

THE AMERICAN UNIVERSITY OF PARIS

ORIENTATION GUIDE

GRADUATE - FALL 2021





ORIENTATION EVENTS

Welcome to Paris and your new life as an AUP student! This guide is designed to walk you through your orientation experience with a description of each session.

WELCOME SESSION (ONLINE)

Orientation kicks off with an online Welcome Session hosted by The President, the Provost and the Vice-President for Student Services who will greet you and your fellow students. You will learn about the exciting orientation events of the week ahead of you and how to make the best of your AUP experience

Welcome Session for Graduate Students

Saturday, August 28, 2021

18h00-19h00

YOUR STUDENT ADVISOR

All incoming students are assigned a student advisor. Student advisors not only accompany you and other members of your incoming group to various orientation events but also provide support throughout the semester. Think of these students – who know their way around Paris and AUP – as a resource and get to know them as the first step to your orientation program.

ACADEMIC ORIENTATION

This mandatory session focuses on general academic requirements

within graduate programs. You will receive crucial information about completion timelines, thesis and internship guidelines, and other rules that must be followed in order to successfully complete your master's degree.

CAMPUS TOUR

Join an AUP student advisor for this comprehensive tour of AUP's campus.



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DISCOVER PARIS TOUR

With AUP's campus located in the heart of the 7th *arrondissement*, finding your way around the neighborhood quickly becomes second nature. With your student advisor, you will venture beyond this part of Paris to discover another side of the City of Light and get a better sense of what it means to be Parisian.

STUDENT RESOURCE CENTER

The Student Resource Center is open the entire week of Orientation. Staff at the center are on hand to answer questions and resolve problems,

referring you to the right AUP resources as needed. Note that the center opens in the Combes Student Life Center (4th floor) on Tuesday, August 31

PROGRAM MEETING

This group meeting is led by your program director, who will give you an overview of the program and explain in detail the course offerings. You will also learn about specific study trips, practica and other interesting opportunities available to you throughout the school year. This meeting will help focus your interests

in preparation for your individual academic advising appointment the following day.

GRADUATE COCKTAIL

On Friday, attend an early cocktail with incoming Graduate students, some returning students and faculty.

FINANCIAL AID AND LOANS (ONLINE)

This is a crucial session for all students on financial aid. Our Financial Aid Team, responsible for scholarships and student loans at AUP, will guide you through any

bureaucratic tangles that you may have encountered and will help you plan for the coming academic year.

MEET THE PRESIDENT AND PROVOST (ONLINE)

The President and Provost of AUP will give a presentation remotely about the mission of graduate education at AUP and answer any questions you may have.



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PARIS LIBRARY Q&A (ONLINE)

Our librarians will be available any questions you may have about the various library resources available to graduate students both at our own library, the Sciences Po library and other specialist libraries in Paris.

RESEARCH PRESENTATION (ONLINE)

Join some of the graduate program faculty who will present their research projects online. Participate in a stimulating discussion with your peers and faculty on their ideas and findings.

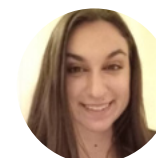
WELCOME FAIR

Gain hands-on experience and simply have fun by participating in one or more of the many extracurricular and co-curricular activities which are an integral part of the AUP experience. Talk with student leaders and AUP staff at the fair about your interests and get involved in student government, student media, clubs, sports and/or volunteer work – or start your own activity! Students who want to join competitive sports teams or sign up for a gym membership should not miss

