PARISTECH INTERNATIONAL ADMISSION PROGRAM

SCIENCE & ENGINEERING, FRANCE

“9+9 PROGRAM”

Q&A SESSION

- September 3, 2020 -
ParisTech: The alliance of prestigious graduate schools in engineering & science in France
7 GRADUATE SCHOOLS IN PARIS
3 CAMPUSES
KEY NUMBERS

- 12,000 students
- 1,500 PhD candidates
- 1,500 professors
- 120 partner companies
- 90,000 alumni
- 68 international agreements
- 56 teaching and research chairs
PARIS TECH INTERNATIONAL
INTERNATIONAL

30% International students

70 Nationalities

68 Agreements with international partner universities
STUDYING AT PARISTECH
9+9 ADMISSION PROGRAM
PARISTECH SCHOOLS RECRUITING THROUGH THE 9+9 PROGRAM

6 « Grandes Écoles »
In Engineering & Science

3 Campuses
Paris, Saclay, Marne-la-Vallée
### PARISTECH GRANDES ÉCOLES AND THEIR SPECIALTIES

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9+9 ADMISSION PROGRAM - "DIPLÔME D'INGÉNIEUR" FROM A "GRANDE ÉCOLE"
WHAT IS THE "GRANDE ÉCOLE" MODEL?

A UNIQUE MODEL

- Highly selective schools
  
  Acceptance rate of Preparatory Classes = around 7%
  Acceptance rate of ParisTech Schools = around 5%

- Excellent level in Mathematics, Physics and Computer Science

- Multidisciplinary studies and development of professional skills, such as Economics, Management and Communication.

- High-quality and innovative teaching methods.

- A teaching faculty bringing together professors and experts from companies

- A limited number of admitted students enabling a personalized curriculum (small groups, Student-Faculty ratio 5:1)

STRONG LINKS WITH COMPANIES

- Compulsory internships throughout the curriculum

- Multiple interactions between Schools laboratories and companies R&D centers
ADVANTAGES OF STUDYING AT PARISTech: A WARM WELCOME

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS SERVICES

- Accommodations
  - Most schools have accommodations on their campus
  - Affordable rents: ~ 380 € /month
  - Possibility of accommodation allowance
  - Average living costs in Paris: ~ 800 € /month

- Assistance with visa procedure

- Intensive Language Training Programs

- Mentoring by senior students & Alumni

- Active participation in student activities
ADVANTAGES OF STUDYING AT PARISTech:

SCHOLARSHIPS

ParisTech supports French and international student mobility through

- The French government’s Eiffel Scholarship and scholarships of the French embassies (BGF)
- Scholarships provided by the China Scholarship Council (9+9 program, double degree agreements, doctoral exchange ..)
- Scholarships provided by the foundations of ParisTech schools

To learn more about the scholarships & support: https://paristech.fr/en/node/6449
• Agreement signed in 2015 between ParisTech and the CSC for the « 9 + 9 » program, that also includes the double degree programs between ParisTech schools and their Chinese partner universities. Each year, around 50 CSC scholarships are awarded within this agreement (scholarship amount: 1250 €/month, for 18 to 24 months + a roundtrip airfare).

• Students can also apply to the French government Eiffel scholarship.

In 2018 : 44 new students admitted in 9+9 program, 50 in Double Degree Programs.
• 60 governmental scholarships were granted for 2 years.
  • China Scholarship Council (CSC): 50
  • Eiffel (French Ministry of Foreign Affairs): 10
## ADVANTAGES OF STUDYING AT PARISTECH: AFFORDABLE TUITION FEES

Admitted students may benefit from a partial or full tuition fee waiver (full tuitions costs amount to up to €17,000 a year) for the duration of their studies at their host ParisTech Grande École. Admitted students pay tuition fees at home university. There is a fee waiver for Eiffel and BGF scholarships recipients.

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*NB: Full cost of a "Diplôme d’ingénieur" per year = 17 000€ (on average)

**CVEC: Contribution to student and campus life

*Index 2020-2021. Tuition fees and others are subject to annual review
<p>« 9+9 » PROGRAM: CHINESE STUDENTS AT PARISTECH SINCE 2000</p>

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Since 2000: 1219 Chinese students enrolled in a ParisTech’s engineering schools through the 9+9 program.

Since 2013: 204 Chinese students were admitted in ParisTech double degree program.
STUDYING AT ParisTech
9+9 ADMISSION PROGRAM
The Chinese admission program for the ParisTech schools’ engineering degrees is called the « 9+9 » program. The whole admission process is completed in English. Nonetheless, the interview in October can either be done in English or French.

**CALENDAR FOR APPLICATION**

**APPLICATION**
(6 June – 30 September 2020)

**SCIENTIFIC TEST**
(October 13, 2020)

**INTERVIEW**
(October 19-26, 2020)

**RESULTS**
(November 21, 2020)

**START OF STUDIES IN FRANCE**
(September 2021)

Upon admission to a ParisTech school students will have to learn French from December 2020 to June 2021 (if they do not already speak French).

Students wishing to get a CSC scholarship should apply before the end of March each year. Please note that the process of applying to a CSC scholarships requires your home university’s support.
STEPS FOR THE ADMISSION PROGRAM

STEP 1: ONLINE APPLICATION – June 1, 2020 to September 30, 2020

Go to: https://paristech.fr/en/international/china/china-admission-program

Carefully read all information on the page.

Then to continue, follow the link to the online application form in “How to apply”.

