

SciencesPo

FRANCE'S LEADING
UNIVERSITY
**IN THE SOCIAL
SCIENCES**





OPEN TO THE WORLD

Founded in 1872, Sciences Po is France's leading university in the social sciences. For nearly 150 years, Sciences Po has educated decision-makers in the public and private sectors. Our college offers a three-year undergraduate degree that includes a year abroad at one of our 478 partner universities. There are seven graduate schools composed of 30 master's degrees and five PhD programmes.

Sciences Po offers over 40 dual degrees with partner universities, including Columbia University in New York, the London School of Economics and Peking University. We also provide executive education with 15 dedicated executive master's degrees and over 100 customised training programmes.

Sciences Po offers a multidisciplinary, multilingual and outward looking education. In order to provide a comprehensive curriculum, Sciences Po places great emphasis on fundamental academic courses, professional training and extra-curricular activities. Sciences Po also integrates digital teaching methods into its programmes and continues to develop innovative teaching platforms, such as MOOCs.

Following completion of their degree, Sciences Po graduates possess unique profiles which are highly sought by leading recruiters. 86% of Sciences Po graduates are hired within six months of graduation and 37% start their career abroad.

Our goal is to open minds and develop critical thinking. We seek to provide students with the essential tools that will enable them to make sense of a complex world. We also provide students with a truly international environment. Our student community comprises 14,000 students – half are international, coming from 150 countries.

As a research university, Sciences Po is focused on excellence, and demands the highest standards from faculty and students. Sciences Po also holds a high degree of social responsibility, and continues to play a pioneering role in the promotion of diversity and equal opportunity in higher education. Sciences Po has an array of financial aid for students of all origins and 26% of the student body hold a scholarship.

Facts and Figures About Sciences Po

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14,000

STUDENTS



46%
OF STUDENTS COME
FROM OUTSIDE FRANCE

150
NATIONALITIES



MORE THAN
1 IN 4 STUDENTS IS
A SCHOLARSHIP HOLDER

478
PARTNER
UNIVERSITIES



62
DUAL DEGREE PROGRAMMES IN
FRANCE AND IN THE WORLD



25
FOREIGN LANGUAGES
TAUGHT

2ND

IN THE WORLD IN THE QS
RANKINGS FOR POLITICS &
INTERNATIONAL STUDIES (2020)



28%
OF SCIENCES PO'S
BUDGET IS DEDICATED
TO RESEARCH

4,200

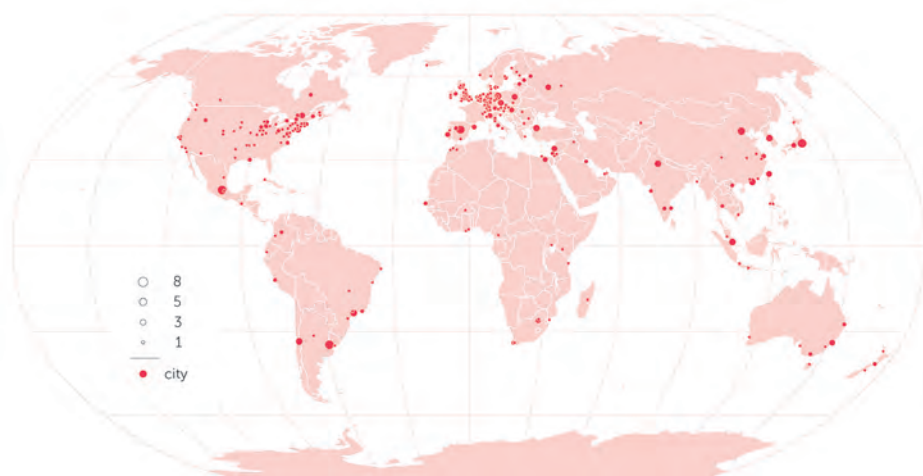
INSTRUCTORS WITH BACKGROUNDS
IN ACADEMIA, BUSINESS
OR PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION



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RESEARCH
UNITS

MORE THAN
2,000

STUDENTS COME ON EXCHANGE
EACH YEAR FROM OUR NETWORK
OF PARTNER UNIVERSITIES



Sciences Po - Atelier de cartographie, octobre 2015

478 Partner Universities Including:

UC Berkeley, Bocconi, Cambridge, Colegio de México, Columbia, Copenhagen Business School, Freie Universität Berlin, Fudan, Humboldt-Universität, Instituto de Empresa, King's College, Keio, London School of Economics, McGill, MGIMO, MIT, National University of Singapore, Northwestern, Oxford, Peking University, Princeton, Tsinghua, University of British Columbia, University of Cape Town, University of Chicago, University of Ghana, University of Hong Kong, University of São Paulo, University of Sydney, University of Tokyo, Uppsala, Waseda, etc.

90,000 Alumni

Sciences Po alumni play an important role in political life, international organisations, multinational corporations, academic research, as well as in the media and art world. Notable Sciences Po alumni include:

Heads of State or Government

Chandrika Kumaratunga, former President of Sri Lanka, Pierre Trudeau, former Prime Minister of Canada, Salomé Zourabichvili, president of Georgia de la Géorgie, etc.

French Presidents: Jacques Chirac, François Hollande, Emmanuel Macron, François Mitterrand, Georges Pompidou.

French Prime Ministers: Edouard Balladur, Michel Debré, Dominique de Villepin, Lionel Jospin, Alain Juppé, Edouard Philippe, Michel Rocard, etc.

