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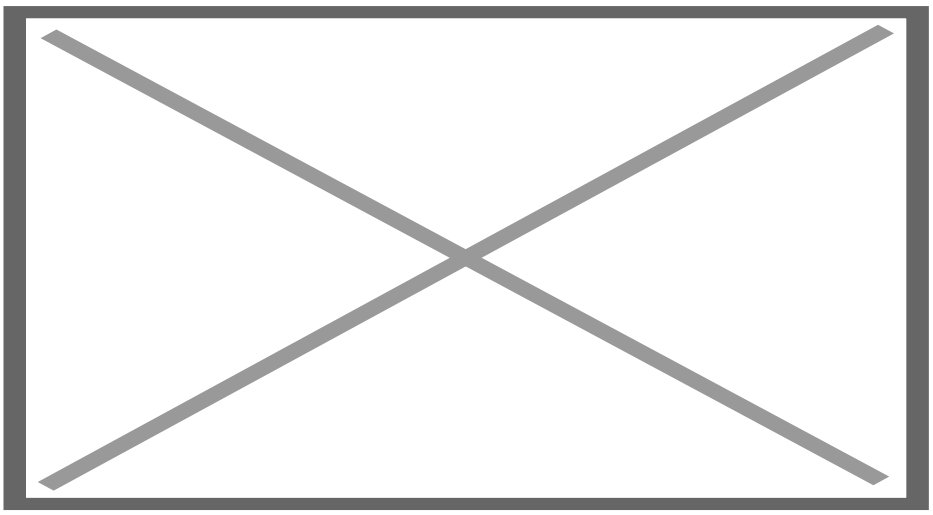
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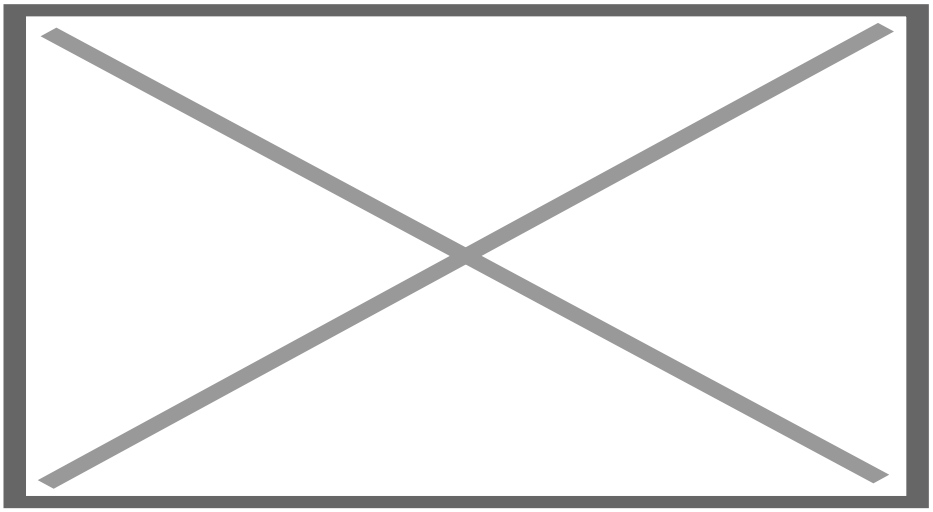
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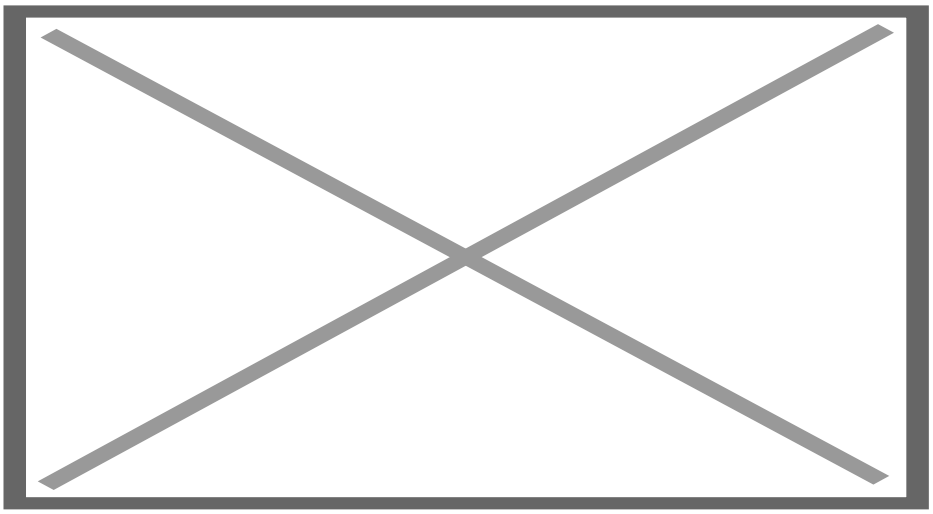
