

1.2 Déclaration de Politique Erasmus: votre stratégie

Votre déclaration de politique Erasmus devrait refléter la manière dont vous aviez l'intention de mettre en œuvre Erasmus + après l'attribution de l'ECHE. Si vous souhaitez ajouter des activités supplémentaires à l'avenir, vous devrez modifier votre déclaration de politique Erasmus et en informer votre agence nationale Erasmus +.

Qu'aimeriez-vous réaliser en participant au programme Erasmus +? Comment votre participation au programme Erasmus + s'intègre-t-elle dans votre stratégie d'internationalisation et de modernisation institutionnelle?

(Veuillez réfléchir aux objectifs de votre participation. Veuillez expliquer comment vous pensez que la participation à Erasmus + contribuera à la modernisation de votre établissement, ainsi que l'objectif de construction d'un espace européen de l'éducation¹ et expliquer les objectifs politiques que vous avez l'intention de poursuivre).

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INSA Centre Val de Loire is a graduate, public Higher Education institution, part of the French network of National Institutes for Applied sciences (INSA group). INSA CVL is characterized by a historic commitment to science with a social vision and engineering with humanistic values. It includes 5 departments:

- Industrial Risk Management
- Computer Security and Technologies (also possible on the apprenticeship track)
- Industrial Systems Engineering (also possible on the apprenticeship track)
- Energy, Risk and Environment (apprenticeship track)
- School of Nature and Landscape Architecture

INTERNATIONALIZATION is a priority for our growing, research-intensive institution; the ERASMUS + programme will significantly contribute to supporting INSA CVL in fulfilling its objectives. The institution's core mission is to train engineers and landscape architects with strong transferable skills: the ability to think critically, take initiative, problem solve and work collaboratively; the ability to practice their professions in an informed and innovative way; the ability to understand the interactions between the environmental, social and economic dimensions of their activities; and the awareness of their global citizenship and the global impact of their actions. Disseminating an international vision and giving access to international experiences and cooperation are key elements in fulfilling this mission. Our strategy of internationalization therefore consists in enabling all members of the INSA community to integrate global perspectives in their career paths, in their teaching, in their research and in their daily actions.

In determining our priorities we are guided by three long-term principles:

- Impact: that INSA CVL should have a wider and more sustainable "global" footprint, through training, mobility, partnerships and cooperation, which will support our regional and international stature by advancing the institution's priorities;
- Commitment: putting our values and awareness of global challenges at the heart of our decision-making, our interactions with students, our programmatic and partnership choices;
- Dissemination: developing an intercultural and international environment which will allow the dissemination of a global approach in training, research and life on INSA Centre Val de Loire campuses; in other words, strengthening internationalization at home.

Participation in the Programme will be key for INSA CVL's projected growth, modernization and internationalization for 2021-2027, and will be synchronized with the priorities of the Higher education agenda for Europe.

- Graduates and researchers that Europe needs

INSA CVL is committed to training graduates who will contribute to innovation and

economic growth in their regions, and to supporting research with high societal impact. INSA CVL is modernizing its core curriculum in order to integrate the demands of sustainable development and a green Europe in the training of its future engineers and landscape architects. These competencies will be the key to a more prosperous future in highly critical professions for an array of economic and social areas: urban and countryside planning; transportation; zero carbon economies; food production and access; supply chain management, public health and security... to name just a few.

- Quality through mobility and cross-border cooperation

INSA CVL is currently a participant in the European University project “European Consortium of Innovative Universities” (ECIU). This membership provides unique and exceptional opportunities for creating innovative, challenge-based learning formats for 21st century education, develop a strong system of micro-credentialing connected to the European Credit Transfer System, and pool resources and best practices in on-line pedagogy. ECIU members aim to be drivers of local and regional change by contributing to the understanding and resolution of current challenges in Europe. The consortium is spread across 14 countries in the European Union: the Erasmus + programme is therefore central to INSA’s participation in this academic innovation project, and the opportunities it will offer for students’ and staff implication in active European citizenship.

<https://www.eciu.org/member/eciu>

- Knowledge triangle

As an institution specialized in training future professionals in engineering and landscape architecture, INSA CVL is involved first-hand in strengthening the knowledge triangle and harnessing research and technology for education and innovation. In step with its ECIU partners, it is committed to involving local and regional stakeholders – civil society, local authorities, businesses of small and large size and the industry, in the conception and resolution of challenges which will be the cornerstone of this European project. Fully aware of the necessary turn towards a knowledge-driven society, INSA CVL actively entertains a strong network of global and local knowledge partners; the ERASMUS + programme will foster opportunities for further integration of the local and European levels through the circulation of persons (students, staff), the sharing of best-practices, the strengthening of virtual linkages.

- Quality and relevance of Higher education

INSA CVL aims for the highest standards in the education it delivers. As part of the INSA group, it practices regular benchmarking alongside other INSA institutions, complies with the accreditation criteria defined by the French Engineering degree commission (CTI), a founding member of ENAEE (European Network for the Accreditation of Engineering Education), and contributes to the definition of the competency framework for engineers and landscape architects. The ERASMUS + programme will support INSA CVL’s contribution to developing a modernized, nimble and relevant matrix for engineering excellence through the development of distance learning and micro-credentialing synchronized with the European Credit Transfer System. INSA CVL is a member of the French “Conférence Des Ecoles Françaises d’Ingénieurs” – the Conference of Deans of French Engineering Schools – and through its School for Nature and Landscape Architecture (ENP), of the European Council of Landscape Architecture Schools and the European network LE:NOTRE (Landscape Education: New Opportunities for Teaching and Research in Europe; <https://www.landscape-portal.org/>)

- Governance and funding

As part of the INSA group, INSA CVL has committed to collegiate, accountable and transparent governance. The ERASMUS + programme contributes to the ability of the institution to uphold its values in reference to a European project and long-term horizon, with a focus on flexibility and freedom for its research activities.