



# PGE INFORMATION

# **General Information about PGE / Master in Management (MiM)**

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# IMPORTANT NOTE

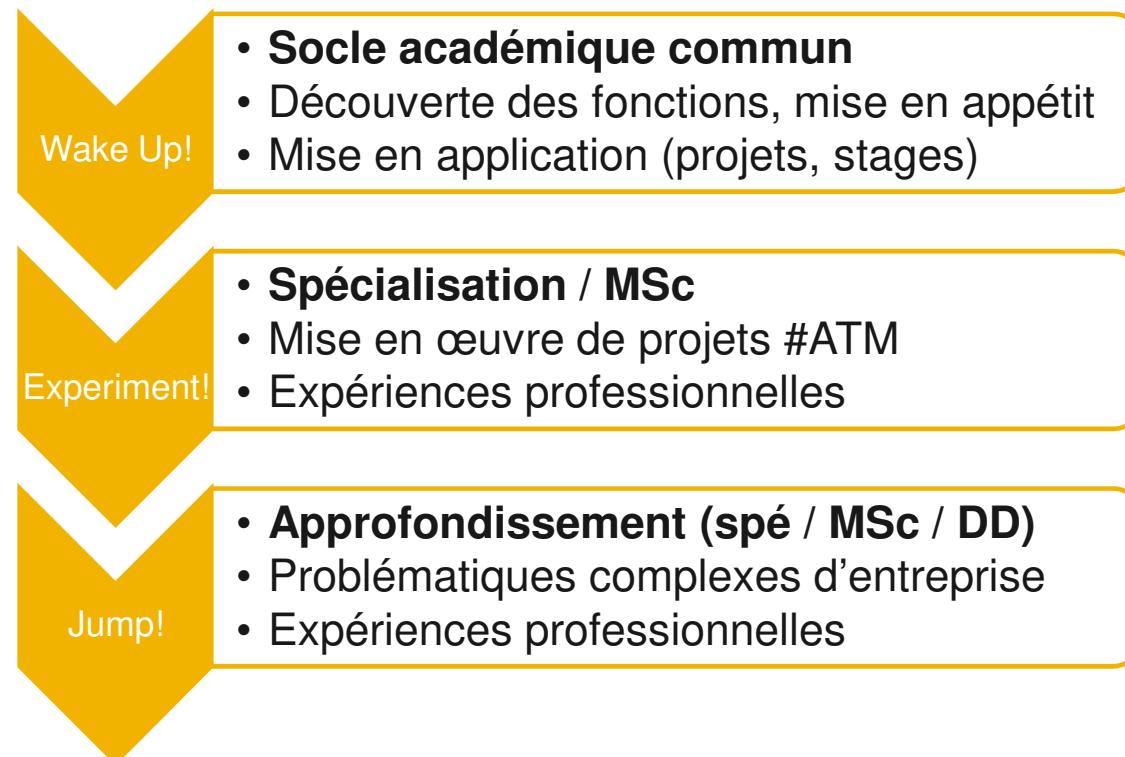
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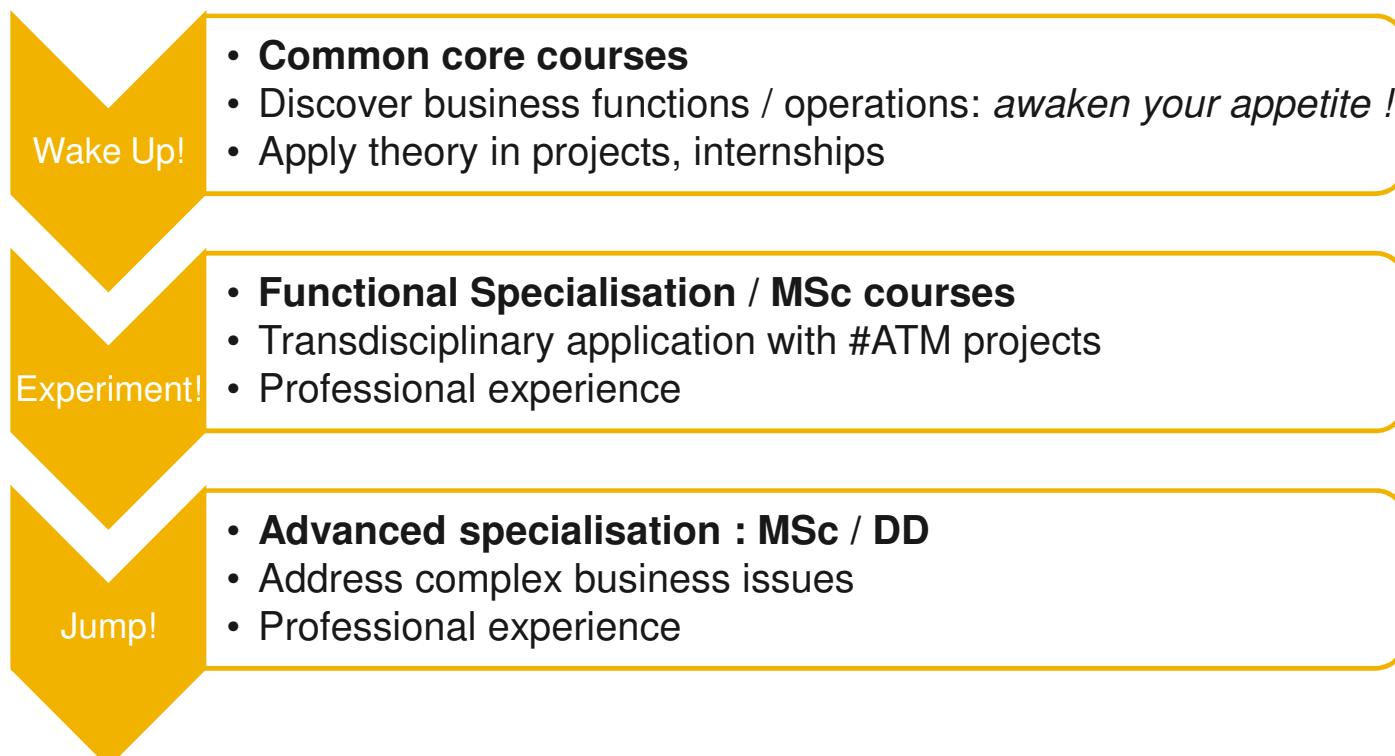
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browse through other documentation  
(namely, course regulations)*

