

# Classes internationales

## INTERNATIONAL INTEGRATION PROGRAM IN FRENCH

This one-year course will give you access to the best French Higher Education establishments and prepare you for the best Engineering programs in France.

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**Starting date: Tuesday, September 10<sup>th</sup>, 2024**  
Cergy Campus, France

# CY Cergy Paris University

Since the first of January, 2020, Cergy-Pontoise University and EISTI have merged under a new name: CY Cergy Paris Université. It is composed of **24,000 students**. ESSEC is associated with CY as a partner institution.

The academic course offerings are made up of an undergraduate university (CY SUP) and of five undergraduate and graduate schools, four within the university, with the fifth being ESSEC.

**In addition to ESSEC, the other graduate schools led by CY university are :**

- **CY TECH**

Specialized in Computer Science  
Applied Mathematics  
Civil Engineering  
Biotechnology & Chemistry  
Economics and Management

- **CY LAW AND POLITICAL SCIENCES**

Represented by Sciences Po St-Germain-en-Laye campus

- **CY EDUCATION**

Represented by INSPE, EPSS and ILEPS institutions

- **CY ARTS AND HUMANITIES**

Represented by the National Higher School of Arts Paris-Cergy (ENSAPC)  
The National Higher School of Architecture of Versailles (ENSAV),  
The National Higher School of Landscape Design (ENSP)  
The National Heritage Institute (INP)

## CY Tech

Located in Greater Paris and in Pau, CY Tech is primarily an Engineering Graduate School. It has earned the “Grande Ecole” status, the highest recognition stated by the French Ministry of Higher Education & Research. CY Tech is also a member of the “Conférence des Grandes Ecoles” (CGE), a French association that gathers elite higher education institutions, which meet strict criteria regarding the recruitment process, educational approach, international and corporate network.

Accessible after the completion of a secondary education diploma or through a dedicated post-secondary preparatory class, it delivers a Master’s degree in these four fields:

- Applied Mathematics
- Computer Science
- Civil Engineering
- Biotechnology & Chemistry.

Two university departments have been incorporated into CY Tech: [the Institute of Sciences & Techniques \(IST\)](#) and [the Institute of Economics & Management \(IEG\)](#), which broadens our overall course delivery in these specific areas.

# *Design YOUR life*

## Our mission Our values

The mission of CY Tech is to meet the rising expectations of both students and industry. Through innovative programs and faculty exchanges, we seek to provide our students with an ever-increasingly attractive educational experience. Students can choose undergraduate and graduate programs in both Engineering and Management disciplines. Students also acquire valuable knowledge and global managerial skills through internships and study abroad experiences with universities worldwide. Since CY Tech's inception, the institution has gradually adapted itself to the evolving economy that offers an extensive and diversified curriculum that meets a contemporary vision of today's world.

Its objectives are:

challenge-driven to prepare students and staff as global citizens and lifelong learners who care and act for the future of the planet and humanity

committed to the principles of openness and inclusion, by building open resources and collaborative platforms, endorsing open science agendas, and sponsoring the access, mobility and inclusivity mechanisms that liberate our intellectual and social potential.



# CY Tech International Involvement

CY Tech's international involvement is indisputable and includes work experience abroad, academic exchanges as well as dual degree options.

## **Our institution recently renewed an Erasmus Charter for Higher Education.**

This recognition demonstrates our expertise in mobility of students & staff and in strong cooperation for innovation and good practices under the Erasmus + policy.

**CY Cergy Paris University is a member of Campus France, the official agency for the promotion of French Higher Education worldwide.** CY Tech has also aligned with different European and international organizations and associations (EUTOPIA, EAIE, NAFSA, n+i Network, AIEA, ...) which aim to promote progress of international education.

## **CY owns a Language Centre and is also an ETS TOEIC Authorized Test Centre.**

Our university was recently awarded the **"Bienvenue en France"** label, which distinguishes French Higher Education institutions that have developed reception facilities dedicated to international students. **CY is establishing solid links with Chinese universities** which will contribute to the creation of a Franco-Chinese Institute to further internationalize its educational opportunities. One of the most remarkable achievements at European level is the recent development of an alliance of six like-minded universities, located in Belgium, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, the United Kingdom and France, entitled **EUTOPIA**.

