# Factsheet

## Incoming mobility

### General information

| Mail Address and webpage | Grenoble INP – UGA  
|--------------------------|-------------------|
|                          | 40 Avenue Félix Viallet  
|                          | 38031 GRENOBLE Cedex 1  
|                          | France  
|                          | [https://www.grenoble-inp.fr/en](https://www.grenoble-inp.fr/en)  

| Social networks |  
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|                | [Facebook](https://www.facebook.com)  
|                | [Twitter](https://twitter.com)  
|                | [YouTube](https://www.youtube.com)  

### ERASMUS Code

- **FGRENOBL22**

### International exchange students webpage

- [https://www.grenoble-inp.fr/en/academics/you-are-an-exchange-or-double-degree-student](https://www.grenoble-inp.fr/en/academics/you-are-an-exchange-or-double-degree-student)

### Schools of Grenoble INP - UGA


### Contacts in Grenoble INP – UGA

- **Incoming mobility**: [international.welcomeservices@grenoble-inp.fr](mailto:international.welcomeservices@grenoble-inp.fr)
- **International cooperation**: [international.partnership@grenoble-inp.fr](mailto:international.partnership@grenoble-inp.fr)

### Contacts in each School of Grenoble INP - UGA

- **Grenoble INP – Ense3**: [International.ense3@grenoble-inp.fr](mailto:International.ense3@grenoble-inp.fr)
- **Grenoble INP – Ensimag**: [international.ensimag@grenoble-inp.fr](mailto:international.ensimag@grenoble-inp.fr)
- **Grenoble INP – Esisar**: [relations.internationales@esisar.grenoble-inp.fr](mailto:relations.internationales@esisar.grenoble-inp.fr)
- **Grenoble INP – Génie Industriel**: [genie-industriel.international@grenoble-inp.fr](mailto:genie-industriel.international@grenoble-inp.fr)
- **Grenoble INP – IAE**: [incomingstudents@grenoble-iae.fr](mailto:incomingstudents@grenoble-iae.fr)
- **Grenoble INP – Pagora**: [pagora.international@grenoble-inp.fr](mailto:pagora.international@grenoble-inp.fr)
- **Grenoble INP – Phelma**: [in-coming@phelma.grenoble-inp.fr](mailto:in-coming@phelma.grenoble-inp.fr)
- **Grenoble INP – Polytech**: [polytech.relint@univ-grenoble-alpes.fr](mailto:polytech.relint@univ-grenoble-alpes.fr)
## Courses

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<th>Courses open to exchange students</th>
<th>Students are encouraged to select courses of the same year level and in the same field of study to avoid any timetable conflict.</th>
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| Grenoble INP – Ense3             | ▪ Engineering degrees (Except "Product design" which is managed by the School Grenoble INP - Génie Industriel and "Signal & Image Processing, Communication Systems & Multimedia" which is managed by the School Grenoble INP - Phelma):  
  ▪ Masters (except CoDaS which is not open to exchange students): [https://ensimag.grenoble-inp.fr/en/education/masters-of-science](https://ensimag.grenoble-inp.fr/en/education/masters-of-science) |
| Grenoble INP – Esisar            | ▪ Engineering degrees:  
  ▪ Master: [https://esisar.grenoble-inp.fr/en/academics/master-program#page-presentation](https://esisar.grenoble-inp.fr/en/academics/master-program#page-presentation) |
| Grenoble INP – IAE               | ▪ Available courses for exchange students and Factsheet: [https://cloud.univ-grenoble-alpes.fr/s/nP2ayJiE52Yt7Pp](https://cloud.univ-grenoble-alpes.fr/s/nP2ayJiE52Yt7Pp) |
| Grenoble INP – Pagora            | ▪ Engineering degrees:  
  ▪ Masters:  
  [https://pagora.grenoble-inp.fr/en/education/master#page-presentation](https://pagora.grenoble-inp.fr/en/education/master#page-presentation)  
| Grenoble INP – Polytech          | ▪ Engineering degrees (mainly taught in french): [https://polytech.grenoble-inp.fr/fr/international/international-students](https://polytech.grenoble-inp.fr/fr/international/international-students) |

### Language requirements for French and English

The exchange program guidelines establish that students must have sufficient knowledge of the [French language](https://www.grenoble-inp.fr/en/education/learning-french). To attest the level in French and/or English, students must provide either an official test, a certificate from a language instructor stating the [CECR Level equivalence](https://www.grenoble-inp.fr/en/education/learning-french).

- **For exchange students**, a B1 level is recommended in French and in English depending if they choose courses in French or in English.

