



## International master's scholarship program of Université Paris-Saclay Academic year 2017-2018

### Questions / answers

#### How can I apply for a scholarship?

First you need to apply for a master's program and be accepted.

Only students admitted into a UPSaclay master's program and who receive an automatic message inviting them to apply for a scholarship can apply on line.

#### How can I apply for a master's program?

Master's applications are submitted on line from the Université Paris-Saclay website:  
<https://www.universite-paris-saclay.fr/fr/formation/admission>

You can apply for up to 7 different master's programs.

#### I have been accepted into a Université Paris-Saclay master's program. Can I apply for a scholarship?

No, only students who receive an email from the Université Paris-Saclay inviting them to apply for a scholarship can submit an application.

Spontaneous applications are not accepted.

#### How do I know if I am selected for the scholarship program?

Students who have been admitted into a master's program at Université Paris-Saclay whose applications have been selected, receive an automatic email informing them that they can apply for a scholarship.

#### I received an admissions email to a master's program. Does this mean I have also been awarded a scholarship?

**No, being admitted into a master's program of the Université Paris-Saclay does not automatically entitle you to a scholarship.** Only students who have applied for a scholarship and whose application has been approved by the scholarship jury, will be awarded a scholarship. **The winners of the scholarship program of UPSaclay receive an email informing them that they have been awarded a scholarship.**

#### I have been admitted into a master's program but have not received an automatic email inviting me to apply for a scholarship. Can I still apply?

No. If you have not received an email inviting you to apply for a scholarship, it is because your application was not considered eligible. As a result, you cannot apply for a UPSaclay scholarship.

**If I am not contacted by email, can I still apply for a scholarship?**

No, spontaneous applications are not accepted.

**I have been admitted into several master's programs and I received an automatic email inviting me to apply for a scholarship. Is my application valid for all the master's programs in which I have been accepted?**

No. The automatic email states the master's program for which the online scholarship application applies. The application is only valid for this master's program.

**Each scholarship application is associated to one particular master's program and does not apply to another master's program.**

**I applied to several master's programs at Université Paris-Saclay and I received several automatic emails inviting me to apply for a scholarship. Can I complete several online applications?**

If you are accepted in several master's programs of Université Paris-Saclay, your application may be selected several times. You can, therefore, submit several application forms.

If you obtain a scholarship for several masters, you must choose one of them.

**Can I transfer a scholarship that was awarded for a master's program to another master's program?**

No, the scholarship is only valid for the master's for which you were accepted and for which you submitted an application.

**I have been selected during the first wave. If I do not respond within the allotted timeframe, will my application still be valid for the second wave?**

Yes, but we advise you to respond within the allotted timeframe.

**I have been accepted in M1 and have been invited to apply for a scholarship. If I am awarded the scholarship, will I continue receiving it the following year (2018-2019) in M2?**

Yes but only if you earn the necessary credits to enter into M2.

**My studies include a period of time studying in another establishment other than the one where I am registered (example: dual degree). Will I continue to receive my scholarship during this period?**

Maintaining your scholarship while studying in another establishment, other than the one where you are registered, will be determined on a case-by-case basis.

**Can I combine the Université Paris-Saclay scholarship with another scholarship?**

Yes, but the amount of this second scholarship must not exceed 600€ per month.

**I have completed my online application for a scholarship. One of my two referents does not respond. Does this pose a problem?**

Yes, your application must include two recommendations, otherwise it will be ineligible.

**I completed my online scholarship application. One of my two referents does not respond. Can I provide the contact information of another referent?**

No, this is not possible.

**How do I know if my scholarship application is complete?**

Your application will be complete when the two referents have completed and validated their recommendation form. You will automatically receive an email after each validation.

**You will not receive any email informing you that your application is complete.**

It is your responsibility to make sure your two referents complete the form before the deadline.

**I missed the deadline to submit my application form. Is there anything I can do to remedy this?**

No, no further appeal is possible.

**How will I know which scholarships were awarded?**

All Université Paris-Saclay scholarship candidates, whether they were awarded a scholarship or not, will be informed of the jury's decision by email.

**I am on the waiting list. When will I be informed if I have been awarded a scholarship?**

Waiting list candidates will be informed by email when other students refuse their scholarships.

**Please note that some students may refuse their scholarships late, around end of August, for example.**

**Will I receive my scholarship before I leave for France?**

No, you will receive the first installment of your scholarship approximately six weeks after you arrive in France. Make sure you have enough money to pay for your housing fees, administration fees, health insurance...

**Can I have an advance before I leave for France?**

No advance payments are possible.

**Which establishment will pay my scholarship?**

The establishment you are registered in is responsible for paying your scholarship.

**If I am awarded a scholarship, do I have to pay the registration fees?**

Yes.

**How much are the registration fees?**

**Registration fees (260€) and subscribing to student health insurance (250€) are mandatory. You will need to pay these fees when you register.**

Please note that **education fees** are sometimes required for certain international master's programs. For more information, please refer to your master's academic department.

**What are the closing dates for the different application waves for the Université Paris-Saclay scholarship program?**

The deadlines are mentioned in the automatic email that you will receive if you are eligible to apply for a scholarship.

**I received a scholarship but I have decided to postpone my studies for a year. Can I keep my scholarship for the following year (2019/2020)?**

No. If you postpone your studies, the scholarship is lost.

**Where can I find information on the Université Paris-Saclay scholarship program?**

You can download from this webpage the document with all related information.