Heads of International Organisations

Audrey Azoulay, Director-General of UNESCO, Boutros Boutros-Ghali, former UN Secretary General, Nicole Fontaine, former President of the European Parliament, Pascal Lamy, former Director-General of the World Trade Organization, Jean-Claude Trichet, former President of the European Central Bank, Simone Veil, former President of the European Parliament, etc.

Business and Finance

Alexandre Bompard, CEO of Carrefour, Agathe Bousquet, CEO of Publicis France, Maëlle Gavet, COO of Compass Inc, Jean Lemierre, Chairman of BNP Paribas, Françoise Mercadal-Delasalles, CEO of Credit du Nord, Laurence Parisot, Vice-President of IFOP, François Riahi, CEO of Natixis, Sibyle Veil, President of Radio France, etc.

Academia, Journalism, Literature and Arts

Hélène Carrère d'Encausse, historian, member of the Académie française, Stanley Hoffmann, professor emeritus at Harvard University, Jean-Marie Colombani, former president of Le Monde, Michèle Cotta, journalist, Marcel Proust, novelist, Christian Dior, fashion designer, etc.



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DISCOVER OUR MULTICULTURAL CAMPUSES

Sciences Po's **7 campuses** are home to a tight-knit multicultural student community and feature a vibrant intellectual and associative student life.

Dijon Campus

Located in the region of Burgundy in a magnificent 19th century building, the Dijon campus was created in 2001.

Le Havre Campus

On the coast of Normandy, Le Havre has hosted a campus since 2007. Located at the entrance to the port, the Le Havre campus stands out for its all-glass architecture and the red and white lightship docked in front of it.

Menton Campus

Established in the French Riviera city of Menton in 2005, the campus is located in an entirely renovated 19th century building overlooking the Mediterranean.

Paris Campus

Located in the heart of the French capital in the Saint-Germain-des-Prés neighbourhood near the Louvre Museum, the Seine and the Luxembourg Gardens, the Paris campus is the birthplace of Sciences Po, the site where the institution was founded in 1872.



Paris campus: our new site at 1 Saint-Thomas in the Saint-Germain-des-Prés neighbourhood

Living in France

Students attending university in France are exposed to French culture in their daily lives. The attractiveness of France as a study destination for international students continues to grow in 2018, with nearly two-thirds (64%) of respondents in a recent Campus France survey listing France as the first non-English speaking destination. In 2018, Paris came in 5th place in the QS Best Student Cities ranking.

Poitiers Campus

Opened in 2010, the campus is located in the heart of the historical city of Poitiers in the Hôtel Chaboureaux, a renovated building dating from the 15th Century.



The historical city of **Poitiers**



Menton in the French Riviera



Le Havre on the coast of Normandy



Reims in the heart of the Champagne region

Reims Campus

In the heart of the Champagne region, the Reims campus opened in September 2010 in the "Cité des Rois".



Dijon in the region of Burgundy



Nancy in the region of Lorraine

Nancy Campus

Established in the region of Lorraine in 2000, the Nancy campus is located in a prestigious 18th century heritage site, the Hôtel des Missions Royales.



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UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES

The Bachelor of Arts at Sciences Po

A multidisciplinary education in the humanities and social sciences

Accessible after passing the Baccalaureate (or its equivalent abroad), the Sciences Po Undergraduate College offers a Bachelor's degree (Bac+3) that takes place over three years, on one of the institution's seven campuses.

Founded in the study of humanities and social sciences, the education spans across six main disciplines - law, economics, humanities, history, political science and sociology - supplemented by artistic and scientific disciplines.

In addition to teaching, field experience is encouraged within the framework of the Civic Learning Programme, study trips, internships, simulations, association and union activities.

Educate enlightened citizens

Courses offered by the undergraduate college allow students to grasp the challenges and evolutions of contemporary societies, and offer them the tools to think critically and act ethically. The goal is to educate enlightened and inventive citizens who work towards the common good.

The Civic Learning Programme

All undergraduate students engage in a civic engagement over the three years of the Bachelor's degree. The Civic Learning Programme is a chance to learn and understand citizenship and social responsibility through a community internship that emphasises autonomy, consensus building and personal ethic.



A progressive and international curriculum

Two years in France and one year abroad

Undergraduates spend their first two years on a Sciences Po campus before pursuing their third and final year at one of Sciences Po's 478 partner universities. On all campuses, students choose a multidisciplinary major - Economy & Society, Political Humanities, or Politics & Government. Each campus offers a different regional concentration that anchors students' intellectual objectives: Africa, Asia, Europe, Latin America, Middle East-Mediterranean, and North America.

> **First year: Learning the fundamentals**

Undergraduate students are introduced to the disciplines and methods taught at Sciences Po - economics, history, humanities, law, political science, and sociology. Certain courses are related to the regional concentrations offered on each campus.

> **Second year: Acquiring intellectual autonomy**

Students choose a major - Economy & Society, Political Humanities, or Politics & Government -, explore a range of multidisciplinary courses, and interact with the research methodologies linked to their chosen major.

An Unprecedented Dual Degree

A new type of dual degree, the Bachelor of Arts and Sciences, offers unprecedented interdisciplinary dual bachelor's degrees which combine the study of hard sciences with human and social sciences. At the end of this four-year programme, students obtain a Bachelor of Arts and Sciences from Sciences Po and a Bachelor's degree from the partner university (see page 13).