The mission of EUTOPIA is to build in the long term a unique and daring alliance of transformative and engaged institutions. The alliance has developed strong ties within the regional communities, the institutional structures and the local companies. EUTOPIA students, researchers and staff work together to build a new academic model, reflecting an open and a united Europe, respectful of the citizens and the environment.

## **CY Tech diplomas require an official language certification in English as a Foreign Language**

as part of its national diploma recognition criteria. CY Tech will have signed 250 university partnerships worldwide within the two coming years, including more than 20 international dual degree options. A substantial number of cooperation programs allow the institution to enhance incoming mobility through its undergraduate, graduate and post-graduate English-taught course delivery. In keeping with CY Tech's global vision, our institution plans to open a campus in Singapore within the near future.

# What makes CY Tech Different?

## ONE AMBITIOUS VISION

CY, defined as a university of diversity, society-oriented and of international standing, seeks to educate new generations in the complex challenges of a globalized society in tune with the sustainable development objectives, academic excellence and quality student experience.

## A HIGH-PROFILE RANKING STATUS

National and international rankings, recognized by many specialized media and websites, show once again that CY course offerings are considered as one of the best in the fields of **Engineering, Management, Mathematics & Finance, internationalization and professional integration.**

## CUTTING-EDGE RESEARCH & TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER ACTIVITIES

Research and technology transfer are at the heart of the dynamics of CY Tech, whose missions contribute to the appropriation of scientific knowledge. CY Tech asserts its vision and pursues an active policy in technology transfer innovation of its research activities, conducted by recognized full-time researchers within its fourteen laboratories and five Open Labs in modeling and experimental sciences.

## A WIDE RANGE OF FACILITIES OFFERED AT THE CAMPUS

- Four libraries with over 2 million publications;
- Four university residences and private housing facilities;
- Student sports facilities with over 30 individual & team activities;
- Four student restaurants, four cafeterias;
- 47 student associations;

- A full package of cultural activities including a “cultural Pass voucher”, a special pass which offers discounts to theaters & cinemas bookings and to other cultural events in Greater Paris.



## A “BIENVENUE EN FRANCE” LABEL

This national recognition, awarded by our university, enhances our expertise dedicated to international students, mainly in the following areas:

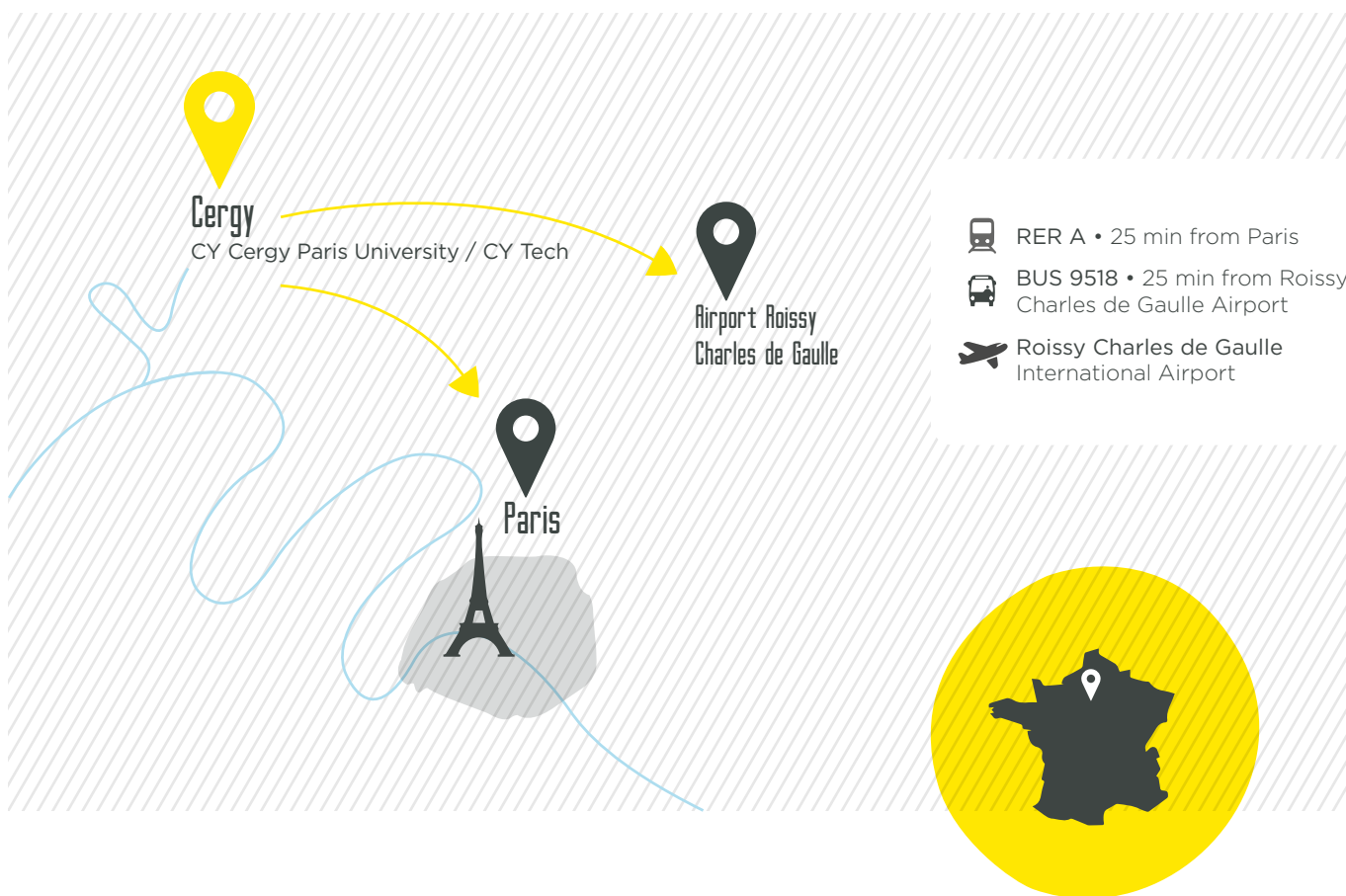
- Quality and accessibility of information & reception facilities;
- Tutorial support services;
- Housing facilities and campus life development;
- Post-graduate career development and alumni services.





