# TSE Admission process: Master's, 2<sup>nd</sup> year (French degree)

Dear applicant,

Thank you for your interest in TSE! Please find below some key information regarding this campaign. Please note that this campaign is only open to students who validated at least the first year of a Master's degree offered by a French university.

Our service compiled these guidelines to help you in your application process. We strongly advise you to read it in its entirety before reaching out: we receive a lot of e-mails when campaigns are open, and although we do our best to answer your enquiries quickly, it might take a while for us to get back to you. Hopefully you will find the answer to your question in these guidelines!

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The <u>TSE eCandidatures platform</u> will be accessible from May 2nd up until May 13th, 2024. Before that, you will only be able to create your account and fill in your information.

We strongly encourage you to avoid applying at the last minute in case your application would be deemed incomplete. The Admissions service will not accept any application which would have been sent after May 13th, 11:59 pm.

Admission results will be published on Monday, June 17th, 2024.

# How and where to apply

As a foreign student, you may need a **visa** to come and study in France.

- ➤ If you don't need a visa, you only have to apply through eCandidatures.
  - If you do need a visa, you may need to follow a double procedure.

Apply at TSE via our eCandidatures platform:



eCandidatures

Click on the logo to access the website.

This application procedure is detailed in the next pages.

Start by creating your account, then click on the **link you received** to confirm your e-mail address (link valid for a limited time).

#### **Etudes en France**





Click on the logos to visit their websites and find out more about this procedure.

/!\ Please note that your application will <u>not</u> be valid if you only applied through the Etudes en France platform: you <u>must submit an application via eCandidatures</u> so that it can be reviewed by TSE selection committees.

# Creating your account on eCandidatures

Before being able to work on your application, you must fill in your information by clicking on the different items showing in the column on the left. Here are some instructions to help you.

Note that you can change the language in the home screen ("accueil").





#### 1) Personal Info.

- The INE number is shown on any of your grade transcripts obtained in France (Bac transcript or University studies).
- 2) Baccalauréat (Name of the secondary school diploma degree in France)
- Tick "I have the baccalauréat or equivalent qualification"
- Then "0031 titre étranger admis en equivalence" (equivalent foreign diploma).
- To specify your grade: Très Bien is A+, Bien is A, Assez bien is B, and Passable is C.

#### 3) Internal curriculum

• If you ever were a student of the Université Toulouse Capitole, this section will be automatically filled in once your INE is recognised. Otherwise, just skip it.

### Your account is ready!

You can now click on "Applications" to select the Master's program of your choice.

#### 4) External course

- Indicate all the studies you followed after secondary school (Bachelor's and/or Master's).
- Choose "Licence" for a Bachelor's degree and "Master" for a Master's degree.
- Specify the title of your degree in "Course description"

#### 5) On-the-job training

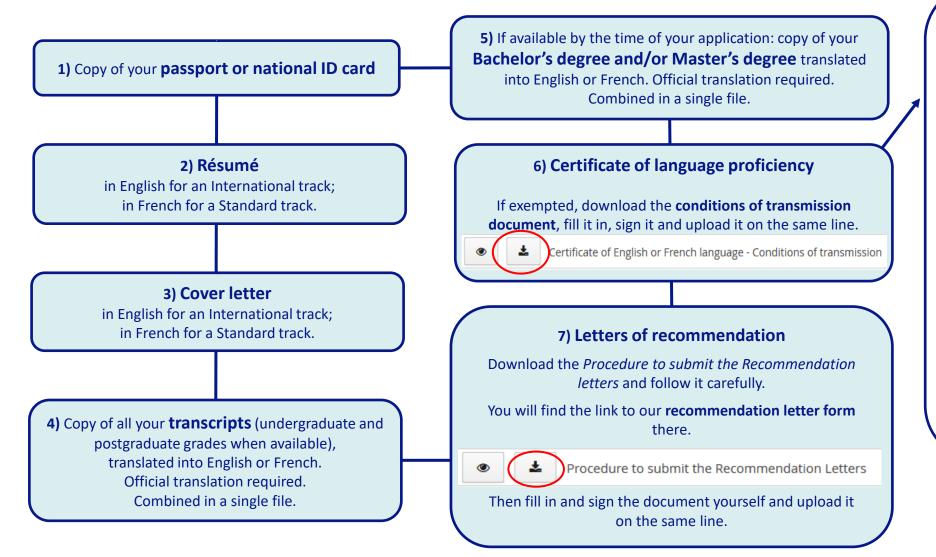
 Recommended but optional section. Refer any internship or trainee positions you may have had.