MEET YOUR GRADUATE STUDENT ADVISOR



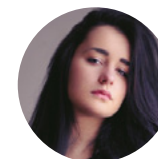
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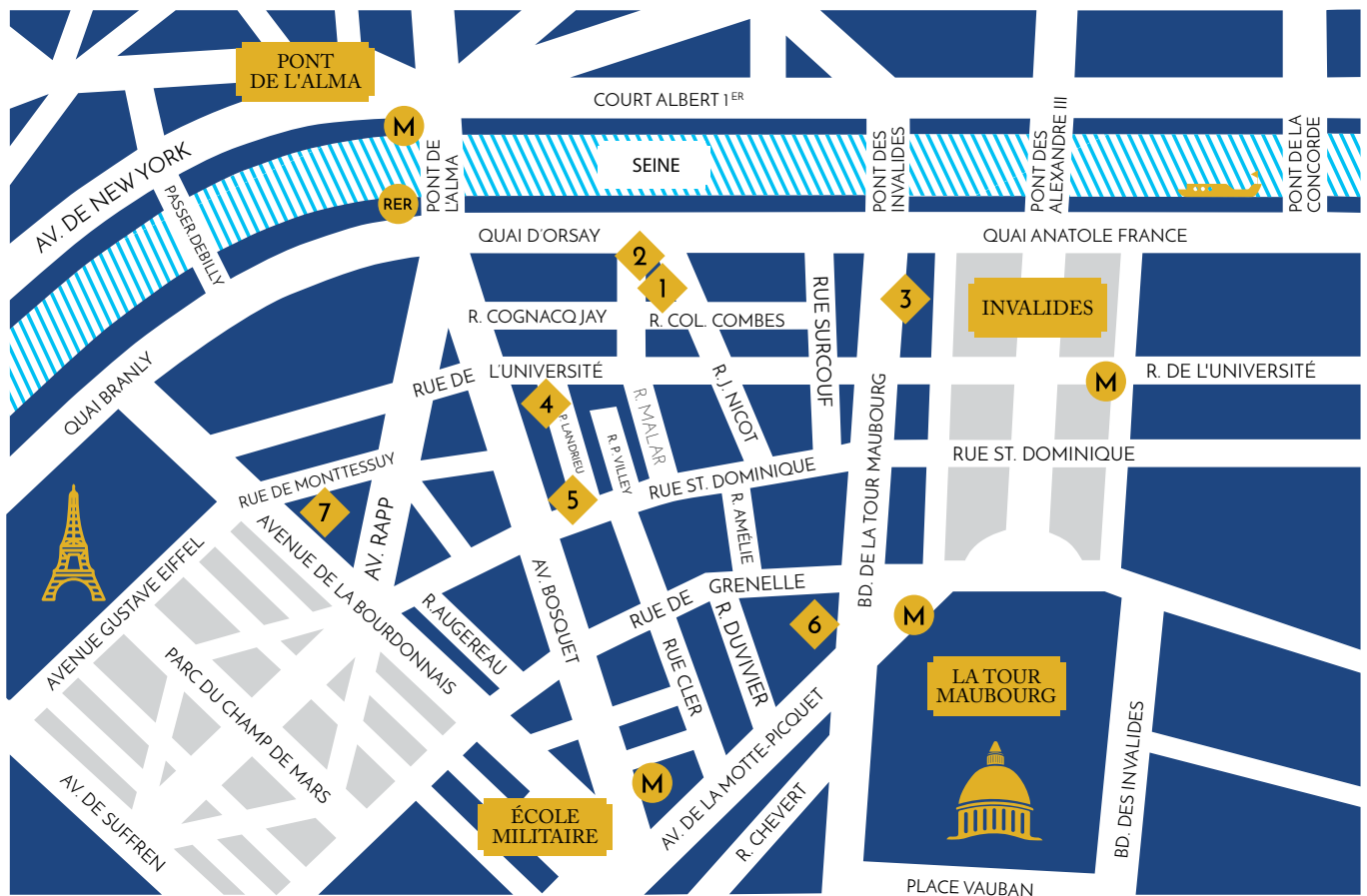
	AUGUST 30 MONDAY	AUGUST 31 TUESDAY
MORNING		<p>FINANCIAL AID AND LOANS - Q&A <u>11:00-12:00</u> Online All Groups</p>
AFTERNOON	<p>ARRIVAL DAY FOR ALL</p> <p>HOUSING LANDING</p>	<p>GET TO KNOW YOUR STUDENT ADVISOR <u>14:30-15:30</u></p> <p>Group G1: <u>Grenelle 002</u> Group G2: <u>Grenelle 009</u> Group G3: <u>Grenelle 102</u> Group G4: <u>Grenelle 113</u> Group G5: <u>Grenelle 207</u></p> <p>ACADEMIC ORIENTATION <u>16:00-17:00</u> Grenelle-L21 & Grenelle-L22 All Groups</p> <p>PROGRAM MEETINGS</p> <p>HRDS & MDL: Grenelle 207 - <u>17:00</u> MGC: Grenelle 009 - <u>17:00</u> MSIM: Grenelle 113 - <u>17:00</u> MAIA & MIN: Grenelle207 - <u>18:00</u></p>
EVENING		<p>DINNER OUT WITH STUDENT ADVISOR <u>19:00-21:00</u> Meet in Combes 104 All Groups</p>