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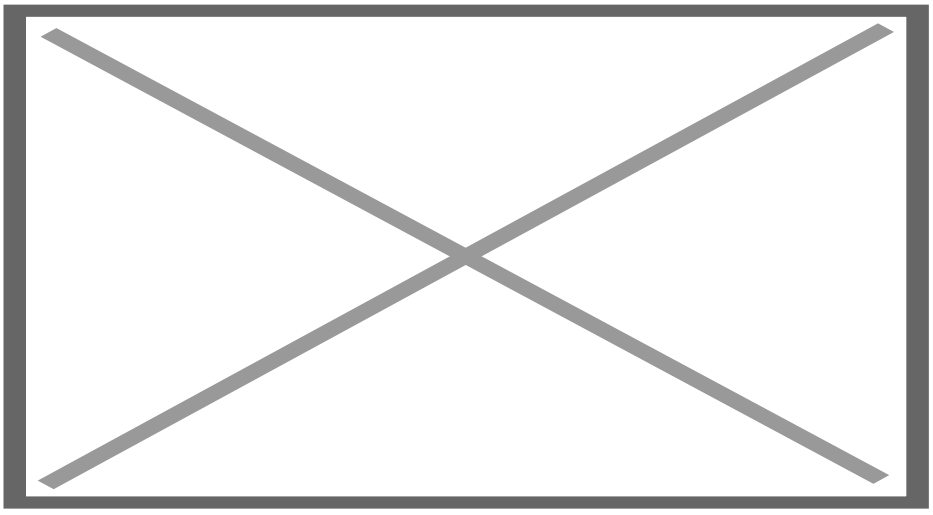
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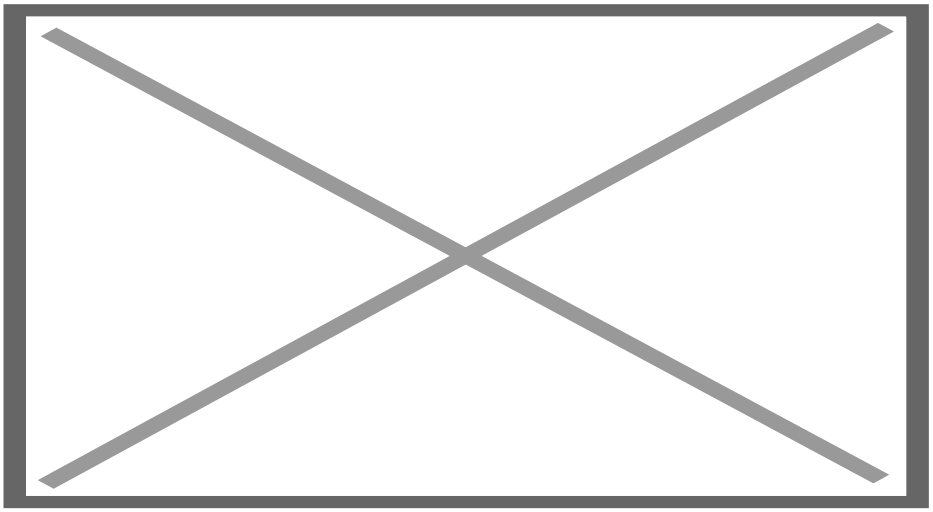
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Présentation

