Bonjour & bienvenue ...

...to France’s leading private university, the Université Catholique de Lille, and to LILLE!

Home to the Université Catholique de Lille since 1875, Lille is a vibrant and dynamic university city at the centre of Western Europe. With swift connections to Brussels (35 minutes), Paris (60 minutes), and London (80 minutes), Lille is perfect for students planning to visit and study Europe. And there is always much to see and do in Lille itself – a welcoming multicultural haven.

We are proud of our growing network of over 530 partner universities, and are happy to welcome students from all over the world, all year round, as part of our efforts to promote peace, education, and cultural awareness.

This year marks the 20th edition of the LILLE European Summer Program. This achievement is made possible by the continued support of our partners both internationally and here at the Université Catholique de Lille. We are hoping you will celebrate with us in Lille this coming summer.

Seize a life changing opportunity to join an excellent, integrated and convivial academic program offering a full cultural experience – come to Lille: “Learn In Lille, Live Europe”!

À très bientôt! See you soon!

Pierre Giorgini,
President Rector,
Université Catholique de Lille

Anne-Marie Michel
Director
International Relations and Communication
Founded in 1875, and now one of the major higher education institutions in France, the Université Catholique de Lille is strongly committed to the development of the region, and to laying the groundwork for the Third Industrial Revolution, through active collaboration both with local authorities and with the business sector. Its teaching departments and research teams combine multidisciplinary expertise and innovative new teaching methods aimed at enhancing the educational experience through cooperative learning and more.

The Université Catholique de Lille is France’s largest private, not-for-profit university, with over 33,000 students and 5,000 staff members.

As a comprehensive university, the Université Catholique de Lille is home to 5 faculties, 20 schools (including two triple-crown awarded business schools and industry leading engineering schools), multiple institutes, and a renowned hospital group, and offers more than 200 distinct degrees in several centers of excellence, including:
- Law, Economics, Business & Management
- Innovation and Design Thinking
- Science and Technologies
- Health and Social Care
- Arts, Humanities, Theology, Ethics, & Education

33,000 students
300 student associations
5,500 international students on our campuses
2nd most beautiful campus in France
15 minutes walk from campus to Lille’s historic city centre
8 hospitals and health care institutions
LILLE Programs

“Learn In Lille, Live Europe” – combines a variety of innovative, student-centred academic programs at the Université Catholique de Lille, tailored to suit different academic needs and schedules, and to provide a welcoming environment and an excellent study/life balance.

What does LILLE mean for you?

- A wide array of intercultural and interactive course offerings
- Programs ranging from 2 to 4 weeks
- Courses taught in English or French
- Small international classes
- Cultural and curriculum-related fieldtrips
- Full package program (academic, accommodation, extra-curricular, 24/7 support)
- Experienced and dedicated international faculty and staff

LILLE Winter (customizable) - 09 January to 29 January 2020
LILLE Spring (customizable) - 02 May to 15 May 2020
LILLE European Summer Program - 25 May to 23 June 2020
25 June to 24 July 2020

Consuelo - Argentina

“It was the best experience in my life. You meet new people, you make friends, you learn about cultures, you try new experiences, new foods, you learn French and you get to know yourself. All these while you are in Europe, travelling. Don’t miss this opportunity, you won’t regret it!”

Flash to discover the experience «Learn in Lille, Live Europe» in video!
The LILLE European Summer Program (ESP) is composed of two month-long program sessions (June and July). Students are welcome to attend both sessions!

Students can choose from a large variety of electives. The programs offer academic courses taught in English or in French, utilizing the University’s expertise in Humanities, Social Sciences, Management, and more.

Courses are taught by highly-qualified faculty from the Université Catholique de Lille or visiting professors, with an aim to provide both theoretical background and practical learning through site visits and hands-on activities.

The ESP offers a wide range of courses in the following areas:

- Liberal Arts
- Business & Communication
- Political Science & Law
- Sustainability & the Sciences
- Health

90 Contact hours* 12 ECTS Credits = 6 North American Credits

*Contact hour = 60 minutes

All courses fulfil ECTS (European Credit Transfer System) standards and detailed transcripts are available for credit transfer to your own degree program.
Create your own program!

**Morning Electives (6 credits)**

- Includes a 9-hour module of Intercultural Communication in French or in English.

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**Afternoon Electives (39 hours & 6 credits)**

- Pick one elective in English or in French

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*New! Indicates new courses available for this academic year.
Program Package

HOSPITALITY
- Accommodation in individual rooms in secure and private student residences, which are easily accessible to campus by walking or public transit
- Meal pass for use at the university restaurant during opening hours (50€ on card, can be recharged online at the student’s expense). Plenty of fast food and restaurant options near campus as well (4-8€)
- 5 group dinners throughout the program
- Access to university facilities
- Public transportation pass for all public transit systems in the Lille Metropolitan area

ORIENTATION
- Pick-up at train station on arrival day, campus tour, welcome brunch, ice-breaking activity, detailed program information session
- Student support available 24/7

ACADEMIC
- Tuition fees & materials
- Morning & afternoon electives
- 12 ECTS credits (6 North American credits)

PROGRAM FEES
2,995€
10% discount for partner universities and for students attending both sessions

CULTURE & FIELDTRIPS
- Guided visit of Lille
- Day trips to historic and important Belgian cities with guided visits
- Cultural activities
- Movie nights
- Group dinners

APPLICATION DEADLINES
ESPI (25 May - 23 June) >> Deadline : 1 April 2020
ESP2 (25 June - 24 July) >> Deadline : 1 May 2020
(see website for further details)
Included Fieldtrips

- **BRUGES**
  Discover the “City of Art and History” and France’s 4th largest city.