# PROGRAMME STRUCTURE

# LE PGE EN TROIS TEMPS

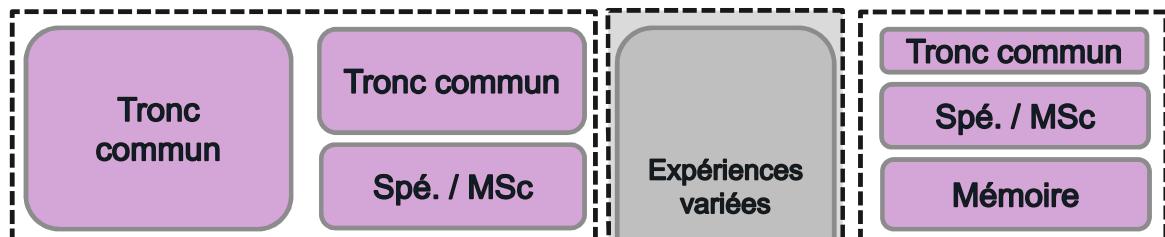


# The PGE is divided into THREE STAGES

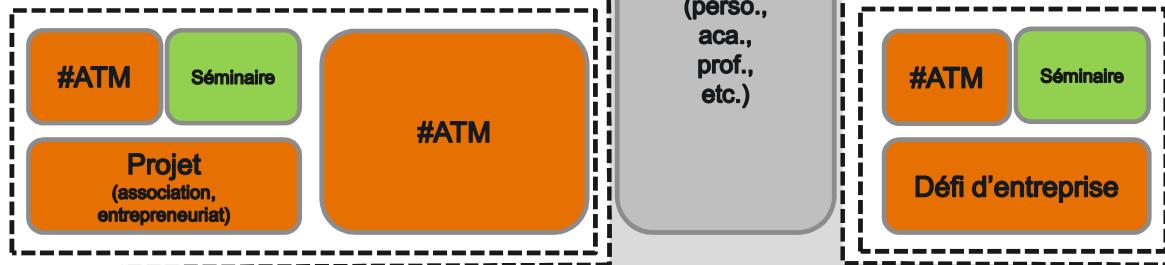




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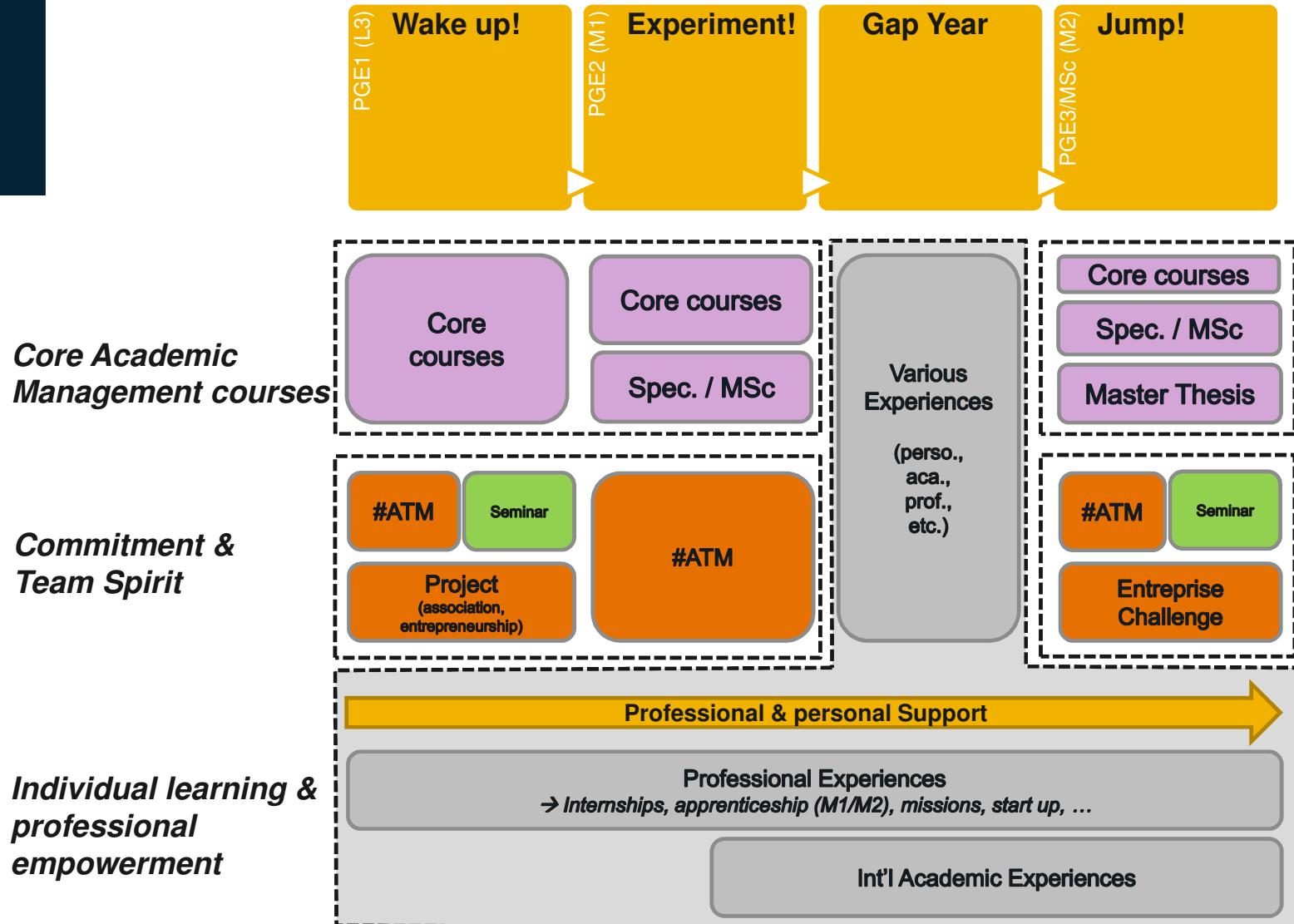


### *Engagement en équipe*



### *Formation & Professionnalisation Individuelle*





# ECTS CREDITS

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  - In three years: 180 ECTS (PGE 1,2,3 – L3-M1-M2).
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- **1 year = 60 ECTS (credits) = 2 independent semesters of 30 credits each**
  - **1 semester = a set of modules (aka “courses”)**
  - **1 ECTS = 30 hrs of student learning** (on-campus classes, personal work, assignments, readings, digital learning, examinations, etc.)

*Example:*

- 4-ECTS module = 120 hrs of student learning (4 ECTS \* 30 hrs), including on-campus classes & digital learning (30 hrs).
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*Exemple:*

- Module de 4 crédits = 120 h de travail (4 crédits \* 30 h de travail), incluant cours et e-learning pour 30h.
- Prévoyez 120h – 30h = **90h de travail personnel.**



***Autonomie & responsabilité***

# MODULES DESCRIPTORS

## The syllabus

For each module, your instructor submits a [syllabus](#), which provides a global course description:

- **Module description:** the general content of the module.
- **Intended Learning Outcomes (ILOs):** expected knowledge & skills.
