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Paris - La Sorbonne

Summer University 2019





L'Université d'été en Sorbonne

Qu'est-ce que c'est ?

- One of the world's first universities located on the original medieval foundations in the heart of Paris and beyond (13th c.)
- The largest institution dedicated to the study of literature, languages, civilizations, arts, humanities and social sciences in France today
- Over 400 students of all ages from all around the world are welcomed each July to one of Europe's most prestigious universities for a moment of culture and exchange
- Sorbonne professors offer beginner to advanced French as a foreign language courses, evening conferences in humanities and arts in French or in English, and optional cultural excursions



Courses, Tuition, Room and Board



The Sorbonne University offers, in collaboration with SIAL, French courses (as a foreign language). Each course is 2 weeks long.

6 levels are available: level A1.1, A1.2, A2, B1, B2, and C1 (Common European Framework of Reference for Languages).

A1.1, A1.2, A2 and B1 40 hours in total

The hours of courses for these levels consist of general French courses only, during which students work on several skills: oral comprehension, written comprehension, oral expression and written expression. The chosen themes and media further enable participants to become familiar with different aspects of French education and University system, and the history of the Latin Quarter.

Schedule

Monday to Friday
9:30am - 12:00pm and 1:00pm-2:30pm

A tour of the Sorbonne is offered with the courses. Evening conferences are also free of charge for participants of the French courses.



Level Test

Unless you are a beginner, testing is compulsory if you cannot provide official proof of your level in French. The test can be taken online.

Dates

A1.1: 1st until the 12th of July 2019
A1.2: 15th until the 26th of July 2019
A2: 1st from the 12th of July 2019
B1: 15th until the 26th of July 2019
B2: 1st until the 12th of July 2019
C1: 15th until the 26th of July 2019

Fees

A1.1: (40 hours): 800 €
A1.2: (40 hours): 810 €
A2: (40 hours): 810 €
B1: (40 hours): 810 €
B2: (40 hours): 1 210 €
C1: (40 hours): 1 210 €

Selection and Documentation



Selection Criteria

- Completion of French 101 or above in Spring 2019 semester and concurrent enrollment in French 102 or above in Summer 2019
- 3.0 graduation GPA or above and in previous French courses
- 12 credit hours completed at Harold Washington College prior to study abroad semester
- Two Interviews
 - Department: World Languages Department Chair and French Faculty
 - College: Administrator, World Languages Department Chair and accompanying French Faculty member, Wellness Center and Student Government Association representative
- Demonstrate the ability to work collaboratively and to travel and study intensively in a foreign setting

Required Documentation

- Copy of current passport or resident card and related visas, if applicable, valid for entry into France and re-entry into the United States at least 6 months beyond travel dates
- Official College Transcript(s)
- Three Recommendations
 - French Faculty Evaluation
 - Non-French Faculty member letter
 - Employer or member of the community letter
- Resume/Curriculum Vitae
- Application Essay

College Mission / Student Learning Outcomes



Core Values:

- embrace human diversity
- care about the whole student
- offer responsive and relevant education
- pursue academic excellence
- assess to improve learning
- build community
- foster global citizenship for social justice

Learning Objectives:

- create a forum in which students can further develop all aspects of their French language skills by actively engaging in the acquisition of language and culture in an immersion environment
- provide students with on-site opportunities to explore, experience and appreciate the people, culture and history of France
- evaluate cross-cultural situations and consider potential outcomes to negotiate cultural differences in an authentic environment

Learning Outcomes:

- student video blogs
- civic engagement vox pox project
- social media takeover
- cultural event showcasing student Paris cultural research project
- 4 college credits
- Sorbonne certificate
- provides future framework for other Departments and Colleges
- bridge to UIC and other study abroad programs

Expenses

Euro to \$
Conversion
Rate
1.38 € to \$
2/27/2019



Expense Category	Unit	Unit Price	Participant Count	Total	Notes
Sorbonne Tuition	Two weeks/40 hrs	810 €	10	\$9217.80/8100 €	
Airfare (Students and Chaperones)	Roundtrip Airfare	\$1,700	12	\$20,400	Earlier scheduling will reduce the cost.
Housing (Students and Chaperones)	Reservations are 3 weeks	750 €	12	\$10242/9000 €	21 Nights (3 wk reservation policy with food included)
Insurance	Monthly Price Per Person	\$75	12	\$900	Number will change based on ages of students
Transportation	Weekly Transit Passes	39.70 €	12	\$813.14/714.60 €	1 week unlimited rides is 19.85 Euro
Per Diem Food (TBD as food may be included with housing)	Standard SGA per diem rate	\$175	12	\$28,358 (SGA est.)	First and Last Day travel is 25% of \$175
Excursions	TBD	Seeking donations	12	TBD	
Approximate Total:				\$69,930.94	
SGA 40%:				\$27,972.38	
Remainder to be Funded:				\$41,958.56	

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