- **BRUSSELS**
  Spend a day in the Capital of Belgium and Capital of the European Union.

- **LILLE**
  To combine class teaching and practical experience, various fieldtrips are included in the cost of the European Summer Program. Their aim is to give the students an opportunity to visit places in the Euro-region with historical or cultural significance and relevance to courses offered.

Optional Fieldtrips

We want students to make the most of their time in Lille, and have designed a series of additional fieldtrips and extra-curricular activities that will take them to some of the most emblematic cultural and historic places in France and Europe. Planned dates are available on the ESP website and may be subject to change. **Spots are limited!**

### Weekends

- **PARIS**
  Transportation, 1 night in a hotel in a central location, breakfast, boat cruise on the Seine, access to public transportation
  +200€

- **NORMANDY**
  Mont-Saint-Michel, D-Day beaches, transportation, 1 night in a hotel, breakfast and dinner
  +250€

- **AMSTERDAM**
  Transportation, 1 night in a hostel with breakfast, 1 lunch, boat cruise, access to public transportation
  (Only ESP2)
  +250€

### Daytrips

- **WORLD WAR 1 SITES**
  Trenches, battlefields, and memorials on the Western Front, transportation, dinner and museums admission fees
  +75€

- **AMIENS**
  Amiens and its medieval Cathedral, transportation and guided tour
  +50€

- **NAUSICÀÀ**
  Visit the largest aquarium in Europe! Transportation, lunch and admission fees
  +75€
Lille – a city of Art, Culture, and History

Founded in 1066 by the Count of Flanders, Lille – Rijsel in Flemish – became an important trading and stock market point on the route between the rich Flemish towns and the Champagne fairs. As evident from some of its architecture, Lille was successively Flemish, Burgundian, and Spanish before finally becoming French in 1667 under Louis XIV, whose military engineer, Vauban, built Lille’s impressive Citadel.

Lille’s strategic location and the area’s rich resources have made it one of the most fought over regions in Europe, a history visible today particularly through the numerous memorials from the last two World Wars in the region, toured by national and international visitors each year.

Lille enjoys all of the conveniences of being at the centre of a 2 million inhabitant urban zone, yet remains a “human-sized” university city with 250,000 inhabitants. Visitors can get around easily on foot or by bicycle. Public transport also offers the metro, the tramway, and many bus lines running frequently and late into the night.

Lille also boasts a significant number of theatres, music halls, movie theatres, an opera house, and a national orchestra, while the metropolis is home to a large number of cultural events, including the Lille Piano(s) Festival, the International Independent Movie Week, the International Series Festival, a contemporary dance festival and the “Fête de la Musique” on June 21st with free concerts all over town.

The 2nd largest French university center, 42% of its inhabitants are under the age of 30

100 events in Lille every evening, thousands of restaurants and bars in the city.

A city of History

A city of Art

Four world-renowned museums in the region, among the largest in France (Musée des Beaux-Arts, Modern Art Museum, La Piscine de Roubaix, Louvre-Lens). Most museums are free or have reduced rates for students.

A city of Culture

Lille Piano(s) Festival
International Independent Movie Week
International Series Festival
Contemporary Dance Festival
“Fête de la Musique” on June 21st

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More dynamic than ever

2004
European Capital of Culture

2018
1st International TV Show Festival "Series Mania"

2019
lille3000 Festival « Eldorado »

2020
Lille: World Design Capital
The Université Catholique de Lille looks forward to welcoming you to France, to Lille, and to our university campus.

Applications open: January 2020

Cost of the program

2,995€ including

1,400€

Tuition fees:
tuition fees and course materials

1,295€

Hospitality package:
accommodation in student dorms, meal pass for use in the cafeteria with a 50-euro credit, an orientation program, monthly transportation pass for use on buses and metros in Lille, access to university facilities, fieldtrips to Bruges and Brussels, 5 group dinners, cultural and social activities

300€

Administration fees:
Non-refundable after registration

10% discount
for partner universities and for students attending both sessions

Important registration information

ESP1 (25 May - 23 June) >> Deadline : 1 April 2020
ESP2 (25 June - 24 July) >> Deadline : 1 May 2020

Applications open: January 2020

The ESP can also provide Health and Travel Insurance coverage, which is mandatory to study in France. Students under 25 can subscribe through the Université Catholique de Lille (+ 75 €).