- **Descriptors:** how the module relates to the mission related strands - Sustainability, #ATM, international issues, and SDGs.
- **Module outline:** a brief description of sessions.
- **Teaching:** teaching and learning methods adopted.
- **Course material and readings:** references and useful resources.
- **Research connection:** how this module is linked to ICN faculty research activities and emerging trends in management research.
- **Assessment:** components, types, methods, weighting, and how each component relates to ILOs.
- **Programme learning objectives:** contribution to the PGE learning objectives (LOs).

# DESCRIPTION DES MODULES

## Le syllabus

Pour chaque module du programme, le professeur établit un [syllabus](#) où l'on trouve les éléments suivants :

- **Présentation du cours** : le contenu général du module, les sujets abordés.
- **Connaissances et compétences visées**: Intended Learning Outcomes (ILOs).
- **Descripteurs**: liens avec la DD/RSE, #ATM, l'international, et les ODDs.
- **Contenu**: description sommaire des sessions.
- **Pédagogie**: les méthodes pédagogiques utilisées.
- **Bibliographie**: références et autres ressources utiles.
- **Connexion avec la recherche**: lien entre le cours et la recherche académique de la faculté, notamment.
- **Mode d'évaluation**: composantes de l'évaluation, types, méthodes et poids, et la façon dont chaque composant contribue aux ILOs.
- **Objectifs d'apprentissage du programme**: contribution de ce module aux objectifs généraux du PGE (LOs).

