

ECOLE NATIONALE SUPÉRIEURE D'ARCHITECTURE DE PARIS LA VILLETTÉ

Academic year 2026/2027

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The international relations service **is not in charge of the PhD student** wanting to stay at ENSAPLV. These students can contact the **research service**: Caroline VARLET, responsible of the research service (caroline.varlet@paris-lavillette.archi.fr).

CALENDAR AND KEY DATES

ACADEMIC CALENDAR ACADEMIC YEAR 2026/2027	<p><i>Please note: the dates indicated are PROVISIONAL and COULD BE CHANGED.</i></p> <p>1st semester 2026/2027: Fall semester (dates to be confirmed)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ From 25/08/2026 to 13/09/2026 : Optional intensive French courses prior to the start of the academic year. A fee of 50€ is charged to the student. ▪ 15/09/2026 : Welcome meeting for incoming students and meeting with professors of ENSAPLV ▪ End of September 2026 : Beginning of courses of the first semester ▪ End of January 2027 : End of the first semester <p>2nd semester 2026/2027: Spring semester (dates to be confirmed)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Early February 2027: Optional intensive French courses prior to the start of the beginning of the courses. A fee of 50€ is charged to the student. ▪ Mid-February 2027: Welcome meeting for incoming students and meeting with professors of ENSAPLV ▪ Mid-February 2027: Beginning of courses of the second semester ▪ End of June 2027: End of the second semester (Retake exams in early July)
DEADLINES FOR THE NOMINATION BY THE PARTNER UNIVERSITIES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ May 2nd, 2026: Mobility stay planned for the first semester or the whole year ▪ October 31st, 2026: Mobility stay planned for the second semester <p>Please respect these deadlines</p>
DEADLINES FOR THE ONLINE APPLICATION BY STUDENTS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ May 22nd, 2026: Mobility stay planned for the first semester or the whole year ▪ November 13th, 2026: Mobility stay planned for the second semester <p>Please respect these deadlines</p>

NOMINATION AND APPLICATION PROCEDURE

NOMINATION PROCEDURE BY THE HOME UNIVERSITY	<p>ENSAPLV accepts students selected by the home university in conformity with the number of students stipulated in the exchange agreement.</p> <p>Students are advised to study for a full academic year. Even if it is possible to arrive in the second semester, integration into the school is more difficult.</p> <p>Home university nominates the selected students to the International Relations Service by e-mail (juliette.villain@paris-lavillette.archi.fr) which specifies:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ FAMILY NAME ◆ First name ◆ Gender ◆ Date of birth ◆ Nationality ◆ Study level at ENSAPLV: First cycle (3rd year of higher education) or Second cycle (4th year, 5th year or more years of higher education) ◆ Exchange period (<i>academic year</i>) ◆ Start semester (<i>1st Semester: beginning of September to end of January, 2nd Semester: end of February to beginning of July</i>) ◆ Duration (<i>number of semesters</i>) ◆ Email
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APPLICATION PROCEDURE BY
THE STUDENT

The student completes the online application after receiving an informative e-mail from ENSAPLV:

1. Complete the online application form.
2. Upload all the required documents:
 - ◆ Photo of the student
 - ◆ Copy of passport
 - ◆ Draft learning agreement signed by applicant and home university coordinator
 - ◆ Certificate attesting French ability level at the moment of the application
 - ◆ Confirmation signed by the home university coordinator

A student's acceptance is not conditional on the provision of a portfolio, although it may be useful to the student on arrival at a course to introduce themselves to the teacher.

We do not need the letter of intent and transcripts of records

Do not send your application documents by post.

The letter of acceptance will be sent to the home university in June for a first semester or a whole year study period and at the beginning of December for a second semester study period.

CAUTION: Exchange students at ENSAPLV are not allowed to register as regular student of the school the year following their mobility. No applications can be made during their mobility.

For example, a student in exchange during the academic year 2026/2027 will not be able to enrol as a regular student in 2027/2028 at ENSAPLV. At the end of the mobility period, student will have to continue to study at the home university and will only be able to apply for an admission for the academic year 2028/2029 at ENSAPLV.

STUDY PLAN AND PEDAGOGICAL
RULES

The study plan submitted in the application form is not final. This study plan will be definitively fixed after the pedagogical registration at the beginning of the semester. However, it must comply with the pedagogical rules established ENSAPLV.

To complete this study plan, you can consult:

- The description of the offer and the pedagogical rules on the booklet "*Courses offer for exchange students*" on the ENSAPLV website
A summary of the pedagogical rules in the section "*Pedagogical rules specific to exchange students*" is available in this document.
- Course details are available on the ENSAPLV website
 - Licence 3 (3rd year) : [click here](#)
 - Master (4th and 5th year) : [click here](#)

Website: <http://www.paris-lavillette.archi.fr/index.php?page=foreign-exchange-students>

CERTIFICATE OF FRENCH
LANGUAGE LEVEL

The French language attestation can take several forms:

- An official certificate by an accredited institution
- A teacher's attestation signed and stamped by the coordinator of the home university
- An OLS certificate for the students coming under the Erasmus+ programme

