

UF IN PURPAN

EUROPEAN AGRICULTURE, FOOD CHAINS & FRENCH CULTURE | SUMMER C

COLLEGE INFORMATION

College of Agricultural & Life Sciences
Courses are taught by local French faculty

PROGRAM

UF in Purpan is a unique 8-week summer exchange program. Students spend the first 4 weeks on campus in Toulouse and then relocate to internship sites across France to complete the final 4 weeks of the program. While on campus students will participate in lectures, field trips, cultural visits and excursions to locations like Barcelona and the Pyrénées Mountains. The internship portion of the program allows students to gain practical work experience on a farm, within an agri-related business (equestrian center, cheese making farm, vineyard) or within a laboratory at Purpan.

LOCATION

At the crossroads of the Atlantic Ocean, the Mediterranean Sea, & the Pyrénées Mountains, you will find Toulouse. It is the 4th largest city in France with a student population exceeding 100,000. The city is famous not only for its aeronautics & space industry, but also for its cultural heritage & gastronomy. Internship sites are located in mostly rural areas across France.

EXCURSIONS

The main excursions of the program include weekend trips to the Pyrénées Mountains and to Barcelona, Spain. There are a number of course excursions including the French Roquefort Cheese factory, Languedoc-Roussillon vineyards and a French cooking school.

HOUSING

On-campus: Single occupancy student housing with a shared kitchen facility. Internship: On-site homestay with a French family.

LEARN MORE OR APPLY

UFIC Website
internationalcenter.ufl.edu

Application Deadline
February 6, 2025



COURSE INFORMATION

Required Courses:

- ANS 4905: Animal Production (1 credit)
- AEB 4905: Europe: Culture/Agriculture (1 credit)

Choose One:

- AEB 4905: Food Technology/Plant Science (3 credits)
- FRC 4905: Viticulture/Enology (3 credits)

Choose One:

- FRE 1180: Beginning French (3 credits)
- FRE 4956: Intermediate French (3 credits)

Choose One:

- AEB 4941: Food Resource Economics Internship (3 credits)
- HOS 4941: Viticulture Internship (3 credits)
- ANS 4941: Full-Time Practical Work Experience (3 credits)

Total Number of Credits Offered: 11 UF GPA



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SUMMER C: 5/26-6/20 (PROGRAM) OR 5/26-7/18 (PROGRAM + INTERNSHIP)

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

- Open to all majors
- Minimum 2.5 GPA
- Must be in good standing
- Must be willing and able to work on a farm

2025 PRICING

Program Fee: 3200 Euro + UF tuition based on residency

Students will receive three different invoices: one from Purpan (program fee), one from UFIC (health insurance), and one from the UF Bursar (tuition based on residency). A \$395 nonrefundable deposit toward the total cost of the program is due at the time of application. The remaining fees are due no later than 45 days prior to departure. If you receive financial aid, you can defer payment until it disburses. Deferment decisions will be based on the amount of aid to be received.

WHAT'S INCLUDED

Lodging, board, local transportation, cultural excursions and organized outings, field trips, academic materials. The off-campus program includes a single room with shared kitchen, lunch, and a meal stipend.

WHAT'S NOT INCLUDED

Tuition, round-trip airfare, meals, additional personal travel and expenses

FINANCIAL AID

Most financial aid that you would receive on campus can be applied toward the cost of this program. However, all financial aid eligibility is determined by Student Financial Aid & Scholarships.

SCHOLARSHIPS

UFIC offers many study abroad scholarships, with various eligibility criteria. The Summer 2025 scholarship deadline is February 6, 2025. Apply on our website!



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