

GLOBAL SEMESTER “Global Issues and Global Business”



“Ingenieur” Program – Year 4 – Spring (semester taught in English)

Identify and understand current issues in their complexity and as systems including a diversity of actors, their perspectives, and their relationships

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LIST OF COURSES FOR 2021/2022

SPRING SEMESTER ONLY

NAME	OUTLINE	ECTS
CLIMATE CHANGE	Facts, causes, consequences of climate change and climate action.	3
FOOD RESOURCES & NUTRITION	Food security issues around the world.	3
ENVIRONMENT AND BIODIVERSITY	Environmental issues and biodiversity.	3
GLOBAL GENDER ISSUES	Gender inequalities & development around the world.	3
GEOPOLITICS & GLOBAL TRADE	French agricultural and agrifood products on markets such as USA, Sub-Saharan Africa, China, Russia and Middle East.	3
COMMODITIES TRADE	Sugar, wheat, soybeans, coffee and cacao in the international commodities market.	3
WORKING ACROSS CULTURES	Cross-cultural communication in international business.	3
BETTER BUSINESS	Alternative and ethical business models around the world such as fair trade, social economy, circular economy...	3

OPTIONAL :

FRENCH LANGUAGE AND INTERCULTURAL ISSUES OF STUDY ABROAD (LEVELS A1/A2 TO B1)	Basic knowledge of French that enables students to deal with everyday situations (level A1/A2 to B1) and to understand French cultural identity.	3
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Notes:

- **Course list might be subject to change**
- **Language of tuition: English** (Level required : level B1 minimum / level B2 recommended (Skype interview might be organized to assess the level of English))
- **Prerequisites:** at least 2 year undergraduate studies in some of the above mentioned fields.
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