Skills

Develop competencies in sociological reasoning.

Objectives

The master's program in sociology at Paris-Saclay University groups all sociology programs of Paris-Saclay's partners based on common educational objectives: teaching the fundamental concepts and paradigms of sociology, learning the different survey methods, developing a critical and reflective attitude, writing a master's dissertation, and professional or research internships.The objective of this program is to prepare students to write a thesis in quantitative or demographic sociology or to begin working after their master's degree managing socio-economic studies, or head of a mission, or statistician. To do this, they will acquire the technical skills needed to collect, process and analyse quantitative data as well as the reflective ability to apply reasoning and a heuristic approach to social sciences. The dissertations developed over the 2-year program as well as the internships during their M2 will greatly contribute to their career development either by working in a team or a research unit or by working in a company (design office, consulting firm, in the department responsible for studies and statistics in an administrative or government office, etc.).

Admission

Admission Route

Economics
Sociology
Social sciences

Mathematics and computer science applied to human and social sciences

Capacity

Available Places

20

Target Audience and Entry Requirements

Access to M2 requires prior training in social sciences as well as training in quantitative methodologies. Applicants must have obtained good results in both these disciplines.

Période(s) de candidature

Inception Platform

From 01/07/2026 to 31/07/2026

Supporting documents

Compulsory supporting documents

Motivation letter.

All transcripts of the years / semesters validated since the high school diploma at the date of application.

Curriculum Vitae.

Additional supporting documents

Certificate of French (compulsory for non-French speakers).

VAP file (obligatory for all persons requesting a valuation of the assets to enter the diploma).

Document indicating the list of local M2 choices available here : https://urlz.fr/i3Lo.

Supporting documents :
- Residence permit stating the country of residence of the first country
- Or receipt of request stating the country of first asylum
- Or document from the UNHCR granting refugee status

- Or receipt of refugee status request delivered in France
- Or residence permit stating the refugee status delivered in France
- Or document stating subsidiary protection in France or abroad
- Or document stating temporary protection in France or abroad.

Programme

Subjects	ECTS	Semester	Lecture	directed study	practical class	Lecture/directed study	Lecture/practical class	directed study/practical class	dist lear cou
Séminaires de recherche de laboratoire 1	2	Semestre 1	0						
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Topics in quantitative sociology	3	Semestre 1	24						
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UE libre 2	3	Semestre 2							
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Séminaire de recherche de laboratoire 2	2	Semestre 2		0					
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Social inequalities	3	Semestre 2	24						
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Population health	3	Semestre 2	24						
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Class, race, gender - Rethinking intersectional class analysis in the 21st century	3	Semestre 2	24						

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Suivi des mémoires de recherche et des rapports de stages	15	Semestre 2		15					

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Statistiques appliquées aux sciences sociales 3	4	Semestre 1	24	12					

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Analyse des données textuelles	2	Semestre 1	12						

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Demography	3	Semestre 1	18						

Charger le détail

Methods in quantitative sociology	3	Semestre 1	24						

Charger le détail

Analyse de réseaux	2	Semestre 1	12						

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Suivi des mémoires de recherche	6	Semestre 1		15				

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Charger le détail UE libre 1	3	Semestre 1						
Charger le détail Sociologie de la culture	3	Semestre 1	24					
Charger le détail Sociologie des élites	3	Semestre 1	20					
Charger le détail Sociologie du suicide	3	Semestre 1	20					
Charger le détail Sociologie de l'environnement	3	Semestre 1	20					
Charger le détail Place, market and inequality	3	Semestre 1	24					
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Subjects	ECTS	Semester	Lecture	directed study	practical class	Lecture/directed study	Lecture/practical class	directed study/practical class
UE libre 3	3	Semestre 2						
Charger le détail Projections démographiques	2	Semestre 2	12					
Charger le détail Assistanat de recherche	3	Semestre 2						
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Subjects	ECTS	Semester	Lecture	directed study	practical class	Lecture/directed study	Lecture/practical class	directed study/practical class
Fabrication d’enquêtes Charger le détail	3	Semestre 2	18					
Science des réseaux sociaux et économiques Charger le détail	3	Semestre 2	24					

Teaching Location(s)

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