> **Third year: Students spend their year abroad.**

They have the choice between a full year of study exchange at one of Sciences Po's 478 partner universities, or a hybrid year with a semester of internship.

One degree, countless opportunities

Upon completion of the BA, graduates are equipped to enter the job market, or pursue graduate studies at one of Sciences Po's seven graduate schools or any of the world's most competitive universities. Common fields of study include communications, economics, finance, international affairs, journalism, law, organisational behaviour, and public affairs.

UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES

Our Regional Concentrations

1 Europe-Asia Programme

Le Havre Campus

- > Focus on Asia and its relations with Europe and the world
- > Programme taught in English
- > Foreign language study in Chinese, Korean and Japanese
- > Dual Bachelor's degrees with Columbia University, Keio University, National University of Singapore, University of California Berkeley, University of Hong Kong, and University of Sydney

2 General Programme

Paris Campus

- > Programme taught in French, with courses in English
- > Dual Bachelor's degrees with University College London, Université Paris 1, Sorbonne Université, l'Institut de Physique du Globe de Paris and the University of Paris (Bachelor of Arts and Sciences)

3 Europe-Latin America Programme

Poitiers Campus

- > Focus on Latin America
- > Programme taught in French, with courses in English, Spanish and Portuguese
- > Foreign language study in English, Spanish, Portuguese, Italian and French as a foreign language
- > Dual Bachelor's degree with University College London

4 Europe-North America Programme

Reims Campus

- > Focus on North America
- > Programme taught in English
- > Foreign language study in Arabic, Italian, German, Spanish and French as a foreign language
- > Dual Bachelor's degrees with Columbia University, National University of Singapore, University of British Columbia, University of California Berkeley, University of Hong Kong, University of Sydney, and University of Reims Champagne-Ardenne (Bachelor of Arts and Sciences)

Europe-Africa Programme

Reims Campus

- > Focus on Africa
- > Programme taught in French the first year, bilingual the second year
- > Foreign language study in Arabic, Portuguese and Swahili
- > Dual Bachelor's degrees with Columbia University, University of British Columbia, University of Hong Kong, and University of Reims Champagne-Ardenne (Bachelor of Arts and Sciences)

5 European Programme, Franco-German concentration

Nancy Campus

- > Focus on the European Union, specifically on the relationship between France and Germany
- > Programme taught in French, with courses in English and German
- > Foreign language study in French, German, English, Spanish, Russian and Swedish
- > Dual Bachelor's degrees with Freie Universität Berlin and University College London

6 European Programme, Central and Eastern Europe concentration

Dijon Campus

- > Focus on the European Union, its borders and neighbouring states
- > Programme taught in French, with classes in English
- > Foreign language study in English, German, Spanish, Hungarian, Italian, Polish, Romanian, Czech, Russian, and French as a foreign language
- > Dual Bachelor's degree with University College London

7 Middle Eastern and Mediterranean Programme

Menton Campus

- > Focus on the Middle East, the Mediterranean and Gulf states
- > Programme taught in English or in French
- > Foreign language study in Arabic, Turkish, Hebrew and Italian
- > Dual Bachelor's degrees with Columbia University, National University of Singapore, University of British Columbia, University of California Berkeley, University College London, University of Hong Kong, and University of Sydney



Students dancing at the Collégiades 2018 tournament in Reims

UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES →

International Dual Bachelor's Degrees

Two years at Sciences Po + two years at the partner university

Sciences Po offers dual Bachelor's degrees with nine of the world's leading universities, allowing students to study as fully-integrated members of two distinct academic cultures. Students are recruited from all over the world and benefit from a unique international experience combining the strengths and academic specialties of both institutions.

The first two years of all dual Bachelor's programmes take place on one of Sciences Po's campuses. In years 3 and 4 at the partner university, students pursue a major offered by the host institution. Upon successful completion of the two curricula, students graduate with two Bachelor's degrees, offering exceptional access to prestigious graduate studies or to entry into the job market.

Dual Degree with Columbia University (New York, USA)

- > Sciences Po campuses: Reims, Menton, Le Havre
- > In New York, students choose a major offered at Columbia
- > Programme in English with no prior study of French required

Dual Degree with Freie Universität Berlin (Germany)

- > Sciences Po campus: Nancy
- > In Berlin, students pursue a major in Political Science
- > Trilingual programme (French, German, English)

Dual Degree with Keio University (Tokyo, Japan)

- > Sciences Po campus: Le Havre
- > Students spend two years at Keio, where they study Economics and Japanese language and culture
- > Programme in English, no prior study of Japanese or French required

Dual Degree with the National University of Singapore (NUS)

- > Sciences Po campuses: Reims, Menton, Le Havre
- > In Singapore, students choose from four majors: Economics, History, Political Science, or Sociology
- > Programme in English with no prior study of French required

Dual Degree with the University of British Columbia (Vancouver, Canada)

- > Sciences Po campuses: Reims, Menton, Le Havre
- > In Vancouver, students choose from a choice of five majors: Economics, Geography, History, Political Science, Sociology
- > Programme in English with no prior study of French required

Dual Degree with the University of California Berkeley (USA)

- > Sciences Po campuses: Reims, Menton, Le Havre
- > At UC Berkeley, students choose from a large array of majors offerings
- > Programme in English with no prior study of French required



Dual Bachelor's Degrees in France

Université Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne: Applied Mathematics & Social Sciences

- > Two years in Paris: programme in social sciences at Sciences Po, and training in applied mathematics (algebra, analysis, statistics) and computer science at Paris 1
- > One year abroad at a partner university of Sciences Po or Université Paris 1