# Have you ever studied in Europe?

CY Tech provides you with an exceptional opportunity to combine both advanced academic learning and a memorable French cultural experience.



## CY Tech Campus, an exceptional geographical location in Greater Paris

The Paris Region has much to offer to international students, such as history, art, culture on top of its academic & scientific excellence. It is a unique place to learn, discover, study, engage and exchange, a place where dialogue, fraternity, freedom and creativity will always prevail.

Paris has been listed in the QS best student cities ranking for many years. At only 25 minutes from the world famous Les Champs Élysées, or La Défense (one of the major futuristic skyscraper- packed, business districts in Europe) stands the city of Cergy-Pontoise.

The historic heart of Cergy-Pontoise thrives on a prestigious past which has often found itself at the crossroads of the history of France itself, as when the Royal Court resided there. Its fame was extended through the long residency of Camille PISSARRO, who painted the varied landscapes of the town and its nearby countryside in numerous works, which are now to be found in the greatest museums in the world. Blessed with rich heritage, Cergy-Pontoise became on March 30th, 2006, a member of the national network of towns and lands of Art and History.

This label, delivered by the Ministry of Culture and Communication, embodies a policy aiming to promote heritage and architecture. Today, Cergy is known as a vibrant student hub.

# The advantages of choosing CY Cergy Paris Université and CY Tech to study our international integration program in French

**A FRENCH LANGUAGE CENTRE LABELED QUALITÉ FLE (THREE OUT OF THREE STARS) SINCE 2022, WHICH RECOGNIZES BOTH THE QUALITY OF THE FLE LESSONS AND THE HIGHLY TRAINED TEACHERS**

## **THE RICHNESS OF A DYNAMIC PEDAGOGY**

- A team of specialists, experts in their field of intervention;
- Utilization of contemporary media and new technologies in the annual program;
- Conversation workshops led by French-speaking students.

## **THE DIVERSITY OF PEDAGOGICAL AND DIDACTIC TEACHINGS INTEGRATED INTO THE ANNUAL PROGRAM**

- Francophone cultures, phonetics, or structural approach;
- University methodology;
- French for Engineers;
- Francophone media and current affairs;
- Preparation for DELF and DALF certifications.