#### 6) Professional experience

• Recommended but optional section. Refer any jobs you may have had.

# Documents needed for one application

You have to submit a file for each line of your application by clicking on the . Check our <u>FAQ section</u> for some additional tips regarding size of documents or frequent technical problems.



## Accepted certificates of language proficiency:

#### **International tracks:**

- TOEFL iBT 90/120 at « Best scores »
   (Home edition accepted)
- IELTS Academic 7/9
- Cambridge English Certificate C1 level

#### Are exempted from providing a certificate:

- Native English speakers
- Holders of a 2-year degree awarded in an English speaking country
- Holders of a 3-year Bachelor's degree or 2year Master's degree 100% taught in English

#### Standard tracks:

TCF or DALF – C1 level

#### Are exempted from providing a certificate:

- Native French speakers
- Holders of a 2-year degree awarded in a French speaking country

# Filling in the extra form

Do not forget to fill in the mandatory questionnaire in the "Extra forms" tab!

It will give us precious information to help us review your application, including your preferences between the different programs (if you apply to several).

▲ Do not forget to consult 'Extra in	formation' and 'Extra forms' ta	abs		
Supporting documents	🕝 Extra forms 🕽 i E	xtra information	Bloc-notes	

### Technical tips:

- Make sure you're still connected to eCandidatures while you fill it in.
- Please note that your answers will only be visible the next day as the system updates every night.
- Once you fill it in, your answers will be visible in each of your different applications. We would thus advise you to do one application first, fill in the questionnaire, and then come back the next day to check the questionnaire is not "pending" and deal with your other applications.

# Sending your application + What happens next?

#### Send your application by clicking on

Send my application

You will receive a confirmation e-mail.

Once the file is sent, you cannot modify it so make sure everything is finalised before sending it.

TSE Admissions office will review your documents.

Check your e-mails regularly!

If your file is **NOT complete**, please
rectify the missing
documents by the
return deadline
(May 13th 24).
Incomplete files **will not** be reviewed by our
selection committee.

If your file is **complete**, the selection commitee will review your application.

You will then receive one of **three possible** answers.

Re-send your application

Send my application

#### 3 possible answers

available on eCandidatures by June 17th (check your e-mails!)

1) TSE declines your application.

We wish you the best in your future projects.

2) TSE puts your application on a waiting list

We will get in touch as early as possible if a seat becomes available for you.

3) TSE approves your application

It is then up to you to either confirm or decline the offer by July 8<sup>th</sup>, 2024.

#### You confirm the offer.

Welcome aboard!
Enrollment will take place online from midJuly or at your arrival at TSE in September,
depending on your level of French.
The Admissions office will get in touch with
you soon.

You decline the offer.

You are welcome to apply again for 2025-2026.
See you soon!

### eCandidatures technical FAQ

"I cannot log in, the website shows a message of error Erreur à la validation du compte."

Depending on your browser or e-mail provider, the link you receive in the automated e-mail to validate your account may not work. You have to close eCandidatures (if already open), then copy the URL address and paste it in your browser.

• <u>"I cannot upload my documents because they are too big."</u>

Indeed you need to upload a single PDF file (or JPEG/PNG format) that cannot exceed 2 MB. To merge or compress your documents, you can find free online PDF tools online.

• "I cannot modify anything in my application file because it is "blocked by another user".

You must have opened eCandidatures in several pages or different browsers (or closed the page and reopened it right away). You need to log out, close everything, and open eCandidatures again after having waited for a couple of minutes.

• <u>"I want to modify one of the documents I submitted in my file, how do I change it?"</u>

If you have already sent your file, you need to contact us: application files noted down as "Received" or "Complete" cannot be modified. If you have not, then simply click on the button to delete the document, and once again on the to add a new one.

• "I want to apply to a specific path of the M2 Environmental Economics and Policy but I cannot find it on eCandidatures..."

Former Master's programs in *Economics & Ecology* and *Environmental & Natural Resources Economics* are now two separate paths of the same Master's in *Environmental Economics and Policy (EEP)*: you will only need to create one application to the EEP program, even if you are interested in both paths. In September, you will register into one of the two paths. In the meantime, please specify in your cover letter which path has your preference. In the extra form, you will also have to rank the two paths accordingly. If you're interested in both paths, please explain what are your specific motivations for each of them.

If you could not find the answer to your question here, do not hesitate to get in touch with the Admissions service by writing to <a href="mailto:admissions@tse-fr.eu">admissions@tse-fr.eu</a>.