Sorbonne Université: Social Sciences & Literary Humanities

- > Two years in Paris: programme in social sciences at Sciences Po, and courses in literature, philosophy or history at Sorbonne Université
- > One year abroad at a partner university of Sciences Po or Sorbonne Université

Dual Degree in Human & Social Sciences and Geoscience with the Institut de Physique du Globe de Paris (IPGP): "Policies of the Earth"

- > Offered on the Paris campus, this dual degree links geosciences and social sciences.
- > 3 years in Paris: programme in social sciences at Sciences Po, training in geoscience at IPGP, interdisciplinary courses from both institutions
- > 1 year abroad at a partner university

Dual Degree in Human & Social Sciences and Life Science with the University of Reims Champagne-Ardenne (URCA): "Environment, Society and Sustainability"

- > Offered on the Reims campus, this dual degree links life sciences and social sciences.
- > 3 years in Reims: programme in the social sciences at Sciences Po, courses in life science at URCA, interdisciplinary courses at both institutions
- > 1 year abroad at a partner university

Dual Degree in Life & Social Sciences and Mathematics / Computer Science with the University of Paris: "Algorithms & Decisions"

- > 3 years in Paris: programme in social sciences at Sciences Po, training in mathematics/computer science at the University of Paris, interdisciplinary courses from both institutions
- > 1 year abroad at a partner university

Dual Degree in Life & Social Sciences with the University of Paris: "Politics of Life and Identities"

- > 3 years in Paris: programme in social sciences at Sciences Po, courses in life science at the University of Paris, and interdisciplinary courses from both institutions
- > 1 year abroad at a partner university

Dual Degree with University College London (UK)

- > Sciences Po campuses: Dijon, Menton, Nancy, Paris, Poitiers
- > In London, students choose from one of six majors: Economics, History, International Relations, Law, Philosophy, or Politics
- > Programme available entirely in French or in English. A mixed English/French track available as well

Dual Degree with the University of Hong Kong

- > Sciences Po campuses: Reims, Menton, Le Havre
- > In Hong Kong, students choose among three areas of study: Business, Social Sciences, or the Arts
- > Programme in English, no prior knowledge of Chinese or French required

Dual Degree with the University of Sydney (Australia)

- > Sciences Po campuses: Reims, Menton, Le Havre
- > In Sydney, students choose one of three Bachelor tracks: Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Economics, or Bachelor of Political, Economic and Social Sciences
- > Programme in English with no prior study of French required



GRADUATE STUDIES



Seven graduate schools that prepare for professional life

Graduate studies at Sciences Po are hosted within seven schools, all located on our campus in Paris. The seven schools offer a wide variety of master's programmes that take place over two years, all tailored to the professional world. We also offer international dual degrees, in which students spend one year at Sciences Po and one year abroad at the partner university.

Graduate studies at Sciences Po are based on common principles of internationalisation, active pedagogy, academic theory and applied project work.

30 Master's programmes

are open to students with a Bachelor's degree or equivalent. All Master's programmes are two-years-long, with four 12-week semesters. During the second year, one semester is spent completing an internship or a field study, writing a Master's thesis, or studying at a partner university. Programmes are taught in French or English; some require both languages. Certain programmes allow for a gap year between year 1 and 2; some also allow students to complete an apprenticeship during the second year.

One-year Master's programmes

deliver an intensive curriculum designed for young professionals who want to develop the expertise necessary to accelerate their careers. Programmes are offered in English and in French.



PhD programmes

offer solid training in research. Students study for their PhD in one of Sciences Po's 11 research centres.

SCIENCES PO'S GRADUATE SCHOOLS →

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Sciences Po School of Management & Innovation

The School of Management & Innovation trains students for positions in consulting/auditing, banking/finance/insurance, marketing/communications, human resources, regulations and compliance, and the creative industries.

- > Master in International Management and Sustainability (ENG)
- > Master in Finance and Strategy (FR) *
- > Master in Organisational Behaviour and Human Resources (FR) *
- > Master in Marketing: New Luxury & Art de Vivre (ENG)
- > Master in Marketing and Society (FR)
- > Master in Communications, Media and Creative Industries (FR & ENG) *
- > Master in Innovation and Digital Transformation (FR)
- > Joint Master of Law & Finance (FR)
- > Master in Corporate Strategy (one-year programme - ENG)

International Dual Master's Degrees with Fudan University (China), Fundação Getulio Varga-Escola de Administração de Empresas (Brazil), University of Pennsylvania Law School (USA), University of St. Gallen (Switzerland), Stockholm School of Economics (Sweden), Bocconi University (Italy).

Dual Master's Degrees in France (FR) with Strate (Sèvres), AgroParisTech (Paris), ISAE-SUPAERO (Higher Institute of Aeronautics and Space Engineering, Toulouse).

Sciences Po Paris School of International Affairs (PSIA)

The Paris School of International Affairs offers a comprehensive education in international affairs. Graduates embark on careers in international organisations, NGOs, public administration, research institutes, etc.

