

HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCE

# Master in Urban planning and design

Urbanisme et aménagement



**Target level**  
Baccalaureate  
+5



**ECTS**  
120 credits



**Other duration**  
2 ans



**Component**  
Institut  
d'Urbanisme et  
de Géographie  
Alpine (IUGA)



**Language(s) of instruction**  
English, French

## Subprograms

- > Urban planning and urban project (UPU)
- > Urban design (DU)
- > Urban planning and international cooperation (UCI)
- > International cooperation in urban planning (ICUP)  
2nd year
- > Urban planning and design 1st year / Continuing education

- Urban planning and International Cooperation - UCI
- Urban Design - DU
- International Cooperation in Urban Planning - ICUP

All of these programs, open to students in initial and continuing education, offer classes given by researchers and practitioners who, throughout the four semesters of teaching, alternate theoretical approaches, practical approaches and professional role-playing in various educational forms (lectures, seminars, individual or collective tutorial classes, project design workshops or missions dedicated more specifically to research, graduation project). Getting this master's presupposes considerable dedication on the part of the student, vouching for the quality of his or her future professional commitment.

The objective of the program is to endow students with a solid grounding in the contemporary city and the tools required for its study, planning and management.

More specifically :

- The Urban planning and Urban project programs aims to prepare students for a career in urban planning in the field of regional planning, urban project and urban project management
- The Urban planning and international cooperation and International cooperation in urban planning programs aim to prepare students for a career in urban planning and development in the context of implementation of international projects and cooperation and development schemes



The master's in Urban planning and design is a international interdisciplinary program that prepares student for a career in urban planning. This master's degree is organized over two years and based on four teaching careers :

- Urban Planning and Urban project - UPU

The Urban design program aims to prepare students for a career in the design of public spaces, urban projects and project coordination (urban and territorial).

**International education** : Internationally-oriented programmes


## Admission

### Access conditions

The selection is done by a commission on the base of candidates' CV and an interview that has the objective to check whether they have acquired the language and/or urban planning skills required for direct admission to the master.

Public continuing education : You are in charge of continuing education :

- if you resume your studies after 2 years of interruption of studies
- or if you followed training under the continuous training regime one of the previous 2 years
- or if you are an employee, job seeker, self-employed

If you do not have the diploma required to integrate the training, you can undertake  a validation of personal and professional achievements (VAPP)

### Candidature / Application

The selection is done by a commission on the base of candidates' CV and an interview that has the objective to check whether they have acquired the language and/or urban planning skills required for direct admission to the master.

### Fees

Tuition fees 2019-2020 : 243 €

## And after

### Additional information

Urban planning, Urban project and Urban planning and international cooperation (for at least some of the students) are offered alternately : one week of classes and three weeks in the context of a company or a public authority, internship, apprenticeship or contract of professionalisation. The second semester of Urban design, Urban planning and international cooperation (for non-apprentices), and International cooperation in urban planning is entirely devoted to professionalization or research internships in France or abroad. From the 1st year, a specific course is offered to the public in training throughout his life (continuous training). It consists of one week of training per month and gives access to the different courses of the 2nd year master.

## Useful info

### Contacts

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### Course location(s) - City

 Grenoble

### Campus

 Grenoble - Vigny Musset

# Program

## Specifics of the program

The Urbanism and urban project course is spread over two years

- MASTER 1 : The 1st year's master includes a major of teaching (80%) gathering the base of knowledge of the urbanism and the planning : knowledge of social sciences applied to the city, knowledge of urbanism, knowledge and methodological tools, urban policies and strategies, city management, as well as a minor of teaching prefiguring the course in 2nd year. These specific lessons focus on the theoretical foundations of the urban project, the factory and the management of the spaces of the city. Throughout the year, students participate in an urban project workshop that follows an order from public authorities, public, parapublic or private bodies with which the Institute establishes an agreement.
- MASTER 2nd year : In the second year, the master is offered alternately : a week of courses and three weeks in the context of a company or a public authority, internship, apprenticeship or contract of professionalisation. The 2nd year's master is also open to students in continuing education
- Professional contract : It concerns students who take part in an alternation of one year in the framework of an agreement which links the company or the public collectivity. Pace of alternation: 1 week of classes and 3 weeks in a company
- Learning :It concerns students under 26 years old, who carry out a one-year apprenticeship within the framework of an agreement that binds the company or the public collectivity and FormaSup Isère Drôme Ardèche
- Pace of alternation: 1 week of classes and 3 weeks in a company
- Traineeship : It concerns students who are doing an internship of maximum 6 months (full-time) within the framework of an agreement that binds the company or public authority and the Urban Planning Institute of Grenoble

### Urban planning and urban project (UPU)

### Urban design (DU)

### Urban planning and international cooperation (UCI)

### International cooperation in urban planning (ICUP) 2nd year

## Master 2nd year

### Semester 9

Nature	CM	TD	TP	Crédits
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UE Polyglot project	UE	20h	1 credits
UE Professional management and skills	UE	6h 55h	4 credits
UE Urban planning technics	SUBJECT		8 credits
Applied urban morphology	SUBJECT		
Building with local materials and people	SUBJECT		
Collaborative and participatory mapping	SUBJECT		
Social urban development	SUBJECT		
Planning the post-crisis city	SUBJECT		
UE Regional and international studies	UE	37h 8h	6 credits
UE Research seminar	UE	15h	1 credits
UE Urban planning and design workshop	UE	100h	6 credits
UE Research Methodology	UE	21h	3 credits
UE Participatory project management	Teaching Unit (UE)		3 credits
UE English	UE	24h	3 credits
UE French as a foreign language	UE	20h	3 credits

## Semester 10

	Nature	CM	TD	TP	Crédits
UE Internship	Teaching Unit (UE)				10 credits
UE Master thesis	Teaching Unit (UE)				20 credits

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