# BLENDED LEARNING

## (Teaching methods)

- **On-campus classes (IC/PR):**
  - Classical synchronous in-class course sessions
- **Digital Learning Resources (DR/MN) – *not planned*:**
  - Asynchronous, at home
  - Based on resources provided by your instructor (videos, digital material, readings, ...)
- **Project (30-hrs modules only):**
  - In class, or via videolink
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# BLENDED LEARNING

## (Méthodes d'enseignement)

- **En classe (PR) :**
  - Cours classiques, synchrones, en classe
- **Matériel numérique (MN) – *non planifié* :**
  - Asynchrone, à la maison
  - A partir de ressources fournies par le professeur (vidéos, lectures, ...)
- **Projet (*modules de 30h seulement*):**
  - En classe, ou en visioconférence
  - Travail de groupe sur un projet lié au cours
- **Travail personnel additionnel – *non planifié*:**
  - A réaliser en plus de ce qui précède
  - **Pour les lectures préliminaires ou d'approfondissement, les exercices, projets, ...**

# PROGRAMME PHILOSOPHY

# MISSION ET VALEURS D'ICN

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## Nos valeurs :

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- Engagement
- Esprit d'équipe

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- Commitment
- Team Spirit

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# LES BONNES PRATIQUES

## Les moyens d'apprendre et de renouveler ses connaissances

- S'appuyer sur les **textbooks** et le matériel pédagogique indiqué par le professeur (ouvrages, articles, ...).
- Avoir été « **suffisamment exposé** » à des connaissances pour qu'elles vous marquent : vous saurez les rafraîchir et les mobiliser en temps voulu.
- **Mettre en pratique** les cours pour développer des compétences à la fois théoriques et pratiques.
- **Apprendre à apprendre** dès maintenant (vous apprendrez tout au long de votre vie)
- Développer des « **softs skills** » en parallèle des « **hard skills** » (liées au cours).

👉 **No master degree without readings and hard work!**

# GOOD PRACTICES

## How to learn and renew your skills and knowledge?

- **Read carefully** all suggested textbooks, and, of course, any other material prescribed
  - **Make sure you are « exposed » enough** to all proposed disciplines: in the future, you will need to easily use and refresh your knowledge, as and when required
  - **Practice** (projects, exercises, ...)
  - **Learn how to learn** (long life learning)
  - **Develop your soft skills**, in addition to hard skills (associated to modules)
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# SOFT SKILLS

## That make a difference

✓ **Plasticity**

- Flexibility, autonomy, resilience

✓ **Open-mindedness**

- Listening, empathy
- Creativity
- Agility
- Curiosity

✓ **Commitment:** willing to learn, willing to do...

✓ **Team spirit**

- Leadership

✓ **Ethics**

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- Agilité
- Curiosité

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### ✓ Esprit d'équipe

- Leadership

### ✓ Ethique

# ASSESSMENT

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**A module may require several assessment tasks (cf Syllabus)**

- Continuous assessment, final examination (several methods)
- One single grade per module
- Minimum grade: 7/20
- **Only professors can grade, and are fully responsible for grading**
  
- **Each semester is evaluated based on the weighted average grades of its modules, and:**
  - 10 out of 20 is not sufficient to pass
  -  minimum (disqualifying) grade + nbr of failed modules + absences + ...
  
- **Retake: In August (PGE1/PGE2/M1) and in June (PGE3/M2)**

# ÉVALUATIONS

## Un module organise un ensemble d'épreuves (voir syllabus)

- Contrôle continu, contrôle terminal (avec différentes méthodes)
- Calcul d'une note par module
- Note éliminatoire : 7/20 sur un module
- **Le professeur est maître de sa notation**
  
- **Le semestre est évaluée par la moyenne pondérée des notes des modules, mais :**
  - Il ne suffit pas d'avoir 10/20 pour valider le semestre
  -  Note éliminatoire + nombre de modules non validé + assiduité + ...
  