- > Master in International Security (ENG)
- > Master in International Governance and Diplomacy (ENG)
- > Master in International Economic Policy (ENG)
- > Master in International Development (ENG)
- > Master in Human Rights and Humanitarian Action (ENG)
- > Master in Environmental Policy (ENG)
- > Master in International Energy (ENG)
- > Master in Journalism and International Affairs (ENG)
- > Master in Advanced Global Studies (one-year programme - ENG)

International Dual Master's Degrees with Bocconi University (Italy), Columbia School of International and Public Affairs (SIPA) (USA), Freie Universität Berlin (Germany), Georgetown University Law School (USA), King's College London (United Kingdom), London School of Economics and Political Science (LSE) (United Kingdom), MGIMO (Russia), Peking University (China), Stockholm School of Economics (Sweden), University of St. Gallen (Switzerland).

Dual Master's Degrees in France (FR) with Sorbonne université (Paris), Saint-Cyr Coëtquidan (Military Academy), AgroParisTech (Paris).

Sciences Po School of Public Affairs

The School of Public Affairs educates public affairs professionals who understand multiple layers of governance. Graduates can pursue a wide range of careers worldwide, spanning the public and private sectors and the local to global levels.

- > Master in European Affairs (FR & ENG) *
- > Master in Public Policy (FR & ENG) *
- > Master in Public Affairs (one-year programme - ENG)
- > Master in Arts & Politics (one-year programme - FR)

International Dual Master's Degrees with Bocconi University (Italy), Columbia School of International and Public Affairs (SIPA) (USA), Freie Universität Berlin (Germany), Fudan University (China), Graduate School of Public Policy, Hertie School of Governance (Germany), Lee Kuan Yew School of Public Policy (Singapore), London School of Economics (United Kingdom), Munk School of Global Affairs (Canada), University of St-Gallen (Switzerland), University of Tokyo (Japan).

Dual Master's Degrees in France (FR) with École du Louvre (Paris), HEC Paris, AgroParisTech (Paris), ISAE-SUPAERO (Higher Institute of Aeronautics and Space Engineering, Toulouse) and Saint-Cyr Coëquidan (Military Academy).

Sciences Po School of Research

The School of Research offers research-based Master's and PhD programmes in law, economics, history, political science and sociology. Graduates pursue teaching or research careers and senior positions in international organisations, consulting firms and businesses.

- > Master's and PhD degrees in Economics, History, Law, Political Science and Sociology (FR & ENG)

Dual Master's Degrees in France with École du Louvre, Inalco, and Sorbonne University (France).

International Dual PhD Degrees with Columbia University (USA), International Max Planck Research School (Germany), Northwestern University (USA) and the University of Cologne (Germany).

**Master's programmes in which it is possible to pursue an apprenticeship.*

Sciences Po Law School

The Law School educates high-calibre legal professionals with the skills to adapt and flourish in a constantly changing professional environment. Graduates become lawyers, work in business, economic regulation agencies or the judiciary.

- > Master in Economic Law (FR & ENG)
- > Master in Judicial and Legal Careers (FR)
- > Joint Master of Law and Finance (FR)
- > LL.M. in Transnational Arbitration and Dispute Settlement (one-year programme - ENG)

Sciences Po Urban School

The Urban School prepares students for urban governance in all its forms. Graduates find employment in the public, private and non-profit sectors at the local, national and international levels.

- > Master in Governing the Large Metropolis (ENG)
- > Master in Governing Ecological Transitions in European Cities (ENG)
- > Master in Regional and Urban Planning (FR) *
- > Urban Planning Programme (FR)

International Dual Master's Degrees with the London School of Economics (United Kingdom), El Colegio de México (Mexico) and Bocconi University (Italy).

Dual Master's Degrees in France with AgroParisTech (Paris), ISAE-SUPAERO (Higher Institute of Aeronautics and Space Engineering, Toulouse).

Sciences Po School of Journalism

The School of Journalism prepares students for careers in all sectors of the news media – written press, radio, television and the web. The programmes combine a solid foundation in the social sciences and practice-focused instruction provided by media professionals.

- > Master in Journalism (FR) *
- > Joint Master in Journalism and International Affairs (ENG)

Dual Master's degree in Journalism with Columbia Journalism School (New York).

CAREERS

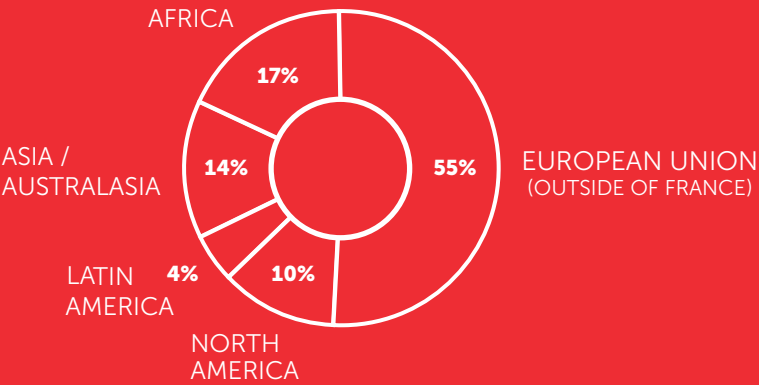
Sciences Po graduates are highly sought after by employers in both the private and public sectors.



COMMON PROFESSIONS FOR SCIENCES PO GRADUATES INCLUDE:

- > **Audit and Consulting:** 19% of graduates
- > **Public Administration, Public Sector:** 17% of graduates
- > **International Organisations:** 8% of graduates
- > **Banking, Finance:** 8% of graduates
- > **NGOs, Associations:** 6% of graduates

Sciences Po Graduates in the International Job Market



Figures based on a 2020 employment survey of Sciences Po graduates (Class of 2018)



SCIENCES PO CAREER SERVICES

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Sciences Po Careers support Sciences Po students and graduates in their professional development, starting from their first year as undergraduates and until two years post graduation.

