in Fall semester 2023-2024.

Application procedure
**Online Application Process**
The application process must be done by using our online submission tool: https://crm.enpc.fr/community/enpc/custom_forms/184
- Complete the online form
- Upload the required documents in the platform
- On the last step of the submission tool, students are asked to indicate the email address of the person who will write their recommendation letter (called “referee”). An automatic email will be sent to the referee, with a link to allow him/her sending us directly the recommendation letter
- Any incomplete application file will not be processed.
Application procedure

Remote interview

All applicants will have a remote interview with the Academic Head of the department they are applying to and an officer of the Direction of International Relations at Ecole des Ponts ParisTech.

This 30 minute interview will be held in English or in French, depending on the applicant’s choice.

Learning agreement

Learning Agreements are only required from exchange students, not from double-degree students.

Preparation of the Learning Agreement

Three elements have to be carefully checked when preparing the learning agreement:

- Scientific prerequisites: this is the most important element in assessing applications; non compliance with prerequisites leads to the denial of registration.
- Course capacity: some courses have a limited capacity, and we may not be in a position to guarantee the registration even if it was set in the learning agreement.
- Delivery of course in the targeted semester: such information lies in the section “Time slot” at the very beginning of all course descriptions in our course catalogue. Sem 3 and Sem 5 stand for Fall semester, while Sem 4 and Sem 6 stand for Spring semester.

Courses capacity and prerequisites are specified in our course catalogue: http://gede.enpc.fr/. Prerequisites are also specified in our website (https://ecoledesponts.fr/en/academic-departments).

Learning Agreements have to be endorsed by the home university before to upload it in our submission tool.

Indicative and definitive Learning Agreements

Please note that the Learning Agreements required for the application process are indicative because the list of courses offered in 2023-2024 will not be known until June 2023.

Admitted students will receive in June 2023 all the documentation to complete their Learning Agreement and send it for their pre-registration. June Learning Agreements may slightly change in September, when courses begin (see below). Definitive Learning Agreements will be set in September. They must be officially accepted and endorsed by the host department at École des Ponts ParisTech.

Any programme change must receive the official agreement of both the home university and the host department at Ecole des Ponts ParisTech.

Programme course

Double-degree students will follow a program already set, in which most courses are mandatory, especially in the first year. 2022-2023 programs (called cursus) are downloadable from our website. They may slightly change in 2023-2024.

ACADEMIC INFORMATION

Semester dates

- Fall semester: September 2023 to end January/early February 2024
- Spring semester: February 2024 to June 2024

Please note that international students are required to be on campus as from end-August, as their orientation week takes place during the last week of August. In 2022, they were required to be on campus on August 22nd.

Grading system

Grades at Ecole des Ponts ParisTech are awarded on a scale of 0 to 20. The passing grade for an individual course is 10/20. To pass a given year, students must have passed every course. If not, an equivalent course is added to the curriculum. In some cases, the year is to be repeated. Traditionally, grades higher than 16 are seldom awarded.

A transcript of records will be sent free of charge to the partner university’s exchange coordinator (or to the student) at the end of the study period.
## STUDENT SERVICES

### Living expenses

| Cost of living in Paris : 800 €/month as a minimum |
| Housing : 400 €/month on campus (less 150 to 200 €/month governmental housing allowance) |
| Food : 300 €/month |
| Transportation : 40 €/month for Greater Paris |
| Other : 250 €/month (leisure, outings, mobile phone, internet, …) |


### Scholarships

Information about different ways of financing the study period at École des Ponts ParisTech is available on the following webpage: [https://www.ecoledesponts.fr/en/scholarships-and-international-students-support](https://www.ecoledesponts.fr/en/scholarships-and-international-students-support)

Any degree-seeking student can apply for the following scholarships:

**Need-based scholarships awarded by Ecole des Ponts ParisTech and Fondation des Ponts**:  
These scholarships are awarded according to the financial situation of the applicant. The financial situation is assessed with the annual income and the number of persons in the household.  
The amount of Ecole des Ponts ParisTech scholarship depends on the financial situation.  
The scholarship of Fondation des Ponts consists in a fixed monthly payment of 650 € during 15 months. No scholarship is paid during internship periods.

**Corporate fellowships**:  
École des Ponts ParisTech has strong links with industry and some scholarships can be awarded to international students. Major partners are Meridiam and Ibn Rochd Foundation (students from Morocco only). Eligibility criteria are set by the companies, which proceed to the final selection.

For the above mentioned scholarships, we proceed to calls for applications in June/July.

**French Government scholarships**:  

**Specific national funding programs**:  
BRAFITEC (Brazil), ARFITEC (Argentina), CSC (China), TOBITATE (Japan) …

For any additional information, please contact [emmanuel.simantov@enpc.fr](mailto:emmanuel.simantov@enpc.fr)

### Health insurance

Health insurance is compulsory and free when studying in France. Once in France, students have to register for the French social security scheme. Such scheme reimburses up to 70% of major medical expenses.  
Students from EU are automatically registered provided they bear their European health insurance card.  
To be fully covered, students can also register to an optional complementary private health insurance.  
Information are available on the platform of our partner FEEL FRANCAIS (see additional information in the Welcome desk section hereafter).