- **Rattrapages:** en août (PGE1/PGE2/M1) et en juin (PGE3/M2)

## JURY

# Examen des résultats de l'étudiant

- **En fonction des résultats obtenus, le jury prononce :**
  - Le passage en année supérieure ou la diplomation en fin de cursus
  - Le redoublement semestriel ou annuel (un seul redoublement possible pour tout le cursus)
  - La non-autorisation de poursuite d'études
  - **Ne visez pas le 10/20 de moyenne générale, cela ne garantit rien.**
- **Deux principes fondamentaux à propos du jury :**
  - Souveraineté : il est le seul à prendre la décision
  - Non motivation : il n'explique pas sa décision

→ **Relisez le règlement d'examens que vous avez signé lors de votre inscription !**

# PROGRAMME BOARD

## Assessment of student achievement

**Depending on results obtained, the Programme Board decides:**

- Admission/progression to the next Year of the programme, or graduation, at the end of the course
- Repeat (re-take) one semester, or the whole year (only one re-take is admitted during the entire course)
- Failure and dismissal from the programme
- Do not target 10/20 of semester average grade; this will not guarantee progression.

**Two fundamental guiding principles are applied in Programme Board:**

- It is sovereign: it retains the responsibility for the final decisions on condonement for failure, progression, referral and deferral.
- Decisions and Board discussions remain confidential: it does not provide justification for the final decisions
- Check “course regulations” on MyICN (you signed this document when you registered!)

# THE PROGRAMME BOARD

## Common rules

- The general semester average grade will **not** determine the semester's validation
- The **total number of FAILed modules** will be the main criterion
- Grade levels are important, especially in specialisation modules
- The programme board takes into account **academic facts only**
  - Students' non-academic (over)involvement will not be taken into account.
  - Financial issues are to be discussed with the Financial Services of ICN, not the programme board.

# THE PROGRAMME BOARD

## Referral assessments (re-takes)

- **Check your student records to know if you have resits**  
Only one resit per module, per academic year.
- **Make sure you are available during planned resit sessions**  
Exam schedulex will not be customized!
- **Make sure you follow instructions and strictly conform to deadlines**  
Some re-takes do not require your presence. Personal work is to be submitted on time.

# THE PROGRAMME BOARD

## When will you graduate?

- **1st session: July**
  - Every module / quitus / experience, must be validated by mid-June
  - *Your last internship has come to an end, and is validated before the programme board takes place.*
  - *Your apprenticeship may end at the end of August.*
- **2<sup>nd</sup> session: November**
  - Every module / quitus / experience, must be validated by mid-September
  - *Internships / apprenticeship have come to an end, and are validated before the programme board takes place.*

# THE PROGRAMME BOARD

## Check list

- **Main points**

- All the 3 PGE quitus must be validated beforehand: no not count on dispensations.
- Do not consider your faculty tutor as your personal assistant: **YOU** must check your file.

- **Check well in advance:**

- With your faculty tutor: all professional experiences assessed / graded / validated?
- With MyICN / registrar: properly uploaded TOEFL/TOEIC score on MyICN?

- **After the programme board meeting:**

- Check your results
- Call the registrar if you find any error, **after checking** that you actually submitted all required information to graduate!
  - Only administrative mistakes are considered (incorrect / missing grades, missing document, ...)
  - No possible discussion about your grades with registrar / programme director / programme board.
- Warning: access to your results requires a completed registration

# CONSEIL DE DISCIPLINE

- **Se réunit sur demande des professeurs ou de l'administration en cas :**
  - De manquement aux règlements, notamment le règlement intérieur
  - De comportements inadéquats à l'école, en stage, en séjour, ...
  - De plagiat 💣 💣 💣 (tristement fréquent)
  - NB : Compilatio détecte à peu près tous les plagiats, et vos professeurs encore plus !

# DISCIPLINARY COMMITTEE

- **Convened on request (by professors, administration, ...) in case of:**
  - Failure to comply with regulations
  - Inadequate behavior at school, in companies (during internships or apprenticeships), with partner universities, ...
  - Plagiarism     - Note: Compilatio software detects almost all cases of plagiarism (and your professors even more!)

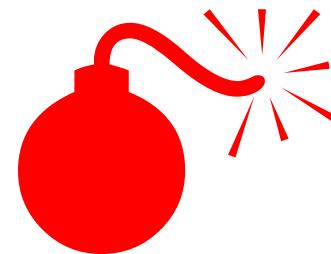
# PLAGIARISM AND FRAUD



**Plagiarism is not acceptable**  
**Plagiarism is always a bad solution!**

- **Plagiarism is:**
  - Copying / pasting some content without reformulating it (**must** be below 10%)
  - Not citing sources
  - Not quoting
- **Consequences**
  - Module invalidated, AND:
  - Disciplinary board (can lead to dismissal from the programme)

# PLAGIAT ET FRAUDE



**Le plagiat n'est pas pardonnable.  
C'est toujours une mauvaise solution**

- **Plagier, c'est :**
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  - Ne pas citer ses sources
  - Ne pas utiliser les guillemets pour faire apparaître l'emprunt
- **Conséquences :**
  - Invalidation du module, mais aussi...
  - Conseil de discipline (risque d'être exclus du programme).