Key figures

20,000 internship and job offers

8,900 monitored internships

240 professional integration workshops

More than

1,000 individual interviews per year

Preparing for professional life

- > Internships: search, monitoring, legislation
- > Workshops on a vast variety of subjects, dispensed by professionals (CV and cover letter; job interview simulations; career building...).

Guidance starting the first year of study

- > Individual advice and guidance; profile tests and assessments
- > Organisation of roundtables for specific professions or geographic areas
- > Events (conferences, presentations, seminars...) to raise awareness and transmit skills related to orientation and the job market.

Connecting students and employers

- > Recruitment events (job fairs, corporate presentations, case studies)
- > Posting of internships and job offers
- > Liaising with top employers.





CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Sciences Po educates decision-makers for the public and private sector in France and worldwide. After graduation, 97% of students find employment within a year of completing their degree, with 86% finding work in less than six months (Graduate Employability Survey, 2018).

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Where our graduates work

Strategy/Development, Audit/Consulting, Finance

- > Consulting and audit firms
- > Banking and finance industries, or in corporate management, strategy and business development positions
- > Financial regulatory authorities

Public Administration & Politics

- > EU institutions
- > National and local government authorities in France
- > Large companies that do business with public authorities or focus on European issues

Human Resources & Employee Relations

- > Public or private organisations in fields such as HR development, HR communications or employee relations
- > Recruitment firms, human resource consulting firms or corporate management positions

Marketing & Communications

- > NGOs, multinational corporations, media outlets, public institutions, fashion houses, industrial manufacturers
- > Consulting firms specialised in communications, marketing and advertising

Press, Media & Publishing

- > Television, radio, press agencies, newspapers, the web, etc.

International Cooperation & Development

- > World governance, intergovernmental organisations such as the OECD, UN, IMF, WTO, World Bank, etc.
- > Non-governmental organisations

Entrepreneurship

- > Start-ups, management of companies or lead entrepreneurial projects within public or private organisations

Legal Careers

- > Attorneys, barristers or solicitors
- > Legal departments of major companies
- > Legal experts in European or international organisations, both governmental and non-governmental

Careers in Urban Affairs

- > Consulting firms, architectural firms and design offices
- > Local governments or international organisations, development or urban planning agencies, and in property development
- > Social housing and real estate

Research & Think-Tanks

- > Academia
- > Research institutions
- > Think-tanks

But also

- > Environment, CSR
- > Technology, Data, IT
- > Culture and Film



ADMISSIONS

Our admission procedures are designed to give all talents their best chance to integrate Sciences Po. Candidates are given the opportunity to tell us about themselves, express their motivation, academic and professional goals, and put forth their strengths, foreign language skills and extracurricular activities. The selection of candidates is based on students' background and experience as well as their motivation and academic excellence.

Undergraduate Admissions

Student's Background

I will obtain a French Baccalaureate, either in France or abroad

I will obtain a foreign secondary school degree (high school diploma or equivalent)

Platform to Apply

I apply via Parcoursup

I apply on Sciences Po's website directly

4 Evaluations for Admission

Your application will be reviewed through 4 evaluations graded out of 20:

1/ Marks obtained on the French Baccalaureate exams or foreign equivalent

2/ Academic results obtained over the last three years of secondary school

3/ Three essays (academic background and interests, motivation, personal statement)

4/ Remote interview

What is the admissions procedure for CEP students (Conventions Education Prioritaire)?

Candidates from CEP-approved high schools (France only) follow the same admissions procedure and apply through a specific access route on the Parcoursup portal.

Undergraduate Dual Degrees

Dual degree admission is managed jointly by Sciences Po and the partner university. Depending on each programme, interested students must apply either via Parcoursup or via the Sciences Po portal, or via the partner university's website. See our website for more information.

Graduate Admissions

Master's Programmes Procedures

International procedure

French procedure

One-Year Master's programmes procedure

PhD programmes procedure

Who Can Apply?

Students who have completed or are completing their undergraduate education outside of France

Students who have completed or are completing their undergraduate education in France (Bac+3)

Young graduates (Bachelor's or Master's degree) with previous professional experience and early-to-mid career professionals. Please visit our website for specific admissions procedures

Students holding a Master's degree, post-graduate degree or an equivalent degree.

Application Process

Online application

Online application, followed by an interview

Online application

Online application

Graduate Dual Degrees

Sciences Po has partnered with internationally renowned universities to offer dual degree programmes at the Master's and PhD levels. Nearly all dual degree programmes are taught in English. Please visit our website for specific Dual Degree admission procedures.

Admission Decisions

International admission decisions are announced on a rolling basis, from December through to mid-June of every year. The decision will be sent within 3 months of the date of submission of the application.

French admission decisions are announced in May/June following the application submission.





TUITION FEES

At Sciences Po, we believe that financial barriers should never get in the way of education. Tuition fees are relatively lower than other world-class universities as a result of our proactive social policy to be an open and inclusive university.

Tuition fees are determined according to parents' tax residence rather than the student's nationality:

> Students whose parents' tax residence is within the European Economic Area pay fees according to a sliding scale, from €0 to €10,700/year for the undergraduate programmes and from €0 to €14,700/year for the graduate programmes.

> Students whose parents' tax residence falls outside of the European Economic Area will pay fees of €10,700/year for the undergraduate programmes and €14,700 for the graduate programmes.

