

FAQ MA PIDA

Coming within the framework of individual mobility

Do you want to come at CY Cergy Paris Université as an individual applicant? All information may be found here: <u>https://www.cyu.fr/coming-within-the-framework-of-individual-mobility-1</u>

Campus France or E-candidat: where to apply?

If you are coming from a country in which there is a Campus France, you need to go via them. If not use the e-candidate platform.

English level – C1?

If you cannot provide a certificate and that you are pre-selected, we will check your level in English during the interview. It is always better to provide a certificate to make things easier though.

Recommendation letters?

The letters need to be written by teachers who know you, with the university mail of the professor who can then be contacted and on a letter head.

Cost of the MA? (2022/2023)

For French and EU students: 243 €

For International students: 3770 €

There are no scholarships available in M1.

Exemption of fees?

Once you have been accepted in the programme and if you are in a complicated situation, you can ask for an exemption of fees. Please contact: <u>bureaudesbourses@cyu.fr</u> - <u>bureauetrangers@cyu.fr</u>

Calendar for 2023-2024

The calendar is not yet available but the year will probably start on Monday 9 Sept 2024 (introduction meeting on Friday 6 September 2024 in the afternoon).

Then, we normally have the first semester from Sept to December - 12 weeks of classes and 2 weeks break in between. Then, the second semester generally starts in mid-January - 12 weeks with a two week break in between) - until the end of April 2024. May to the end of Sept is free.

Courses planning will be available in September 2024.

It is imperative to arrive in France for the first meeting (normally on Friday 8 Sept. 2024).

Internships for the M2s4

- What kind of internships are students allowed to apply for? If a student applies for an internship in a field unrelated to the program, will this be accepted?

The internships you can apply for often depend on the background of the student. This year, we have some students working for NGOs, Embassies, Newspapers and the University. We could have accepted a number of other possibilities depending on the choices of the students and the future

openings for jobs. This MA has a tailor-made approach to the needs of the students and we are willing to accept a number of possibilities if they are properly defended.

Are internship opportunities equal and plentiful for international students in France?

It depends: because of COVID 19, things have not been easy but all of the M2 students (apart from one) have found the internships they wanted.

Welcome booklet

All the information (campus France, EU and non-EU students, housing, visa etc): <u>https://www.cyu.fr/coming-within-the-framework-of-individual-mobility-1</u>

FLE – French Foreign Language

During your time in France you can take language courses in the university, all information into this link: <u>https://www.cyu.fr/clf-centre-de-langue-francaise</u>

Accommodation

The University has not got students' accommodation but it does provide the following link: <u>https://www.cyu.fr/international-accomodation</u>