**LG / LO**

# OBJECTIFS DU PGE : VOTRE PROFIL

## (Learning Goals & Objectives)

***Les « goals » se traduisent en « objectives » mesurables***

- **LG1.** Graduates will be able to **develop thorough knowledge** in management fields and **demonstrate their specific skills** (**Knowledge & adaptability**)
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# PGE QUITUS

# LES TROIS QUITUS

**Un quitus sanctionne l'exécution d'une activité incontournable**

*Tous les quitus doivent être obtenus au plus tard à la fin du PGE3*

- **LV1 anglais** : vous maîtrisez l'anglais
- **International** : vous avez travaillé ou avez été formé en partie à l'étranger
- **Professionnel** : vous êtes opérationnels en milieu professionnel

# PGE'S THREE QUITUS / COURSE REQUIREMENTS

**A quitus states that a mandatory activity has been realized**

*All quitus must be validated by the end of M2*

- **English proficiency:** you are proficient in business English
- **International experience:** part of your experience has been done abroad
- **Professional experience:** you are ready to join a company

# QUITUS VALIDATION

## Recommendation

**Too often, quitus validation is a problem at the end of PGE!**

- **Evaluate** your situation today!
  - When do you satisfy to all required quitus?
  - How?
  - What time do you have to get prepared, apply, etc.
  - Any alternate plan, just in case... ?
- ☞ **Exceptions are rarely granted by the programme board. DO NOT COUNT ON THEM!**

# QUITUS & APPRENTISSAGE

## (Statut apprenti seulement)

- **LV1/ Anglais** : mêmes conditions qu'en statut étudiant.
- **Quitus professionnel** : le contrat d'apprentissage M1+M2 couvre la durée minimale requise (9 mois en entreprise – on ne compte pas les périodes passées à l'école).  
*Attendez-vous à un rythme soutenu.*  
La validation se fait au travers des livrables habituels et du « **livret d'apprentissage** »
  - Le lien entre l'entreprise, vous, et l'école.
  - Partagé par l'entreprise et l'école.
  - Complété par le maître d'apprentissage et le tuteur école.
- **Quitus international** : exempté si le contrat d'apprentissage est mené à son terme.

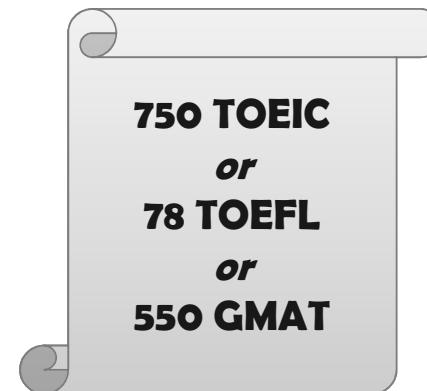
Conseil : si possible, passez le S6 dans une filiale de votre entreprise à l'étranger  
Une expérience internationale est **toujours** valorisée / valorisable dans un CV.

# QUITUS LV1

# ENGLISH PROFICIENCY

## Minimum score (toeic, toefl, or gmat)

- A minimal score is required for:
  - Graduation (for all students, except native speakers)
  - Selection for an academic semester with a Partner University (P.U.)
  - Access to an ICN MSc double degree track.
- You must anticipate:
  - Evaluate and adjust your level
    - *Example:* plan some activities in English environment at the end of PGE1/PGE2
  - Seriously prepare for the exam
  - Get some information about P.U. expectations



# LE QUITUS LV1 ANGLAIS

**Un score minimal à une certification externe  
(*toeic, toefl, ou gmat*)**

- **Un score minimal est indispensable pour :**
  - Obtenir le diplôme (quel que soit le parcours)
  - Etre sélectionné en université partenaire (chacune a ses propres exigences)
  - Accéder aux MSc ICN
- **Il est impératif d'anticiper :**
  - Evaluatez et ajustez votre niveau en langue(s)
    - *Exemple* : prévoyez une activité en environnement anglophone en fin de PGE1 / PGE2
  - Préparez sérieusement (et ne repoussiez pas trop) les épreuves externes
  - Informez-vous sur les exigences des partenaires



# ENGLISH PRACTICE

**Make sure you get your TOEIC/TOEFL on time!**

- **Step #1: give a priority to English**
  - English language modules in PGE1/PGE2 until you reach the required level
  - Use GlobalExam e-learning platform for self learning & testing
  - Practice & work as often as possible
- **Step #2: once you have achieved our goal**
  - Other language modules in PGE1/PGE2
- **Warning:** The programme board enforces strict requirements:
  - No exemption after two fails
  - No exemption because of professional career start
  - No exemption below the required grade

# DO YOU SPEAK ENGLISH?

## (Of course, you do...)

### Langue d'enseignement et d'interactions

- **Vous avez choisi la langue du tronc commun : FRA ou ENG.**
  - Les discussions se feront dans la langue choisie.
  - L'examen se fera dans la langue choisie.
- **MAIS il arrivera que :**
  - Un intervenant ne soit pas francophone.
  - Les slides, articles, ouvrages soient en anglais.