Please refer to your individual schedule for specific event times with your group.

	SEPTEMBER 1 WEDNESDAY	SEPTEMBER 2 THURSDAY	SEPTEMBER 3 FRIDAY	
MORNING	<p>CAMPUS TOUR <u>9:00-10:30</u> Meet outside Combes Groups G1-3</p>	<p>BANKING <u>9:30-11:00</u> Combes 302 Group G4-5</p>	<p>CHECK OUT & ID CARDS <u>09:30-16:30</u> Quai Atrium All Groups</p>	<p>CHECK OUT & ID CARDS <u>09:30-16:30</u> Quai Atrium All Groups</p>
AFTERNOON	<p>PHONES <u>11:00-12:30</u> Free Shop Groups G4-5</p> <p>PHONES <u>12:30-14:00</u> Free Shop Groups G1-3</p> <p>CAMPUS TOUR <u>13:00-14:30</u> Meet outside Combes Groups G4-5</p> <p>AUP FACULTY RESEARCH PRESENTATION <u>15:00-17:30</u> Online All Groups</p>	<p>INDIVIDUAL ACADEMIC ADVISING APPOINTMENT <u>09:00-17:00</u> Grenelle All Groups</p>	<p>PICNIC <u>11:30-12:30</u> Meet at AMEX Café All Groups</p> <p>MEET THE PRESIDENT & PROVOST <u>14:00-15:00</u> Online All Groups</p> <p>PARIS LIBRARIES Q&A <u>15:00-16:00</u> Online All Groups</p>	
EVENING		<p>DISCOVER PARIS TOUR <u>19:00-22:00</u> Meet in front of Quai All Groups</p>	<p>GRADUATE COCKTAIL <u>18:00-20:00</u> Q 8th floor All Groups</p>	

Please refer to the campus map on the next page for locations

AUP CAMPUS MAP



- 1** COMBES STUDENT LIFE CENTER
6, RUE DU COLONEL COMBES
AMEX Café, Classrooms, Cultural Program, Faculty Offices, Fine Arts Gallery, Graduate Student Lounge, Housing, Sports, Student Development, Student Government Association, Student Health Care Office, Student Lounge, AUP Student Media, Counseling, Residential Life and Housing.
- 2** QUAI D'ORSAY LEARNING COMMONS
69, QUAI D'ORSAY*
Academic Resource Center, Advising, Classrooms, Career Development Office, Faculty Offices, Internship Office, IT Services, Library, Research Centers, Writing Lab, Multimedia Office
- 3** ADMINISTRATION BUILDING
5, BOULEVARD DE LA TOUR-MAUBOURG
Registrar's Office, Student Accounting Services, Admissions, Student Immigration Services, Alumni Affairs, President's Office, Provost, Academic Affairs, Outreach & Advancement
- 4** CLASSROOMS & FACULTY OFFICES
2 BIS, PASSAGE LANDRIEU
Bookstore, Classrooms, Faculty Offices
- 5** CLASSROOMS & FACULTY OFFICES
102, RUE ST. DOMINIQUE
Classrooms, Faculty Offices, Student Mail
- 6** GRENELLE TEACHING & MENTORING CENTER - 147, RUE DE GRENELLE
Classrooms, Faculty Offices
- 7** MONTESSUY CENTER FOR THE ARTS (UNDER RENOVATION)

*Principal access to the Quai d'Orsay Learning Commons is through 6, rue du Colonel Combes.