### Visa

Visa requirements differ per country. We recommend that students directly contact the French Embassy or Consulate in their country. They will get up-to-date information on the process to get a visa, including the related cost.  
Information are also available on the platform of our partner FEEL FRANCAIS (see additional information in the Welcome desk section hereafter).
### Facilities
- 4 auditoriums
- 32 classrooms seating 15 / 20 or 30 / 50 people
- « La Ruche », a co-working space
- Learning Center includes 200 000 documents available upon reservation
- 9 open-access computer rooms
- Gymnasium (tennis, basketball, handball, football ) and rugby pitch
- A professional studio, available upon request
- Hosting d.school Paris, dedicated to design thinking
- A maker space (3D printing…)
- 2 incubators dedicated to student entrepreneurship
- 1 co-innovation lab including 3 technical platforms dedicated to smart cities

### Housing
Our policy is to accommodate newcomers in one of the students’ residences very near to the campus. Thus, all double-degree and exchange students are guaranteed an accommodation in one of these residences during their first year at Ecole des Ponts ParisTech.

After this first year, they are invited to leave their accommodation for the next newcomers. Most second-year students choose to live in Paris, where we can propose affordable accommodation at Maison des Mines et des Ponts, located in a very attractive neighbourhood ([http://www.maisondesmines.com/en/home-page/](http://www.maisondesmines.com/en/home-page/)). However, students can be accommodated at Maison des Mines des Ponts from their first year at Ecole des Ponts ParisTech if they prefer a down-town location.

For any question regarding accommodation or to obtain a housing certificate, send an e-mail at the following address: bve@enpc.fr

For more information, visit École des Ponts ParisTech website ([https://www.ecoledesponts.fr/en/student-accommodation-0](https://www.ecoledesponts.fr/en/student-accommodation-0))

### Welcome desk
International students are offered a bespoke service provided by our partner FEEL FRANCAIS, through a specific online French/English platform or direct contacts (skype, mail, sms).

**Assistance before arriving in France :**
- Visa application
- Subscription to mandatory housing and liability insurances
- French bank account opening
- Subscription to a mobile phone plan
- Payment of CVEC

**Assistance after arriving in France :**
- Mandatory visa validation
- Registration to the French social security scheme
- Application for the Government housing allowance
- Subscription to a private health insurance
- Subscription to a public transportation card
- …

Shortly after their admission, all admitted students will receive a login to connect to FEEL FRANCAIS platform dedicated to Ecole des Ponts ParisTech.

ENGLISH TAUGHT EXCHANGE PROGRAMMES

- Applied maths (for senior Bachelor students)
- Sustainable and Green finance (for Master students)

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**APPLICATION**

**Required documents**

- Statement of purpose in English (350 words), which explains how student’s projected studies at École des Ponts ParisTech coincide with their studies to date and their future career plans; students should indicate their experience, achievements and skills with respect to their area of studies;
- CV in English, using the Europass CV model: [https://europa.eu/europass/en](https://europa.eu/europass/en);
- Stamped transcript of records over the last 3 years, issued by the home university with an English translation of the grading system of the home university;
- Ranking certificates in the student’s school/department;
- List of courses in which the student is currently enrolled;
- Identification:
  - EU citizen: Photocopy of valid passport or identity card;
  - Non EU citizen: Photocopy of valid passport
- Proof of English language level (TOEIC, TOEFL, IELTS, Cambridge)
- Recommendation letter sent by the Referee through the platform.
- Indicative Learning Agreement signed by the home university

**Language requirements**

- English: B2 level is required as “Applied maths” and “Sustainable and Green Finance” programmes are fully taught in English.
  We do not require the official certificate (TOEIC, TOEFL, IELTS, Cambridge) at the time of the application. However, students will have to provide it before June 2nd 2023.
- French: no prior knowledge of French is required; however, we encourage admitted students to have some knowledge in French for a better experience in their day-to-day life.

**ACADEMIC INFORMATION**

**Duration**

- “Applied Maths”: 1 semester (courses + project)
- “Sustainable and Green Finance”: 1 semester of coursework

**Study programme**


**French language courses**

Recommended.

