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Application Procedures

- If you are from one of ESSCA’s partner universities, please contact your student exchange coordinator or international office.
- If you are from another university, please contact ESSCA directly (see below) and make sure to mention that you wish to be considered as a “free mover.”
- A 550 TOEFL score is required for non-native English speakers. Students whose home university language of study is English are also exempt.

Practical Information

- ESSCA student services in Angers can place semester-long students in one of ESSCA’s partner residence halls as well as assisting candidates in their search for accommodations and also with their administrative formalities.
- For further information on ESSCA’s Angers campus: www.essca.fr/en > About ESSCA > Our Campuses > ESSCA Angers

Testimonial

DIEUWERTJE WOUDSTRA
University of Twente, Netherlands

“ My exchange semester at ESSCA has been a rollercoaster ride! I have met so many nice people from all over the world as well as trying to keep up with 7 courses this semester (the Dutch system works differently with 3-4 courses per quartile) so in the beginning it took some time to get used to. The courses were taught in small groups which increased student interaction and makes you prepare the material more thoroughly! The Maine-et-Loire region is beautiful, both in winter and summer and I loved the fact that cycling was encouraged in Angers by the free bike system and cycle paths all around the city. All in all, a fantastic experience that I will never forget.”
# Undergraduate Courses

**FALL SEMESTER (SEPT-DEC)**

**Core Courses**
- International Trade and Export Diagnosis
- Coordinating Marketing Strategy and Operations Management
- International HRM and Corporate Social Responsibility
- Financial Management

**Electives**
- European History and Politics
- European Sustainability Policies
- Intercultural Dynamics
- Contemporary European Politics
- Sport in Business, Society & Politics
- Negotiating in a multicultural context
- International Corporate Finance
- Wine Marketing
- Social Innovation, Business & Society
- Varieties of Capitalism in a Globalised World
- Digital Society
- Advanced Microeconomics for Managers
- French as a Foreign Language
- Mythes et fondements de la société française I & II

**SPRING SEMESTER (JAN-MAY)**

**Core Courses**
- International Trade and Export Diagnosis
- Coordinating Marketing Strategy and Operations Management
- International HRM and Corporate Social Responsibility
- Financial Management

**Electives**
- Business Simulation
- International HRM and Corporate Social Responsibility
- Coordinating Marketing Strategy and Operations Management
- International Trade and Export Diagnosis
- Wine Marketing
- Social Innovation, Business & Society
- Varieties of Capitalism in a Globalised World
- Digital Society
- Advanced Microeconomics for Managers
- French as a Foreign Language
- Mythes et fondements de la société française III & IV

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## Testimonial

**Christopher Antonopoulos**  
Australian National University, Canberra, Australia

I didn’t know much about Angers before arriving, except that it had a large student population, although I did use the website and Facebook pages which were useful. I chose to study in France because I wanted to learn the language. My international experience was really enjoyable; I liked the fact that ESSCA has such an international community. Studying abroad exposes you to new cultures; you become a ‘global citizen’. Having this experience is something that many employers are looking for.

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# Graduate Courses

**To avoid possible scheduling conflicts, please select courses, when possible, from only one area of study or ask for academic information and/or assistance.**

## MASTER’S 1 - FALL SEMESTER (SEPT-DEC)

- Leadership and Strategy
- French as a Foreign Language
- Management:
  - Project Management
  - Information Systems and Operations Management
- Marketing:
  - Taking Decisions and Monitoring Performance in Marketing
  - Innovation and Creativity
  - Consumer Behaviour

**Electives**
- International Economics
- Marketing Essentials
- Fundamentals in Finance
- Economic and Managerial Perspectives of the Firm

## MASTER’S 2 - FALL SEMESTER (SEPT-DEC)

- French as a Foreign Language
- Entrepreneurship:
  - Business Modeling
  - Business Planning
  - Business Traction
  - Social Business and Digital Business
  - Entrepreneurial or Business Development Project
- International Business:
  - International Business Strategies and Negotiation Techniques
  - International Trade Legal Environment

**2 specialisations:**
- International Sales
  - International Sales Development
  - International Trade Marketing
  - Sourcing and Purchasing
  - Logistics for Trade
  - International Sourcing and Purchasing
  - IT for Supply Chain Management

**Electives**
- Corporate Financial Management:
  - Advanced Management Accounting
  - Advanced Corporate Finance
  - Internal Auditing and Risk Management
  - Project Financial Management
- Consumer Goods Marketing:
  - Brand Management
  - Sales Development
  - Retailing
  - Digital Expertise 360

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Courses are weighted 6 ECTS unless otherwise indicated. All ESSCA course offerings are subject to change.

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