Submit your online application form to ParisTech before September 30, 2020
INTERNATIONAL ADMISSION PROCESS: 9+9 GRADUATE PROGRAM

STEPS FOR THE ADMISSION PROGRAM

STEP 1: ONLINE APPLICATION – June 1, 2020 to September 30, 2020

Once you are on the online application form page, please pick the right campaign – in your case, China.
INTERNATIONAL ADMISSION PROCESS: 9+9 GRADUATE PROGRAM

STEPS FOR THE ADMISSION PROGRAM

STEP 1: ONLINE APPLICATION – June 1, 2020 to September 30, 2020

Once you have created your profile, an email with your token will be sent to your mailbox. **Save the email / information in it, you will need it to go back to your online application!**

You can access your file either with the token or by clicking on the link in the email.

ParisTech : Temporary connection token

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Dear applicant,

You have requested an authentication token for the ParisTech International Admission Program:

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This token will be available until Tue, 08 Dec 2020 19:07:52 +0100.

You can now access your candidate space to complete your application.
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You can access your file either with the token or by clicking on the link in the email.
INTERNATIONAL ADMISSION PROCESS: 9+9 GRADUATE PROGRAM

STEPS FOR THE ADMISSION PROGRAM

STEP 1: ONLINE APPLICATION – June 1, 2020 to September 30, 2020

Once you are connected to your candidate space, click the green line to start or edit your application.
**INTERNATIONAL ADMISSION PROCESS: 9+9 GRADUATE PROGRAM**

**STEPS FOR THE ADMISSION PROGRAM**

**STEP 1: ONLINE APPLICATION – June 1, 2020 to September 30, 2020**

Follow the steps, fill the information, upload your documents. You can save a draft anytime, and fill the form progressively.
INTERNATIONAL ADMISSION PROCESS: 9+9 GRADUATE PROGRAM

STEPS FOR THE ADMISSION PROGRAM

STEP 1: ONLINE APPLICATION – June 1, 2020 to September 30, 2020

N.B. Regarding the submission of information about your referees, once you submit your application on the last page, your referees will receive an email requesting the reference. **If you change your referrals’ names and emails after submitting your application, your new referral(s) will not receive an email. To make sure they do, please contact the jury to let us know** (china-admission@paristech.fr).
INTERNATIONAL ADMISSION PROCESS: 9+9 GRADUATE PROGRAM

STEPS FOR THE ADMISSION PROGRAM

STEP 1: ONLINE APPLICATION – June 1, 2020 to September 30, 2020

N.B. If after submitting your application, you change some information on your file, do not forget to click again on “submit” for these information to be saved (if you only “save as draft”, they will not be saved).

You may save your application at any time. Once your application is complete, please click on Submit otherwise it will not be proceeded by the ParisTech Admission Team. You can always change your application – even if it has been submitted – until the submission deadline.

If you change any information after submission, you have to submit your application again.

PREVIOUS  SAVE AS DRAFT  SUBMIT
INTERNATIONAL ADMISSION PROCESS: 9+9 GRADUATE PROGRAM

STEPS FOR THE ADMISSION PROGRAM

STEP 2: SCIENTIFIC TEST – October 13, 2020

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, this year the scientific test will be organized only online. If your application is successful, you will receive a notification to attend the scientific test by October 5, 2020.

Please note that to make sure everyone’s connection is functioning properly for the test on October 13, a 30 minute mock test will be organized on October 7, 2020.

Please note that the test will be in English (don’t forget to revise your scientific English!).

![Exam center screenshot](image-url)
INTERNATIONAL ADMISSION PROCESS: 9+9 GRADUATE PROGRAM

STEPS FOR THE ADMISSION PROGRAM

STEP 3: INTERVIEW – October 19, 2020 to October 26, 2020

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, this year all interviews will be conducted online. If you successfully pass the scientific test, you will receive a notification to attend an interview by October 16, 2020. You can either use French or English during the interview.

Your recommendation letters should be uploaded on the platform before October 12, 2020, so that the jury can read them before the interviews. Please keep in touch with your teachers to make sure they upload them.
**INTERNATIONAL ADMISSION PROCESS: 9+9 GRADUATE PROGRAM**

**STEPS FOR THE ADMISSION PROGRAM**

**STEP 4: JURY & RESULTS**

Your application form, results to the scientific test, and your interview will all be taken into consideration by the jury.

Before the jury takes its decision, and if you successfully pass both the scientific test and interview, you will be asked to rank the schools that selected you, before November 13, 2020. Please note that MINES ParisTech | PSL organizes scientific interviews with candidates selecting their school.

Results will be published on November 21, 2020.
9+9 Admission Program Tips
FAQ

If you have any question about the international admission program, check our FAQ!

You can find it here: https://paristech.fr/en/international/china/china-admission-program
Go to [https://paristech.fr/en/international/china/china-admission-program](https://paristech.fr/en/international/china/china-admission-program), and check “How to apply”

In Step 2, you will find instructions, level of difficulty by subject expected to be mastered by participants, a sample test...
9+9 ADMISSION PROGRAM - TIPS

TESTIMONIALS

To check testimonials from Chinese students of ParisTech schools (and a lot more content on our schools, from our schools’ directors...), follow our Bilibili channel!

For a very complete testimonial of a student admitted at MINES ParisTech in 2019, with great tips on how to prepare for the test and interview, it’s here: https://paristech.fr/en/actualites/discover-how-jing-wang-student-wuhan-university-managed-be-admitted-paristech-school
To learn about our schools, ParisTech events, research at ParisTech, our alumni and their careers, don’t forget to follow our WeChat and Weibo accounts:

9+9 ADMISSION PROGRAM - TIPS

MORE QUESTIONS?

Write us an email! china-admission@paristech.fr

or leave a message from your candidate space!

If you need to contact the ParisTech jury president, please complete the frame below.

Your request:

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