Université de La Réunion

Institution's profile

Created in 1970 with faculties of economics and law, letters, and science, the Centre Universitaire de La Réunion became the Université de La Réunion in 1982.

Today's Université de La Réunion is a comprehensive university offering degree programs follow European standards and the Licence-Master-Doctorate (LDM) system. The university's offerings are organized into 4 major divisions: law, economics, and management; literature and humanities; science, technology, and health.

With its main site in the Moufia neighbourhood of the capital city of Saint-Denis, it has more than 10,000 students, including 590 foreign students from 45 different countries, who thus account for 5 percent of the total student body.

Occupying four sites (two in Saint-Denis, one each in Saint-Pierre and Le Tampon), the Université de La Réunion consists of 4 faculties, 2 institutes, and 19 offices, including an interdisciplinary doctoral program, a UNESCO chair, and various service departments.
A new school of food science, the Ecole Supérieure d'Ingénieurs de Développement en Agroalimentaire Intégré (ESIDAI : www.univ-reunion.fr/~esidai), opened in fall 2006.

The university also has 17 advanced research laboratories, including some that are affiliated with the Centre National de la Recherche Scientifique (CNRS) and have acquired an international reputation.

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Numerous services give students the resources and tools they need to succeed–among them libraries, computer facilities, language laboratories, a broad array of athletic and cultural activies ….

As the only French university in the Indian Ocean, the Université de La Réunion seeks to reflect Europe and its democratic policies and practices. It is a regional center of French culture and learning. Reaching out to all countries of the region, the university maintains teaching and research partnerships with Madagascar, Comores, Seychelles, Mauritius, Australia, and South Africa.
Owing to its exceptional geographical location in the heart of the Indian Ocean, the Université de La Réunion, which is the only French and European university in that region, is committed to reflecting Europe and its policies and maintains strong ties with Europe, notably through Erasmus exchanges (50 partner universities).

Institution's website
http://www.univ-reunion.fr

Identity form

Precise name of the institution :	■ **Université de La Réunion**
Type of institution :	■ **Public**
City where the main campus is situated :	■ **Saint-Denis**
Number of students :	■ **10,000**
Percentage or number of international students :	■ **590 foreign students**
Type and level of qualifications awarded :	■ **Other national diplomas** ■ **Own degree** ■ **Other degrees**
French language courses for international students :	■ **No**
Study programmes for international students :	■ **Yes**
Training programmes in English :	■ **No**
Registration fees for the year (for information only) :	■ **Licence (L1, L2 and L3): 394 euros including insurance** ■ **Masters (M1 and M2): 443 euros including insurance** ■ **Doctorate: 552 euros including insurance**
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