## **THE FIRST DELF\* AND DALF\* EXAMS ARE PAID FOR AT THE END OF THE ACADEMIC YEAR**

- **DELF:** Diplôme d'Etudes en Langue Française
- **DALF:** Diplôme Approfondi de Langue Française

## **PERSONALIZED SUPPORT**

- Appointment of a training supervisor;
- Multilingual welcome by our pedagogical and administrative teams;
- Individualized mentoring with a CY Tech student engineer to facilitate daily integration;
- Concrete assistance in administrative procedures through a single-window International Welcome Desk system (opening a bank account in France, setting up housing insurance and civil liability certificates upon arrival in French territory, housing offers, registration for social security and information on supplemental health insurance, visa process & renewal);
- Invitations to the associative and sports activities of our university throughout the year.

## **GEOGRAPHICAL POSITIONING ADAPTED TO YOUR AMBITIONS**

- A campus close to both nature and Paris;
- A dynamic environment with a large number of essential services and cultural establishments;
- Easy access to cultural outings to discover Val-d'Oise and the French capital (guided tours, museums, cultural sites, cinemas organized by our student associations);
- Access to numerous housing options both locally and in Île-de-France;
- The widest range of job placements nationally and internship experiences included in the future training program.



# International classes • Cergy Campus from september 2024 to june 2025

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**Number of teaching & supervised project hours:** 20 hours of classes per week for approximately 500 hours annually

## Course details

Intitulé du cours / Classes	Heures par semaine / Teaching hours per week
Médias et actualités francophones / Francophone media and current affairs	3h
Intensif niveau A2/B1 / Intensive Level A2/B1	4h30
Prépa DELF ou DALF / Preparation for DELF or DALF Certifications	2h
Au CHOIX : Cultures francophones OU Phonétique OU Grammaire / OPTIONAL: Francophone Cultures, Phonetics, or Structural Approach	1h30
4 compétences B1 ou B2 / 4 skills at the B1 or B2 level	4h30
FOS : Français de l'ingénieur / French for Engineers	3h
Méthodologie universitaire / University Methodology	3h
<b>TOTAL / Total</b>	<b>21h30</b>

## Objectives

- The one-academic year French as a Foreign Language program is designed to assist students in attaining DELF B2 or DALF C1 proficiency by the end of the academic year
- Facilitate the students' integration into specialized fields at CY Tech = Applied Mathematics and Computer Engineering.

## Curriculum

- **Francophone Media and Current Affairs**  
This course aims to enhance proficiency in written and oral French language skills through the analysis of current events (television news) and Francophone print media.
- **Intensive Level A2/B1**  
This course aims to improve oral and written French language skills at the A2 and B1 levels.
- **Preparation for DELF or DALF Certifications**  
The objective of this course is to prepare students for the DELF and DALF certifications through an overview of the exam format, methodology, and practice tests.

- **OPTIONAL: Francophone Cultures, Phonetics, or Structural Approach**

This course aims to explore French culture through cinema production in Semester 1 and the history of Paris in Semester 2. Phonetics: Concrete practice to improve French pronunciation. Grammar: Training to enhance French grammar and syntax.

- **4 skills at the B1 or B2 level**

This course aims to develop the 4 language skills in French at the B1 or B2 level.

- **French for Engineers**

This course allows future engineering school students to become familiar with the vocabulary, concepts, language situations and professional-oriented instructions in French.

- **University Methodology**

This course aims to develop the written and oral skills of the learner through French academic methodology (essays, presentations, academic writing).

## Accommodation

Private and public local student residences available.

We have chosen Studapart as our platform of reference for student accommodation. Studapart provides a wide range of housing options for students and enables them to book their accommodations in a timely manner. You can access the English version of the website through the following link: <https://www.studapart.com/en/studentaccommodation-cery>.

Students can also decide to book accommodations in Paris on their own initiative.





## Admission requirements

### THIS PROGRAM IS OPEN TO:

- Undergraduate students with a strong interest in the French language and in Applied Maths and/or Computer Engineering
- Age criteria: 18 + by September 2024
- Minimum attested proficiency level in French: A2.  
Complete beginners can progress up to A2 within the Alliances Françaises network in India before joining the program.

### PROGRAM COST

Program cost: 5 500 €

To begin the admissions process, you have to contact CY Tech International Office by sending an email with your details to the following address: [cytech.international@cyu.fr](mailto:cytech.international@cyu.fr)

Write now to apply: <https://omlogic.org/demo/design/classes-internationales-new/index.php>





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