 *L'anglais n'est pas considéré comme une langue étrangère dans le monde des affaires. Il n'existe donc pas de parcours garanti 100% en français à ICN.*

# DO YOU SPEAK ENGLISH?

## (Of course, you do...)

### Teaching and working Language

- You have chosen your teaching language: FRA or ENG.
  - Discussions will be held in this language.
  - Exams will be taken in this language.
- BUT it will happen that:
  - Your instructor does not speak French.
  - Slides, articles, books are in English.

 *English is not considered as a Foreign Language in our business environment. There is no guarantee for a 100%-French course.*

# QUITUS INT'L

# INTERNATIONAL QUITUS

## A “must have”

- We encourage global citizenship
- This is a fundamental experience (specified in French national HE regulations) associated with the master level
  - It is mandatory to graduate
  - It is an important Learning Objective of your programme
  - It is also a great personal experience!
- You must **anticipate** and prepare your experiences as soon as possible
  - Be informed about partner universities, job opportunities, requirements, procedures...
  - Assess and adjust your level of English
  - Achieve the best possible academic results (best in class means top priority!)

# INTERNATIONAL QUITUS

## Eligible activities

One academic semester abroad \_\_\_\_\_ and / or \_\_\_\_\_  
A professional experience abroad (5 months)

- Partner Universities (P.U.) offer various options: S4, A/E, S5, S6.  
**Warning: if your academic semester is done during the Gap Year ECTS credits cannot be used.**
- Your experience must be validated to obtain the int'l quitus.
- Specific cases (see MyICN):
  - Foreign students (quitus is automatically validated),
  - Apprenticeship and long double degrees (exemption in some cases)
    - **But we strongly encourage you to achieve some international experience**
  - Berlin: as foreign students, or French students abroad, you validate this quitus by living & studying in Berlin.

# INTERNATIONAL QUITUS

## Intercultural experiences at ICN

- **At ICN:**
  - Many foreign students and professors
  - English track, specialisations, MSc, workshops
  - « Globe & Co » Association
  - International Competency Certificate (*work in progress*)
- **P.U. – Partner Universities and other venues**
  - ICN Berlin
  - 120+ universities, double degrees...
  - For one semester, one year, ... or more!
  - Once or several times

# INTERNATIONAL QUITUS

## Time matters!

- **You are in PGE1**
  - Gather as much information as you can
  - Plan your PGE journey, decide what to do and when
  - Apply in January, if you plan to go abroad in PGE2/M1
- **You are in PGE2/M1, or in Gap Year**
  - Very begining of the year: contact SRI to check is some places are still available for January
  - Consider a gap year: professional experience abroad, or academic semester?
  - Apply in January to for an academic semester in the next year
- **You are in PGE3/M2, and you have nothing in sight to validate your int'l quitus**
  - You are late and you may be in trouble to graduate on time!
  - Look for a professional experience abroad during S6.
  - Consider a VIE after PGE3, if possible (warning: you may *not* graduate before the end of the VIE)

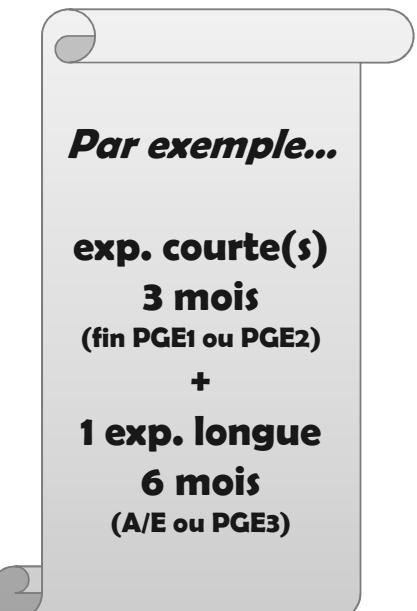
# QUITUS PRO

# QUITUS PROFESSIONNEL

## Expérience professionnelle minimale

### Neuf mois d'expériences professionnelles validées

- **On parle d'expériences professionnelles au sens large :**
  - Réalisées tout au long du cursus
  - Avec des formes variées de contrat : convention de stage, contrat d'apprentissage,
  - Mais aussi : *CDD, CDI, VIE, travail dans votre propre entreprise (projet entrepreneurial) ...*
- **Il existe différentes contraintes selon le type de contrat choisi, mais :**
  - La mission doit être validée préalablement par le tuteur école
  - L'expérience doit être enregistrée et autorisée avant de débuter
  - Chaque expérience est évaluée séparément
  - L'expérience doit être réussie pour que sa durée puisse être comptabilisée



# PROFESSIONAL QUITUS

## Minimum professional experience

### Nine months of validated professional experience

- We talk about « professional » experience:
  - Achieved during the PGE course.
  - Various contracts are admitted: internship agreements, apprenticeship contracts.
  - But also: regular contracts, CDD, CDI, VIE, entrepreneurial projets...
- Constraints vary depending on the contract, but:
  - A clear mission must be validated by your faculty tutor, prior to the experience.
  - The experience must be registered and accepted before it starts.
  - Each experience is assessed independently.
  - The experience must be successful, to take its duration into account.