Did you know?

In 2018, 33% of all Sciences Po students paid no tuition fees at all. Exemption is granted to CROUS scholarship holders, to non-scholarship holders from a low-income household, as well as to any student with a disability.

Tuition Fee Table for Students of the European Economic Area

Annual income per part	Undergraduate Tuition Fees	Graduate Tuition Fees
€66,584 and over	€10,700	€14,700
€43,250 to €66,583	€8,590	€12,360
€36,250 to €43,249	€6,880	€10,240
€30,250 to €36,249	€5,640	€8,560
€25,250 to €30,249	€4,490	€6,840
€21,250 to €25,249	€3,330	€5,010
€19,584 to €21,249	€2,160	€3,360
€18,984 to €19,583	€2,000	€2,700
€18,600 € to €18,983	€1,630	€2,270
€18,250 € to €18,599	€1,370	€2,050
€17,250 to €18,249	€1,100	€1,840
€16,250 to €17,249	€850	€1,380
€14,250 to €16,249	€540	€920
€12,584 to €14,249	€320	€530
€0 to €12,583	€0	€0

Tuition fees for the 2020-21 academic year

Please visit our website for specific One-Year Master, Dual Degree, PhD and Summer School tuition fees.



SCHOLARSHIPS AND FINANCIAL AID

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To ensure that all students admitted to Sciences Po can smoothly and successfully complete their studies, Sciences Po has substantially expanded its social aid policy.

European students

European students receiving the CROUS scholarship are not only exempt from paying tuition fees, but also receive a significant top-up grant from Sciences Po. Although European students are only eligible for the CROUS scholarship starting in their second year of living in France, Sciences Po substitutes the CROUS scholarship during their first year of studies.

Sciences Po also offers financial aid to European students with limited household income but who are not eligible for the CROUS scholarship.

What is a CROUS scholarship?

European students who have studied in France for at least one year are eligible to apply for the CROUS need-based scholarship. These need-based scholarships are awarded by the French Ministry of Higher Education and Research to students under 28 years of age depending on family situation and household income. In 2018, 26% of Sciences Po students were CROUS scholarship holders.

Non-European Students

A large number of scholarships and financial aid opportunities are available for non-European students, amongst them:

The Emile Boutmy Scholarship

This scholarship is awarded by Sciences Po to first-time applicants from outside the European Economic Area who demonstrate academic excellence and fulfill the profile requirements. This scholarship can take the form of a partial or full tuition fee waiver and in some cases an additional cost of living scholarship.

Eiffel Scholarship

The Eiffel Scholarship is awarded by the French Ministry of Foreign Affairs to candidates from emerging countries. Other scholarships and financial aid are available for students from outside the European Economic Area, among them the Mastercard Foundation Scholars Program, the Campus France Scholarship, and more.



Emile Boutmy scholars



HOUSING, WELFARE & SUPPORT

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Student Housing

The Sciences Po Housing Service can help you with your search for accommodation. Our staff will guide you towards the housing solution that best suits your needs. Various partnerships have been established allowing eligible students to receive accommodation in student residences.

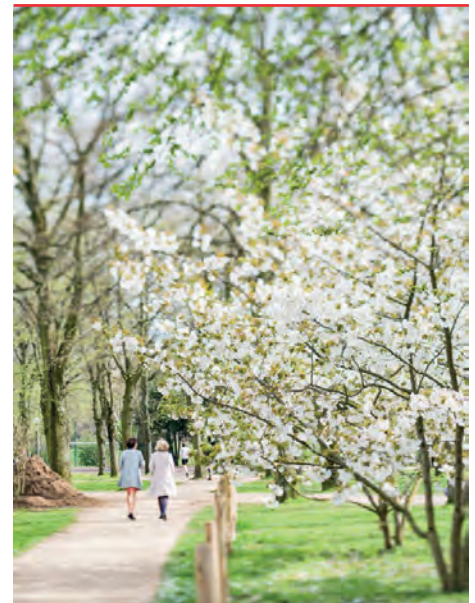
Student Welfare and Support

Sciences Po's Student Welfare and Support Office offers:

- › Information on the social security system and the healthcare system
- › Help with applying for housing benefits with the French governmental agency CAF
- › One-off emergency financial assistance under specific conditions
- › Help finding a student job
- › Help and information on your administrative formalities

Disability and Accessibility

If you have a temporary or permanent disability or disabling health condition, Sciences Po will ensure that you receive the necessary support and adjustments to complete your chosen programme and immerse yourself in student life. In 2020, 336 students with a disability studied at Sciences Po.





SUMMER SCHOOL

Two programmes, one unforgettable summer

The Summer School is an opportunity for students from all over the world to discover Sciences Po over the course of the summer. Participants have the opportunity to experience Sciences Po's academic environment and to become a part of its international community.

It features two distinct programmes: the University Programme, for university students and graduates, and the Pre-College Programme, for secondary school students.

The University Programme

The University Programme takes place on the Paris campus in two separate, four-week sessions during the months of June and July. Students have the choice to attend one or both sessions. Through its intensive academic programme, participants may delve into Sciences Po's core social sciences disciplines, study French language and culture, or mix both subjects.

The Pre-College Programme

The Pre-College Programme introduces secondary students to student life and academics at Sciences Po during two two-week sessions on both the Paris and Reims campuses. Open to students who are at least 15 years old at the time of the programme and enrolled in secondary school the following Fall.



