**MASTER OF SCIENCE** 

# URBAN AGRICULTURE & GREEN CITIES





## INTRODUCTION

Cities are projected to become denser by 2050, revolutionizing our approach to sustainable food production for urban populations.

Urban agriculture is emerging as a transformative force in designing localized food supply chains and enhancing nature in cities. The Urban Agriculture & Green Cities MSc aims to equip future professionals with key competencies to address these challenges. Developed with industry experts, this program offers cities and organizations access to specialists who will drive innovation in sustainable urban agriculture.



This program isn't just about learning; it's about reimagining our cities as vibrant, green spaces that nourish both people and the planet!

Our students dive into real-world challenges, collaborating with industry pioneers and community changemakers. Whether you dream of revolutionizing city planning, launching an innovative green business, or driving policy changes, this program is your launchpad.

Join us, and you'll be part of a dynamic network that's literally growing the future. Your journey to becoming a catalyst for urban agriculture starts here!

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PhD in Economics Associate Professor of Agricultural Economics Head of MSc Urban Agriculture & Green Cities







This MSc enriched my background in urban and regional planning, with crucial knowledge and skills in environmental sustainability.

My experience at UniLaSalle has been instrumental in shaping my career. After my internship at the Usinovert Chair, I am proud to continue as a researcher at the UniLaSalle Interact Research Unit.



Scientific Researcher at UniLaSalle Class of 2023



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## **SKILLS**

Gaining the technical skills required to integrate multifunctional and innovative **urban farming** solutions into urban planning strategies and building standards 3

Gaining multidisciplinary teams management skills: leading, coordinating teamwork, and organizational skills

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Being able to understand the urban and suburban **environmental challenges** (problems identification and solutions proposal)

## **COURSE STRUCTURE**



taught in English



12 months

From September to March

### **INTERNSHIP**

4 to 6 months from april 1st 2025

CAPSTONE PROJECT FOR URBAN AGRICULTURE & ECOLOGICAL CITIES (66H, 5 ECTS)

Specific Knowledge acquisition (20h, 4 ECTS) A project in the City: Fundamentals of plant biology

**Urban Ecology (55h, 5 ECTS)** 

**Smart Cities & Eco-innovation** (75h, 8 ECTS)

**Urban Planning & Architecture** (100h, 10 ECTS)

**Geographical Information System** (35h, 4 ECTS)

Cross Fields (48h)

Agriculture in the City (100h, 10 ECTS)



#### **CHOOSE FRANCE**

Discover the french "way of life" and gastronomy. Learn French, the world's most commonly spoken language by 2050





#### 11,000 international students chose Normandy, be a part of them!

Experience Rouen, one of the 52 places to visit in the world (New York Times 2024), a dynamic city on a human scale with 45,000 students.

#### STUDENT LIFE

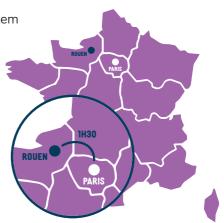
- Social Events organized by students and the International Department
- 35 student associations and clubs on the campus (events, sports, international club, art, games)

#### **HEALTH & WELL-BEING**

- Benefit from the excellent and free French healthcare system
- On campus psychological support team
- Disability friendly campus and personalized support
- University hospital within 15'

#### ACCOMMODATION

- Secured residences
- University residences
- Private rental accommodations or with families



#### **LET'S MEET**



Our international team will be pleased to answer to any question you may have : courses, student life, tuition fees ...

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#### **TUITION FEES\* 2024-2025**

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