**Fees**

Tuition fees: 551 € for the whole semester (2022-2023 tariff, subject to change in 2023-2024)
Erasmus + Exchange students and Swiss European Exchange students are exempt from tuition fees and costs (CVEC, registration, examinations, and charges for access to laboratories or libraries).
“FORMATION D’INGÉNIEUR” (MSc in Engineering)
- Fully taught in French
- For students with a Bachelor Degree

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- Statement of purpose in English or French (350 words), which explains how student’s projected studies at École des Ponts ParisTech coincide with their studies to date and their future career plans; students should indicate their experience, achievements and skills with respect to their area of studies;
- CV in French or English (using the Europass CV model: https://europa.eu/europass/en); 
- Stamped transcript of records (in French or English) over the last 3 years, issued by the home university with a French translation (or English translation) of the grading system of the home university;
- Ranking certificates in the student’s school/department;
- List of courses in which the student is currently enrolled;
- Identification :
  - EU citizen : Photocopy of valid passport or identity card;
  - Non EU citizen : Photocopy of valid passport
- Proof of French language level;
- Proof of English language level;
- Recommendation letter sent by the Referee through the platform;
- Chosen programme, downloaded from our website and signed by the applicant, in the case of a double degree application;
- Learning agreement signed by the home university, in the case of an exchange mobility.

Language requirements

Requirements in French
(Double degree and exchange students)

100% of the courses are taught in French in our MSc in Engineering (“Diplôme d’ingénieur”). It is thus a requirement that all double-degree and exchange students in this programme be proficient in French when they begin their mobility.

We require a minimum level of :
- A2, for students coming from romance-language countries
- B1, for students coming from non-romance language countries.

One only exception : applicants to the Urban Planning track of our VET department (City/Environment/Transportation), must have a minimum level of :
- B1, if they come from romance-language countries
- B2, if they come from non-romance language countries.

It is expected that all students provide an official certificate (DELF, DALF, TCF or TEF) indicating their level in French. Please note that :
- Level A2: TEF/TCF 204
- Level B1: TEF/TCF 361
- Level B2: TEF/TCF 541
| Language requirements (Continued) | We do not require such certificate at the time of the application. However, students will have to provide it before June 2nd 2023, or before January 13th 2023 for a mobility during Spring semester.

In the absence of the required official certificate or if the minimum level is not reached, École des Ponts ParisTech reserves the right to cancel the admission for the MSc in Engineering (“Diplôme d’ingénieur”). |

Requirements in English
(Only for double-degree students)
A TOEIC score of a minimum of 785 points (or TOEFL, IELTS, Cambridge equivalent) is required by the French regulation in order to graduate as an engineer. This means that double-degree students must have at least B2 level in English when they finish their studies at Ecole des Ponts ParisTech.

Thus, we require from students applying for a double degree to provide an official certificate (TOEIC, TOEFL, IELTS or Cambridge Proficiency, CAE or FCE) showing that their level in English language is B1 at least.

We do not require such certificate at the time of the application. However, students will have to provide it before June 2nd 2023.

Without the required minimum, École des Ponts ParisTech reserves the right to right to cancel the admission for the MSc in Engineering (formation d’ingénieur”).

Exchange students do not have to provide any certificate in English. |

| ACADEMIC INFORMATION | |

| Duration | Exchange students

Exchange students can stay up to 2 semesters at Ecole des Ponts ParisTech. Two options are available:
- one semester of coursework;
- two semesters of coursework.

Please note that Ecole des Ponts ParisTech does not enroll exchange students for the purpose of achieving their thesis project.

Double-degree students

Double-degree students must complete all the scientific, technical and language modules over 3 course semesters, and validate a short (min. 17 weeks) or long (min. 43 weeks) internship between the second and the third year of our MSc in Engineering. The last semester consists in the end-of-study project.

Thus, depending on the duration of the internship, graduating from Ecole des Ponts ParisTech implies a 2 year or a 3 year mobility.

Please note that internships and the end-of-study project can be performed abroad. |

| Study programme | Exchange students

Exchange Students must establish a learning agreement prior to their arrival on campus. As they will be registered in one of our academic departments, they have to choose at least 70% of their courses (in terms of ECTS credits) in their host department. Their Learning Agreement must contain courses for a total of 20 ECTS at least.

At the time of their application, the study programme can only be indicative since the list of courses is not known yet

Please pay attention to prerequisites and course capacity while choosing your courses. Make sure that courses are taught in the targeted semester (see section “learning agreement” above). |
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<td>- 107 scientific and technical ECTS (including 2.5 ECTS for the compulsory internship and 30 ECTS for the end-of-study project),</td>
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<td>- 12 ECTS in languages.</td>
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<td>- 1 ECTS in sports.</td>
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<td>At the application step, double-degree students are required to download the 2022-2023 programme of the department they have chosen, sign it and upload it on the application tool. Programmes can be downloaded from our website <a href="https://www.ecoledesponts.fr/en/academic-departments">https://www.ecoledesponts.fr/en/academic-departments</a>. Definitive programmes for AY 2023-2024 will be available in July 2023.</td>
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<td>Please pay attention to prerequisites when choosing your courses. This is particularly true for some 3rd year courses or courses taught in the spring semester which require knowledge taught in 2nd year of in Fall semester.</td>
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<td>CMCI (special fee for international students) = 1 000 €/year</td>
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<td>In case of long internship: tuition fees and CMCI are reduced to respectively 855 €/year and 248 €/year.</td>
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<td>CVEC (Contribution for student and campus life) : 95€/year for students subject to the payment of tuition fees.</td>
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