



Université de Cergy-Pontoise

PROFILE

A distinctive identity

- 150 degree programs at Licence, Masters and Doctoral levels in most of the major fields of learning
- 19,250 students in initial or continuing education and training
- 1,500 foreign students
- Wide variety of disciplines: Biology, Chemistry, Civil Engineering and Infrastructures, Computer Science, Earth Sciences, Economics, Electrical Engineering and Industrial Computing Science, English, Environment, Finance and Banking, Geography, German, History, Law, Logistics, Management, Marketing Techniques, Mathematics, Modern Literature, Physics, Production Organisation and Engineering, Spanish, Transportation, training of the teachers..
- 20 research teams, including 9 associated with the Cnrs (French National Research Centre)
- 1,600 permanent staff members, faculty and associated professionals

A genuine local base

The university operates in four administrative departments (Val-d'Oise, Yvelines, Hauts de Seine, and Essonne), reinforcing the status of Cergy-Pontoise and Val d'Oise as a university cluster for the northwest part of the Ile-de-France region. The university's offerings expanded in 2007 with the incorporation of a formerly independent teacher-training institute.

An international reputation

The university enjoys solid local and national recognition, which provides the basis for growing international renown.

- 450 business partners (work placements, apprenticeship tax, research contracts, etc.)
- 150 foreign university partners in Africa, Australia, Brazil, Canada, China, Europe, Japan, Korea, Russia, United States, Vietnam, Latin America, India and elsewhere for teaching and research programs.
- 14 percent foreign students representing 84 different nationalities
- Special French Language and Culture Course (CILFAC) for international students
- Foreign Students Office providing assistance for all administrative procedures and housing.
- Possibility of housing in public university residences (CROUS) and private residence halls.
- European Credit Transfer System (ECTS)



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A university on the move

- 1:24 faculty-student ratio
- 1,500 computers in 93 computer rooms (access to Internet, word-processing programs, etc.)
- total library capacity of 1,575 places (11,600 sq. metres divided between the main site of 6,000 sq. metres in centre city and 4 other nearby sites), open 60 hours a week, 50 weeks a year, online catalogue
- Young staff members: 40 years of age on the average
- Modern, computerised management
- Wide use of information and communication technologies

A recognised university

The Université de Cergy-Pontoise is rated:

- First French university for Literature
- Second French university for History and Geography
- Third French university for Law
- Fourth French university for languages
- First multidisciplinary French university for the resources offered to students and the successful completion of their studies (L'Etudiant magazine, March 2005)

Cergy-Pontoise, a dynamic centre of cultural, economic and university activities

- More than 30,000 students at 11 institutions of higher learning
- An attractive area for business: more than 44,000 companies settled in the Val-d'Oise department, 400 new arrivals each year, 800 foreign companies including a concentration of Japanese firms which is unique in France.
- 16 movie theatres, 19 museums, 3 theatres, concert halls, music festivals, the Cergy-Pontoise sports and recreation park (250 hectares, including 150 hectares of water areas, land and water sports activities).

IDENTITY FORM

Precise name of the institution →	Université de Cergy-Pontoise
Type of institution →	Public
City where the main campus is located →	Cergy-Pontoise
Number of students →	19,250
Percentage or number of international students →	14%
Type and level of qualifications awarded →	• Licence • Masters • Doctorate • National and institution-specific diplomas
French language courses →	Yes
Programs for international students →	Yes
Programs in English →	Yes
Registration fees / year (for information only) →	Between 0 euros (exchange students) and 200 euros (+ health coverage: 190 euros)
Postal address →	33, bd du Port - 95011 Cergy-Pontoise

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