- **For double-degree students**, a B1 level is required in French and in English when they apply for. To obtain the diploma, they will have to obtain a B2 level in French and in English.
French grading system

Grenoble INP – UGA uses the European Credit Transfer System (ECTS). One academic year corresponds to 60 ECTS, one semester to 30 ECTS. Exchange students take a maximum of 30 ECTS per semester or 60 ECTS per year.

Academic Calendar

The start and end dates of classes are different from one school to another and depend on the level at which students enter the school. Please refer to the host school to know exactly when the semester is beginning and ending.

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<td>Admissions</td>
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<td>Registration</td>
<td>The host school will inform students on the administrative and academic registration dates.</td>
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<td>Holidays</td>
<td>Fall break (1 week), December (2 weeks), February (1 week), April (1 week).</td>
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Application procedure

Nomination

Nominations are to be sent by e-mail to: international.welcomeservices@grenoble-inp.fr

Indicate:
- First name and surname of the student
- E-mail address
- Level
- Field of study
- School of Grenoble INP – UGA and the program in which they want to apply for.

Deadline for nominations

- Full academic year or Fall semester: April 15th
- Spring semester: October 25th

Note: Grenoble INP – Esisar and Grenoble INP – Polytech don’t accept nominations for Spring semester.

Application

Incoming students have to complete an online application form (there is no need to send documents by e-mail or mail). The link will be sent directly by e-mail to the nominated students (with copy to our partners) from the beginning of March.

FAQ: https://www.grenoble-inp.fr/en/academics/faq-frequently-asked-questions-1

Application’s dates

- Full academic year or Fall semester: from March 4th to April 30th
- Spring semester: from September 16th to November 12th

Supporting documents to be

(please provide a translation in English or in French)
uploaded

- Curriculum Vitae Resume
- Cover letter
- Copy of last degree obtained
- Academic transcript of records for all undergraduate studies and the current academic year.
- List of courses currently taken at home university that are not listed in your transcript of records.
- Language certificate (English and/or French) justifying a minimum level of B1 for all our schools except for Grenoble INP – IAE because a B2 level is required.
- Recommendation letter from one of your Professor
- Learning agreement

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| **Accommodation** | **In Grenoble:** ISSO has accommodation service which provides rooms to students on the different campuses. An on-line application form is made available before each semester. In order to ensure that they will be granted a room (in the limit of the availability), students have to respect deadlines:  
  - Full academic year and Fall semester: Mid-June  
  - Spring semester: Mid-November  
  Contact: [studenthousing@univ-grenoble-alpes.fr](mailto:studenthousing@univ-grenoble-alpes.fr) |
| **In Valence:** Students from Grenoble INP - Esisar and Grenoble INP – IAE will not receive this link but will be directly contacted by the School's International Relations Department. |
| **Student visa requirements** | [https://international.univ-grenoble-alpes.fr/getting-organized/visas-and-residence-permits/](https://international.univ-grenoble-alpes.fr/getting-organized/visas-and-residence-permits/)  
Students, except European ones (EU-EEA), have to apply for a student visa at the French Embassy of their country of residence. **It is highly recommended to start this procedure very early.**  
Some Students have to apply to the CEF on-line procedure as well (65 countries are concerned): [https://www.campusfrance.org/en/procedure-studying-in-france](https://www.campusfrance.org/en/procedure-studying-in-france) |
| **Health insurance** | **In France, the healthcare system generally takes care of most healthcare costs. Subscription to health insurance is mandatory (upon they arrival) for stays of more than 3 months, unless there is a bilateral agreement between** |
France and your country of origin. This is the case for all member states of the European Union, European Economic Area, as well as Switzerland and Quebec: steps are thus to be taken before their arrival in France. For more information:
https://international.univ-grenoble-alpes.fr/getting-organized/insurances/health-insurance/health-insurance-783872.kjsp?RH=1610018156755

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| International student association | Members of the « Bureau International des Etudiants (BIE) » greet foreign students as soon as they arrive in Grenoble, and then help them with all the administrative tasks needed to settle into the city. The International Student Board also organizes numerous events throughout the year (parties, visits, ski weekend, etc…)
http://www.grenoble-inp.fr/en.academics/international-student-board
Contact: students.bi@grenoble-inp.fr |
| Buddy system | The Buddy System is an online platform created for peer-to-peer student mentoring. International students can benefit from a personalised welcome (discovering the city and the campus, getting a little help when needed, practicing languages), thanks to a local buddy.
Registering for the BuddySystem programme:  https://buddysystem.eu/en/ |
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