

Call for application – Gap Year, scholarship of EDUC (European Digital UniverCity) physical mobility program for students, in the academic year of 2023/2024

Dear Student of the University of Pécs,

The EDUC Alliance is pleased to announce its physical mobility program for BA/BSc and MA/MSc students of the University of Pécs.

- > Would you like to study at a French university for five months and gain new experiences?
- > Do you speak French at least at the B2 level?
- Do you intend to attend courses other than the subject of your degree?

The Gap Year program offers all of these! We are looking forward to your application!

You will find the details of the scholarship on the following pages.

EDUC Gap Year
Scholarship in France
Call for application

Period: Academic year 2023/2024
Spring semester
More information: nemeth.judit@pte.hu











Opportunities offered by the scholarship:

- Students who win the scholarship will participate in academic studies at a French university.
- Students will study in the same status as at their home university. Their scholarship is tuition free.

Aim of the scholarship:

- to gain new experiences in education, languages, and culture at the host university
- to allow to achieve the educational, language, and cultural experiences
- to foster the development of the student's personal skills
- language immersion through the practice of French or other languages taught at the host university (English, German, Italian, Spanish, Portuguese, Arabic).
- to let the students try themselves in different fields of science than their degree
- to let the students experience the intercultural openness in the dynamic university campus in Paris

Students who take part EDUC Gap Year program:

- spend 4-5 months abroad
- get tuition fee Gap Year Scholarship
- **enroll at their home university as active students,** pay for their occurrent tuition fee at their home university, and get their scholarship for the duration of their stay abroad
- have to gain a minimum of 25 ECTS at the French university
- can not take part Stipendium Hungaricum Scholarship or Scholarship for Christian Young People during the duration of the Gap Year Scholarship

University participating in the program:

- University Paris Nanterre (UPN)
- University of Rennes (UR)

Who can apply? (Terms and Conditions):

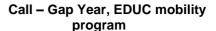
- BA/BSc or MA/MSc students of the University of Pécs
- those students who have active or passive status at the University of Pécs in the semester of the
 Gap Year and they do not get their diploma before the end of the Gap Year mobility period
- students with a minimum B2 French language certificate













who meets other scholarship requirements

Please note that most of the courses offered by the French university are in the French language; only some of them are in English.

Please note that credit acceptance for the scholarship is impossible at the University of Pécs.

Parts of the application:

- 1. Online application form
 - please fill it in the English language
 - the application form is <u>here</u>

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2. Motivation letter:

- Up to one-page letter, in which the applicant explains the reason for their application, the
 contribution of the Gap Year to the development of their career, social, European, and
 other skills, and their future socio-professional integration. Link of the motivation letter:
 HERE
- 3. Copy of certificates of language proficiency:
 - French B2 or C1 certificate
- 4. Documents demonstrating public and/or scientific activity

Please send all documents to nemeth.judit@pte.hu at the same time as the application but no later than the deadline for applying, 26 October, 2023 14 pm.

The application will be evaluated according to the following criteria:

- validation of the provided documents
- content and quality of the cover letter
- elements that need to be included in the cover letter
 - o new skills development
 - linguistic and cultural skills development
 - o European openness
 - o assets for social and professional integration
 - o coherence of selected courses with the mobility project of the student

Amount of the scholarship:

- 600 €/month
- travel cost: for one semester 400€

The hosting university enters into a student contract with the applicant.











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Please note that the scholarship amount does not necessarily cover all expenses during the stay, so it may need to be supplemented by other sources.

Deadline and submission of application:

- Not later than Monday, 26 October 2023, at the following link
- We do not accept incomplete, non-compliant, or post-deadline applications.

Please check the course lists of the hosting university before applying.

- UR: https://www.univ-rennes.fr/en/programmes-taught-english

French speaking students can look into the University catalogue of programmes: https://formations.univ-rennes.fr/

- UPN: https://formations.parisnanterre.fr/fr/index.html

Evaluation:

A professional committee will evaluate the submitted application by 11 November 2023. The winning applicants will be contacted by e-mail.

Contact:

• in study cases: Judit Németh, Institutional Erasmus+ Coordinator: nemeth.judit@pte.hu