THE WINTER SCHOOL (ONLINE)

In January 2021, the Summer School is also offering an online Winter School session during the winter break. Please visit our website for more information.





STUDENT LIFE

Over 275 associations

There are a thousand and one reasons to participate in community life! Culture, environment, education, solidarity, discovery, reflections and debates are just some of the diverse fields in which more than 275 associations take action on a daily basis on all of our seven campuses.



Members of the **Bollywood dance club**, a student association on the Le Havre campus.

A whole range of cultural and sporting activities

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Every year, the **Collégiades at Sciences Po** gather students from the seven campuses for athletic and artistic competitions.

1,500 events per year

Athletic competitions, festivals, public speaking competitions, theme weeks, art exhibitions: over 1,500 associative events make our campuses vibrate every day!



Students in the **group project Dance** on the Nancy campus.



Students in the **Sciences Po for Africa association (ASPA)** on the Reims campus.

Outstanding conference speakers

Leading figures from politics, business and academia regularly make presentations or participate in conferences at Sciences Po. Recent visitors have included Edouard Philippe, former Prime Minister of France, Jacinda Ardern, Prime Minister of New Zealand, Maria Fernanda Espinosa, President of the United Nations General Assembly, Ban Ki-Moon, former Secretary-General of the UN, Sundar Pichai, CEO of Google, Condoleezza Rice, former United States Secretary of State, Sheryl Sandberg, COO of Facebook, Eric Schmidt, Executive Chairman of Google, Joseph Stiglitz, American Economist, Nobel Laureate in Economics, Justin Trudeau, Prime Minister of Canada, Alexis Tsipras, former Prime Minister of Greece.



Paul Smith, Fashion Designer.



Justin Trudeau, Prime Minister of Canada.



Joseph Stiglitz, Economist.



Sundar Pichai, CEO of Google Inc.



Jacinda Ardern, Prime Minister of New Zealand.



RESEARCH AT SCIENCES PO

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At Sciences Po, more than 250 faculty members in the fields of humanities and social sciences study transformations at work in the modern world and the challenges they represent. With a firm focus on the **major challenges** facing society, research conducted at Sciences Po fuels and enhances public debate on issues such as public health, education, urban development, security, the environment and democracy all over the world.

Research by the numbers

250 academics

11 research centres

140 visiting researchers

2ND worldwide in Politics &
International Studies
(2020 QS Rankings)

360 PhD students

70 theses defended annually

40% of international PhD
students



Our Fields of Study

The research of our permanent faculty utilizes cutting-edge tools to further questions and develop knowledge in five major disciplines. Beyond traditional study, each discipline explores new questions, such as:

- > **In Law:** the globalization of legal practices, intellectual property in the digital age, protection of the environment and the commons;
- > **In Economics,** many research projects aim to revisit behavioural economics via the cognitive dimensions of economic choices or game theory;
- > **In History:** micro-history and comparative history approaches are developed in connection with global history;
- > **In Political Science,** issues surrounding the questioning of democracies and the emergence of populism in connection with citizens' confidence in elites are explored;
- > **In Sociology,** in addition to studying the fundamental question of inequalities, studies on gender and the environment take on a particular scale.

Finally, each subject strives to further develop Sciences Po's interdisciplinary tradition.



Research Centres and Programmes

Faculty members conduct their work in eleven research centres (seven of which are affiliated with the French National Centre for Scientific Research - CNRS): Centre for Socio-Political Data (CDSP), Centre d'études européennes (CEE), Centre for International Studies and Research CERI), Centre de Recherches Politiques (CEVIPOF), Centre for History, Centre for the Sociology of Organisations (CSO), Economics Department, Law School, the medialab, and the Centre for Studies in Social Change (OSC). The Observatoire Français des Conjonctures Economiques (OFCE) rounds out this network.

In addition to these units, there are five major cross-cutting research programmes: LIEPP (Laboratoire interdisciplinaire d'évaluation des politiques publiques), DIME-SHS (Données Infrastructures et Méthodes d'Enquête en Sciences Humaines et Sociales, The Max Planck Sciences Po Center on Coping with Instability in Market Societies (MaxPo), The "Cities are back in town" programme, PRESAGE, Research and Teaching Programme on Genre Studies.



EXECUTIVE EDUCATION

Reveal through education

It is becoming clearer each day that established knowledge and past experiences are no longer sufficient to face the current changes taking place in our society. For this reason, Sciences Po Executive Education established its mission to accompany executives, directors, and leaders in the public and private sector through their process of professional transformation and development.

Our pedagogy combines Sciences Po's expertise in the social sciences and interdisciplinary perspective with a firm foundation in professional realities. This unique outlook forms the basis of our 200 academic programmes, including degree-granting programmes, certificate programmes, and short or customized training programmes, which serve over 4,000 participants each year.

Transformative professional training

Custom programmes are tailored to meet the specific needs of your organisation. After mapping out and analysing the strategic issues to address, we work closely with you to craft a curriculum in line with your learning objectives. This collaborative approach ensures you develop the necessary skills and talents that will initiate, contribute and accelerate your organisation's transformation.

Expertise

- > Digital transformation of organisations
- > Public administration
- > International relations
- > Human engineering and "soft skills"
- > Leadership and management
- > Management and public relations
- > Communications and media
- > Human resources
- > Social protection and health
- > Business strategy and management
- > Territorial transformations, real estate and energy

Facts and Figures

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100 customised training programmes every year

4,000 participants every year

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