STUDY MOBILITY AT ENSAPLV

PEDAGOGICAL OFFER	<p>Students on mobility have an adapted pedagogical offer:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ In the first semester (Fall semester): the students have access to courses in semester 5 (Licence 3 /3rd year), semester 7 (Master 1 /4th year) and semester 9 (Master 2 / 5th year) ▪ In the second semester (Spring semester): the students have access to courses in semester 6 (Licence 3 /3rd year) and semester 8 (Master 1 /4th year). <p>Courses of Licence 1 and 2 (1st and 2nd year) are not open for exchange students. <i>Semester 10 (second semester of Master 2) is devoted to the individual final work of the student, leading to the ENSAPLV Master diploma. As a consequence, there is no collective classes during this semester.</i> <i>Exchange students may work on their final work if one professor of ENSAPLV has agreed to tutor them.</i></p> <p>Pedagogical offer is detailed by semester on the ENSAPLV website: http://www.paris-lavillette.archi.fr/index.php?page=foreign-exchange-students</p> <p>The mobility student is free to choose the courses according to the expectations of the home university. However, it is strongly recommended to attend one project course per semester.</p>
LANGUAGE OF DIDACTICS	<p>French is the teaching language. All theoretical courses are taught in French.</p> <p>A lot of teachers at ENSAPLV are from foreign countries. Depending on their language skills, some teachers are able to provide individual corrections in the student's language, particularly in Project courses.</p>
RECOMMENDED LEVEL OF FRENCH LANGUAGE	<p>A minimum B1 level in French abilities is strongly recommended to be able to understand and attend classes.</p> <p>Students who do not speak French will be limited in their choice of courses. They are advised to choose theory courses preferably in the second semester, after having improved their language skills in the first semester.</p> <p>A French course is offered during each semester (to be confirm) for the exchange students with a level below B2. This validation of the French course will allow 1 ECTS credit for the first semester and the second semester.</p>
INTERNSHIP	<p>Students who want to have a work experience through an internship must bring from their home university a letter indicating that this internship is compulsory during his/her studies to get their diploma. This letter is compulsory to have an agreement signed by ENSAPLV with the employer.</p> <p>The internship must take place during the mobility period. Besides, the student must comply with ENSAPLV regulations internship (tutoring by ENSAPLV teacher, requirement of a written report). The student will then receive 8 ECTS credits.</p>

END OF MOBILITY

TRANSCRIPT OF RECORDS	<p>The transcript of records are sent by e-mail to the International Relations Office of the home university at the end of February for students staying for the 1st semester ; and at the end of July for students staying for the 2nd semester or the whole year.</p>																		
CREDIT SYSTEM, ECTS, MARKS	<p>Maximum 30 ECTS for one semester and 60 ECTS for the whole year</p> <p>French grading scale runs from 0 (lowest grade) to 20. A minimum of 10 points (Pass grade) is necessary to obtain the corresponding ECTS of the attended class.</p> <p>ECTS grading scale for an obtained grade of 10 points and upper.</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="462 720 1367 1125"> <thead> <tr> <th data-bbox="462 720 1033 788">Definition</th> <th data-bbox="1033 720 1192 788">ECTS grade</th> <th data-bbox="1192 720 1367 788">Distribution</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td data-bbox="462 788 1033 855">EXCELLENT – Outstanding performance with only minor errors</td> <td data-bbox="1033 788 1192 855">A</td> <td data-bbox="1192 788 1367 855">10%</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="462 855 1033 923">VERY GOOD – Above the average standard with some errors</td> <td data-bbox="1033 855 1192 923">B</td> <td data-bbox="1192 855 1367 923">25%</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="462 923 1033 990">GOOD – Generally sound work with a number of notable errors</td> <td data-bbox="1033 923 1192 990">C</td> <td data-bbox="1192 923 1367 990">30%</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="462 990 1033 1057">SATISFACTORY – Fair but with significant shortcomings</td> <td data-bbox="1033 990 1192 1057">D</td> <td data-bbox="1192 990 1367 1057">25%</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="462 1057 1033 1125">SUFFICIENT – Performance meets the minimum criteria</td> <td data-bbox="1033 1057 1192 1125">E</td> <td data-bbox="1192 1057 1367 1125">10%</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Definition	ECTS grade	Distribution	EXCELLENT – Outstanding performance with only minor errors	A	10%	VERY GOOD – Above the average standard with some errors	B	25%	GOOD – Generally sound work with a number of notable errors	C	30%	SATISFACTORY – Fair but with significant shortcomings	D	25%	SUFFICIENT – Performance meets the minimum criteria	E	10%
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CERTIFICATE OF ATTENDANCE	<p>A certificate of attendance will be given to the student at the end of the mobility stay, stating the dates of arrival and departure.</p> <p>Important:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ This certificate is personal and can be delivered only to the person concern. ◆ The arrival date refers to the welcome meeting or the beginning of Intensive French courses at soonest. ◆ The day of departure is the day of the last exam that the student passes. ◆ The length can be extended up to September 30th if the student is doing an internship during summer. 																		

PRACTICAL INFORMATION

SPECIAL FACILITIES FOR DISABLED PERSONS	No
HEALTH INSURANCE AND THIRD PERSON LIABILITY INSURANCE	<p>Students from UE must bring their European health insurance card, valid till the end of their stay in France.</p> <p>Non-UE students have to register for French health insurance ("Sécurité sociale étudiant"). From 2018/2019 this is free of charge for students.</p> <p>Each student must have contracted a third person liability insurance. The student must bring a document giving evidence of this insurance.</p>

ACCOMODATION	ENSAPLV doesn't provide rooms in university residences; the question of accommodation is very difficult in Paris and rather expensive! (minimum 700€ per month).
BUDDY PROGRAMME	<p>A buddy programme has been set up to facilitate the integration of students on mobility programmes.</p> <p>A few weeks before their arrival in France, they will have the opportunity to contact ENSAPLV students from the Buddy programme and ask questions about French culture, life in Paris, daily life at ENSAPLV, etc.</p> <p>The ENSAPLV student volunteer to welcome, support and introduce the students to life in Paris (some of these students have already been on a mobility programme or are considering a mobility programme).</p>