

FRANCO-LEBANESE CONSORTIUM

FACT SHEET 2025-2026

University/School name	Université Lumière Lyon 2 Erasmus code: F LYON 02
Office involved with exchange program (First name, last name, title and email address)	International relations office: Erasmus+ KA171 coordinators: dri.projet@univ-lyon2.fr
Links	Institutional website International relations at Université Lumière Lyon 2
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Photo of the campus

Berges du Rhône Campus: [interactive visite](#)
Porte des Alpes Campus : [interactive visite](#)



Photo of the city

[Tourist office of Lyon](#)

University calendar

1st Semester (Fall Semester): from September 1st to December 20th
2nd Semester (Spring semester): from mid-January to mid-May

[Academic calendar](#)

Academic Calendar Overview		
	1 st Semester (September-January)	2 nd Semester (January-May)
Mandatory orientation meeting	Early September	Early January
Classes begin	Mid-September	Mid-January
Class enrolment deadline	Mid-October	Mid-February
University holidays	- Toussaints Vacation - Winter Holiday Break	- Winter Break - Spring Break
Final exam Period	First three weeks of January	Last half of May
Make-up Exam period	Mid-End of June	End of June-Beginning of July

Nomination deadlines for Incoming mobilities	As written in the interinstitutional agreements: • Studies: June 15th for a summer mobility; November 15th for a winter Mobility • Traineeships: same as studies • STA/STT: all year round As reminder: Winter Term is starting from September to January and Spring Term from end of January to June.
Field(s) of Studies within the KA171 cooperation	To be completed soon
Documents required for exchange application	As specified in the interinstitutional agreements: • CV and cover letter expressing your motivation to study at Lyon 2 • Most recent transcript of records (copy) • Diplomas (copy) • ID / passport (copy) • Certificate corresponding to the French level • Certificate corresponding to the English level
Language requirements	French: B1 (bachelor level); B2 (master level) English: B1
Courses	• General Courses • Courses in a foreign language Exchange students have the opportunity to enrol in French as a foreign language classes at our International Centre for French Studies (Centre International d'Etudes Françaises) which specializes in French-language learning for non-native French speakers. www.cief.univ-lyon2.fr

	For more information visit: https://cief.univ-lyon2.fr/formation/stages-pour-etudiant-es
Athletic activities	Athletic activities are free if the student registers for a graded course. Students may enrol in as many of the athletic activities as they wish, though will only earn a maximum of 5 ECTS, regardless of the number of activities. For more information visit : https://www.univ-lyon2.fr/vie-des-campus/vie-sportive
Cultural and recreational programmes	Lyon 2 offers a variety of cultural and recreational programmes for exchange students - Alter Ego: international student academic and cultural integration programme: https://www.univ-lyon2.fr/international/bureau-des-etudiants-internationaux-bei - Cultural and Artistic Actions Service: offering numerous activities including but not limited to theatre, music, dance and lectures: https://www.univ-lyon2.fr/vie-des-campus/culture-lyon2 Student Associations: associative life is well developed at the Université Lumière Lyon 2, our student associations offer a wide variety of opportunities for students to get involved in academic, cultural, and social life. For a full list of student associations, visit : https://www.univ-lyon2.fr/vie-des-campus/culture-lyon2
Grading system	The grades are from 0.0 (Failure) to 20.0 (Excellent)

Credit system	ECTS (European Credit Transfer and Accumulation System). • 1 semester = 30 ECTS credits • 2 semesters (one academic year): 60 ECTS credits
Inclusion (top-up amount)	Criteria: • In a situation of disabilities • In a situation of long-term illness duration • Social and economic barriers • Geographical barriers (living in occupied territories/some rural areas/some cities' priority districts)
Students with disabilities	The Université Lumière Lyon 2 accepts students with disabilities, be they physical, sensorial, mental, cognitive, or psychological. If a student's disability requires accommodation while on campus or in class, help may be put in place by Université Lumière Lyon 2. In order to anticipate a disabled student's arrival, we ask students to let us know in their application, however students are not required to do so, and may take the necessary steps themselves. In order to respond to a student's need, the student must first attend an appointment with our Medical and Preventative Medicine Service and then with our Disabled Student Service.

	The Université Lumière Lyon 2 possesses a Preventative Medicine and Health Promotion Service where students may: - See a nurse for first-aid as well as technical, relational, and educational services - Obtain a general health evaluation - Obtain a medical certificate in order to participate in athletic activities - Begin the process for the recognition of a disability and establishing necessary accommodations - Consult a psychologist, a dietician, or get help for tobacco and alcohol addiction <i>More information available at :</i> https://www.univ-lyon2.fr/vie-des-campus/sante
Research environment	The University Lumière Lyon 2 has seven doctoral schools housing a total of 33 research laboratories specializing in different facets of the human and social sciences. The laboratories are structured according to either disciplinary field or targeted research topics, cultural areas or socio-economic area. Students may benefit from the rich research environment at our university by attending conferences and seminars organized by our laboratories. Information about upcoming conferences and seminars can be found on laboratory websites: Research labotary websites

Libraries and collections	With two main libraries (one on each campus) as well as fourteen specialized libraries, the University Lumière Lyon 2 has a collection well over 450 000 books. We receive physical copies of over 1 500 scientific journals as well as approximately 100 online databases. Our libraries also offer access to thousands of master and doctoral theses.
On-Campus restaurants	Each campus has a university restaurant where meals may be purchased for approximately 3,50 € as well as at least one university cafeteria.
Accommodation	No guaranteed allocation of a student housing but assistance in finding accommodation. Housing Guide
Administrative fees	There are no tuition or administrative fees for exchange students, but they have to pay a social fee (CVEC)
Visa	Non-EU exchange students need a student visa to study in France. A letter of acceptance can be provided to assist visa applicants. For more information visit: france-visas.gouv.fr (website also available in Arabic, Chinese, English, Russian, and Spanish)