

# International programmes in



# Vision & Robotics



## Cost & Financial support



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*This information sheet provides a rough overview of students' main expenses to be foreseen and financial support for which students could apply (if eligible), after student registration during their VIBOT-MaIA programme participation in Le Creusot, France. Amounts and support schemes are **revised every year by the involved institutions, and consequently may be subject to change** for academic year 2023-2024.*

*This funding cannot be guaranteed.*

Neither our programme nor our university provide grants or waivers for programme fees, cost of living and other costs.

**Students are and remain responsible for their own financial resources** for programme enrolment and consequently **must foresee and secure their full financing capacity for the entire programme duration, through their sponsors, bank loans or other sources covering:**

- Master programme fees
- cost of living, travel, insurance costs
- and any other costs and student contributions.

## 1 INDICATION OF COSTS:

### 1.1 Master programme fees

The global fees are confirmed in the 2023-2024 programme admission letter for 2023-2024 student registration at our Université de Bourgogne (uB), and cover:

- national university registration fees (defined every year by the French government) and
- programme specific fees.

#### **IMPORTANT:**

Student registration is conditioned on **full payment of programme fees** following the instructions provided by the programme administration. No grant, waiver or spread payment arrangements are proposed by the university. Students must make their own financial arrangements through their banks, sponsors or other sources.

### 1.2 Cost of living

Cost of living (e.g. student housing, food, insurances for housing and student liability, transport) for study periods spent in Le Creusot, France, should be roughly 650€\* per month.

\*This is the approximate amount for the monthly cost of living in Le Creusot, France. See with your Embassy/consular service (+ Italy and Spain for MaIA students and S4 traineeship destinations) to get confirmation and know the exact monthly amounts required for visa application(s) to be submitted by you.

See also:

<http://www.etudes-en-france.net/charges-mensuelles-pour-un-etudiant-en-france>

and for example (English links):

<https://www.campusfrance.org/en/preparing-budget-student-France>

[https://www.numbeo.com/cost-of-living/country\\_result.jsp?country=France](https://www.numbeo.com/cost-of-living/country_result.jsp?country=France)

### 1.3 CVEC - Contribution Vie Etudiante (French Student Life tax)

All students in France must pay a tax called “**Contribution Vie Etudiante Campus**” – CVEC, of **100€**/student/academic year (rate 2023-2024, and which may be subject to change every year) to be paid on-line to CROUS, and must be performed **prior to student registration and after reception of the French Visa**.

Students should connect to <https://www.messervices.etudiant.gouv.fr/envole/> (see also FAQ <https://www.messervices.etudiant.gouv.fr/envole/page/faq?locale=en>) to proceed with on-line payment of this tax and downloading of the CVEC certificate requested by the university for Student Registration. On-line CVEC payment should normally open as from July 1, 2022.

### 1.4 Insurances

To be taken out by you:

- Private global insurance scheme (health care/accident, liability, repatriation ...) **covering you for the first months at least, until confirmation of effective enrolment in French Social Security system (“Sécurité Sociale”)**. Note that this French system only covers **nationally defined health costs up to a defined limit. No other cover is included.**
- French Social Security scheme\*, managed by French Caisse Primaire Assurance Maladie institution (CPAM).

Students must personally enroll in and manage their French General Social Security scheme on line. A special procedure is dedicated to international students: <https://etudiant-etranger.ameli.fr/#/> This national basic scheme is **compulsory for all** and **free of charge**.

- Student liability insurance (**compulsory** for students)
- Housing insurance (**compulsory** for all in France)
- Complementary health insurance (strongly recommended notably essential in case of hospitalization and need for specialist consultation) through CPAM or private provider.

### 1.5 Travel related costs

Besides the round trip from and back to home country, also foresee possible traveling for semester 4 traineeship destinations or holiday period.

## 2 SECURING SUFFICIENT FINANCIAL RESOURCES:


Students **must foresee and secure the required financial resources** to cover the global tuitions fees as well as the above-mentioned minimum monthly amount to cover all necessary expenses for the programme period. Proof of sufficient and secured resources will be required for visa application procedures. Financial support detailed on page 3 is bound by eligibility conditions, and consequently can't be guaranteed.

**Job during studies:** The programme workload and schedule is dense. It would be very difficult to work while studying.

### 3 FRENCH FINANCIAL SUPPORT/ FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES:

The table below gives students an overview of financial support and funding opportunities.

- Eligibility rules and budgets for any financial support provided by the institutions mentioned below, evolve every year.
- Eligibility for and effective award of these grants to a student **can never be guaranteed**.
- Applications can only be submitted by the students personally, **after uB student registration, only once they're in France** and in compliance with regulations and timeframes of the involved institutions.

Financial support* : grants, allowances, other
<p><i>*The provided amounts for potential French grant opportunities/allowances and conditions detailed in this table are those observed for academic year 2021/2022. Their amounts and conditions evolve every year and <u>are consequently subject to change</u>. <u>No rights can be conferred to this information.</u></i></p>
<p><b>International mobility grants</b></p> <p>There are two types of international mobility grants potentially applicable to semesters spent abroad (for studying or for doing a traineeship) by uB registered students. They are proposed by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Bourgogne Franche Comté Regional Council</b></li> <li>• <b>European Union</b> (Erasmus+ mobility Programme).</li> </ul> <p>For further information, contact our <u>local Le Creusot Campus</u> International Relations Officer, Alice MERIAUDEAU (<a href="mailto:Alice.Meriaudeau@u-bourgogne.fr">Alice.Meriaudeau@u-bourgogne.fr</a> ).</p> <p><b>Do not contact UB Dijon's IR office</b> since your place of study is Le Creusot, <u>not Dijon</u> and procedures may differ. The above-mentioned international mobility grants would only apply to Masters study periods spent outside France.</p> <p>For further information see uB web site (in French): <a href="https://ub-link.u-bourgogne.fr/ma-formation/etudier-et-faire-un-stage-a-l-etranger/aides-financieres.html">https://ub-link.u-bourgogne.fr/ma-formation/etudier-et-faire-un-stage-a-l-etranger/aides-financieres.html</a>.</p>
<p><b>Traineeship stipend</b></p> <p>If you spend your 4th semester (Research training period) in France, you will be paid a traineeship stipend following French national regulations, e.g. 2022-2023 this was roughly 4.05€/hour, for the 5 months traineeship (35 hours work week).</p>
<p><b>Student housing allowance</b></p> <p>CAF (Caisse d'Allocation Familiale) student housing allowance (French public institution). Eligibility and actual amount of the allowance is defined at national level. This allowance is income based and can't be guaranteed. Applications are to be performed by the student <a href="https://www.caf.fr/">https://www.caf.fr/</a></p>
<p><b>Other Links (application date differ from grants opportunities detailed above!):</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="https://campusbourses.campusfrance.org/#/catalog?lang-ang">https://campusbourses.campusfrance.org/#/catalog?lang-ang</a></li> <li>• <a href="https://www.campusfrance.org/en/france-excellence-europa-scholarship-program">https://www.campusfrance.org/en/france-excellence-europa-scholarship-program</a> For European students only</li> <li>• International Financial Aid and College Scholarship Search: <a href="http://www.ief.org/scholarships">http://www.ief.org/scholarships</a></li> <li>• UNESCO fellowships Programmes: <a href="http://www.unesco.org/new/en/fellowships/">http://www.unesco.org/new/en/fellowships/</a></li> </ul>
<p> Regularly check our programme website for updates on any new grant opportunities known to us.</p>