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MIEM Excellence Scholarship Campaign Université de Paris

Application Guide 2021/2022

1. What is a MIEM Excellence Scholarship?

The MIEM programme, financed by the Université de Paris' IdEx label, aims to promote the internationalization of master's programs and help attract the best foreign students to constitute a pool of excellent potential future PhD students. The university is thus equipping itself with a system for training foreign scientists who are experts in their fields and future academic or senior executives in their home country or in France. This programme also aims to train future highly qualified professionals who will participate in the economic and social development of their home country.

2. Which Masters are eligible for MIEM excellence scholarships at the Université de Paris?

MIEM scholarships are intended for foreign students coming to study at Université de Paris in one of the master's pre-selected by the Faculties of Sciences, Health, Social Sciences & Humanities (SSH) and IPGP (Institut de Physique du Globe).

You will find the list of eligible masters on the website: https://u-paris.fr/choisir-sa-formation/

For programs taught in English: https://u-paris.fr/en/programs-taught-in-english/

Please check the curriculum for any prerequisite and language requirements.

3. How many MIEM excellence scholarships are awarded? Of which amount?

91 scholarships will be awarded to students admitted to the courses listed in the call for applications.

The scholarships are distributed as follows:

- Science Faculty: 35 scholarships (8 K€ each).
- Health Faculty: 28 scholarships (10 K€ each).
- SSH Faculty: 35 scholarships (8 k€ each).



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- IPGP: 7 scholarships (10 K€ each).

This may however not be cumulated with another scholarship. It is awarded for one year, non-renewable and without the possibility of deferment.

4. Who can apply?

Only students applying for the pre-selected masters programs are eligible for a MIEM scholarship.

Eligibility requirements

Students eligible for this scholarship programme must be:

- of foreign nationality and primo (first)-applicant at a French university
- a foreign baccalaureate holder or national diploma certifying completion of secondary education (that corresponds to the international ISCED/ISCED level3).

• The following are not eligible for the programme:

- Students with a French baccalaureate, but who have studied abroad
- Foreign students holding a French National Diploma of Higher Education and/or whose last diploma was obtained in France - Students with dual nationality

Level of access

- Master 1 for students holding a bachelor's degree or a foreign degree equivalent to a bachelor's degree
- Master 2 for students holding a foreign degree equivalent to Master 1 in France

In addition to these general criteria, each master's degree will apply its own selection criteria.

The application will only be admissible after the student has been accepted into the envisaged and eligible Master's programme.

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5. How to apply?

The student's application takes place in three stages:

Step 1:

Students send their application to the International Relations and Strategy Office (SRI): scholarship.programs.miem-mires@u-paris.fr

Please note that only complete applications will be accepted. Each candidate is asked to check that his/her application file is correctly completed and that all supporting documents are attached.

If this is not the case, the SRI office has the right to turn down the candidate's application.

Deadline: 1 February 2021

Step 2:

The International Relations and Strategy Office (SRI) communicates the candidates' files to the faculty councils that select the laureates.

Each Faculty council will be responsible for selecting the recipients of the MIEM scholarships and establishing a main list and a secondary list of candidates, in order of academic merit.

Step 3:

The International Relations and Strategy Office (SRI) will communicate the results to all candidates by email.

The laureates will have 15 days from the date of receipt of the email to come forward and accept the scholarship. After this deadline, he or she will automatically be considered as having renounced and a candidate from the secondary list will be contacted.

Date of information: 15 April 2020

Expected answer from candidate: between the 1st and 15th day of receiving

the email

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6. What are the obligations of the laureates?

Academic obligations

Université de Paris' MIEM scholarship holders have the following obligations under penalty of suspension of the scholarship:

- be registered in one of the eligible courses offered at the Université de Paris
 be present at the beginning of the academic year (1st September 2021).
 to follow the courses assiduously
- answer the follow-up questionnaire that will be sent to him/her during the course of the course
- register on the University's Alumni group and answer the survey on the student's future after graduation

The student, winner of the scholarship, must be registered by September 1st, 2021 at the latest. Beyond this date, the scholarship will be forfeited for good.

Financial obligations

This scholarship is paid (into a bank account in France) after the student has been duly registered in one of the eligible courses, has presented himself/herself in person at The International Relations and Strategy Office (SRI) and has signed a certificate of commitment.

Assistance may be offered to scholarship holders in finding accommodation.

False declarations:

In the event of false declarations in the application file for the MIEM scholarship, Université de Paris reserves the right to refuse or terminate the grant of the scholarship and to take legal action

Information

For any further information, please contact: <u>scholarship.programs.miem-mires@u-paris.fr</u>