PURPAN
ÉCOLE D’INGÉNIEURS
Life Sciences | Agriculture | Food Science and Technology | Marketing | Management
STUDY IN FRANCE

SUMMER 2022
Open to students from:

- Illinois
- Purdue University
- American University of Beirut
- Virginia Tech
- Colorado State University
- Tecnológico de Monterrey
- University of Florida
- Michigan State University
- Rutgers
- Kansas State University
- Washington State University
- University of Missouri
Designed to welcome students for either 4, 6 or 8 weeks (June-July) in a complete, “framed”, comfortable educational program.

No French required.
PURPAN is located in Toulouse, France
Between the Mediterranean sea and the Atlantic ocean, Toulouse rhymes with research, education, culture and quality lifestyle.

3 TOP CLASS TECHNOLOGICAL CLUSTERS

1. Aerospace Valley, a world center in aeronautics and space.
2. Agri Sud-Ouest Innovation, dedicated to agriculture and the agro-food industry.
TOULOUSE
"THE PINK CITY"
A cultural heritage, a prestigious "red and black" rugby team, the South-West atmosphere with delicious culinary specialties.

- **4th** most populated city in France
- **1st** Favorite city to study in France
- **3** universities and **17** "Grandes Ecoles"
- **114000** students (12% of the population)
- **2100** hours of sun per year on average

- **1h45** from the ski slopes
- **4h20** from Paris by train or **1 h** by plane
- **1h15** from the Mediterranean beaches
- **4h** from Barcelona and **3h30** from San Sebastian
- **3h** from the Atlantic surf beaches
- **2h45** from Andorra
From Monday, May 30th to Friday, June 24th, 2022

On-Campus Program: 4 weeks

Earn 9 ECTS
On-campus program schedule

**FRENCH & EU AGRICULTURE**

**1st week:** European « Agri-Culture » - Field visits: Toulouse, Carcassone

**2nd week:** European Animal Production & Economics
Field visits: PURPAN experimental farm, Roquefort cheese production

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<td>Lab work in food processing</td>
<td>Field visit: “Cité du Vin” in Bordeaux</td>
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**Gain 9 ECTS credits during the on-campus program**
(see home institution for number of US credits) / Transcript of Records
LAB WORK - CHEESE PROCESSING

FIELD VISIT IN A VINEYARD

WEEK-END VISIT - PYRÉNÉES
On-campus program details

**LIVING ARRANGEMENTS:**

- Student Housing with French & foreign students
  - Lunch meals at the student restaurant + stipend for other meals
  - Single occupancy room off-campus *(Desk, bathroom, shelves, closet, bed)*
  - Walking distance to classes

**COST:**

- Program fee (see home institution for cost)
  - Includes lodging and subsistence, full insurance, some cultural excursions and organized outings, field trips, academic materials, local transportation.
  - Does not include: airfare, personal expenses *(leisure, free week-ends...)*, passport fees, home university fees and costs.
Internship Program: 4 weeks

From Monday, June 27th to Friday, July 22nd, 2022

Earn 3 ECTS
Internship program

A 4-week placement, in July, on a farm or within an agri-related business (examples: Vineyard, winery, cheese making farm, ...).

Usually immersion within a family, English speaking or not, also interested in the cultural exchange; activities together or free at week-ends.

Take part in the everyday tasks on the farm, hands-on experience according to knowledge & experience.

Gain 3 ECTS credits during internship program (see home institution for number of US credits)/ Transcript of Records
Internship program
New Option, offered as an alternative to the 4-week internship

A two-week Study Tour in the Dordogne area

From Monday, June 27th to Friday, July 8th, 2022
Earn 4 ECTS
A TWO-WEEK STUDY TOUR IN THE DORDOGNE AREA

WHERE AND WHEN?

- In the Dordogne area
- 2.5 hour-drive from TOULOUSE
- Rural area
- 50% of the agricultural production of the Dordogne area is produced under specific QUALITY LABELS
- At the same time, very touristic area
- 1st French area in terms of rural tourism and direct sales from the farm operations
- From June 27th to July 8th, 2022
STUDY-TOUR FOCUSED ON QUALITY LABELS
Companies and farm operations to be visited during the 1st week

Focus on PLANT PRODUCTION:

Wine cooperative and vineyard under the appellation “Monbazillac”

Walnut operation and traditional walnut oil processing plant “Noix du Périgord”

CIREF (Experimental Center on strawberries) and a Strawberry farm “Fraise du Périgord”

Companies and farm operations to be visited during the 2\textsuperscript{nd} week

**Focus on ANIMAL PRODUCTION:**

- Geese and ducks traditional breeding farm to produce livers “Foie-gras du Périgord”
- Lamb production farm “Agneau du Périgord”
- Esturgeon farming at Domaine Huso where “Caviar de Neuvic” is produced
- Milk-fed veal operation “Veau du Périgord”
STUDY TOUR IN THE DORDOGNE AREA

SOME DETAILS

Academic details:
• Each week will bring 4 visits and one day of feedback.
• Students will be asked to make group presentation of the visits (oral + powerpoint) and to deepen the subject through bibliographical researches under the supervision of one faculty member of PURPAN.
• Evaluation: 20% participation in the visits, 80% final presentation.
• Credits attached to the 2-week course: 4 ECTS credits.

Weekend (July 2nd and 3rd) is free for students to visit the Dordogne area known as “The land of 1001 castles”.

Additional cost: 1,500 Euros. The additional cost includes all meals during weekdays, local transportation, lodging, visits and insurance.
Watch a brief summary of SSAP 2019:
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hhsJoF7XsOw&t=180s

Listen to what students of SSAP 2019 thought about the on-campus program:
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PmUf6ZKPBvs
THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION!

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