**Example:**

**Short exp.**

**3 months**  
(end of L3/ M1)

+

**One long exp.**  
**6 months**  
(G/Y or M2)

# PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

## Validation rules for each experience

- **For each experience:**

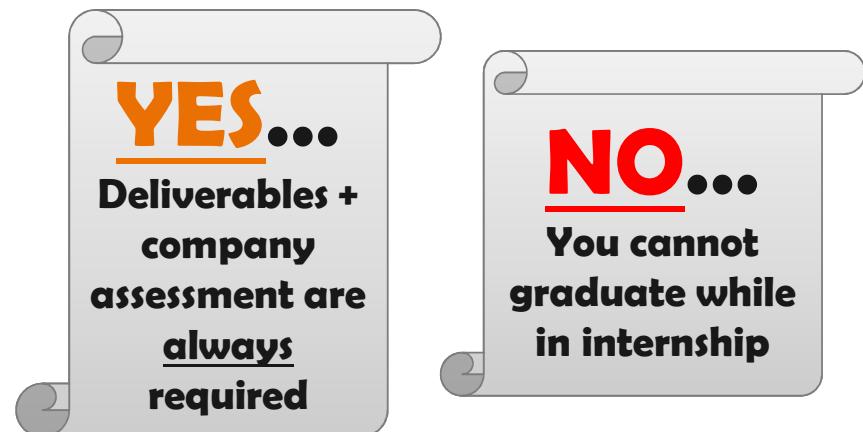
- You submit a number of required deliverables.
- Your company submits an evaluation form.
- The final validation takes into account both assessments.

- **As soon as you start any professional experience:**

- The quitus is suspended until the end of this experience.

- **Prof'l Quitus is validated at the end of the program**

- After completion and assessment of all professional experiences.
- One final grade for all your experiences appears in your PGE3/M2 transcript.
- As a consequence:
  - You see a zero in your PGE3/M2 transcript, until all experiences are validated.
  - Starting a PGE3/M2 internship means that your quitus is suspended, even if you have already achieved 9 months of professional experience.



# PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

## Special Personal Projects

**Entrepreneurial and/or #ATM project, according to your ambitions...**

- Working in your company is a professional experience that counts for the professional quitus!
  - Follow up of some PGE1 project, or start of a new project... You may also take advantage of:
    - Electives and learning agreements
    - Workshops, specialisations, double degree, #ATM activities, “**Station A**” ...
    - Master thesis on a topic close to your entrepreneurial concerns
- ☞ Contact us for more information : [entrepreneuriat@icn-artem.com](mailto:entrepreneuriat@icn-artem.com)

# PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

## Graduation

### Rules vary, depending on your contract

- **Internships:**
  - You cannot graduate before the end of an internship  
*(An internship implies a “student” status, which is lost as soon as you graduate)*  
→ **You must anticipate**, and choose carefully the ending date of your internship
- **Other contracts, including apprenticeship / French “contrat d’apprentissage”:**
  - The professional quitus may be granted as soon as the minimum length is reached, after validation of all experiences.  
→ You can graduate, and you do not have to break your contract.

# INTERNSHIPS REGULATIONS

## Some limitations

- **Length per academic year**
  - 6 months in the same company
  - Or  $n + m$  months in two companies, provided  $n + m \leq 6$
- **Internships must be (and are!) provisioned in PGE regulations:**
  - At the end of PGE1 / PGE2 (including the Gap Year)
  - In PGE3
- **Warning: post-PGE3 internship is not automatic**
  - Only if you do not reach the minimum (9 months)
  - ... or if you did not have a long internship at the end of the program.
  - **Absolute limit** : Dec. 31<sup>st</sup> after PGE3/M2
  - **Tuition fees apply if you register in a post-PGE3 year** ("PGE3+" or "prolongation")

# CONTRACTING WITH COMPANIES

## A strong commitment

- **Commitment is very important**, even if no contract has been signed yet.
- Do not chase many contracts in parallel, « cheating » companies
- Define precisely your mission, and ask your faculty tutor to validate it
- Never start a internship without a signed internship agreement (or other contract)
- Never end a contract by your own, without warning your faculty tutor, and SC&S / CFA

## The professional world is demanding!

- The company that welcomes you also counts on you
- Make sure you have fully understood the mission, conditions, requirements, expectations, etc.
- ICN will keep a close watch on students / company relationships
- Please contact your faculty tutor, and SC&S / CFA, if anything goes wrong

# ALTERNANCE / APPRENTISSAGE

L'alternance correspond à calendrier qui fixe l'organisation de l'année, avec son rythme de périodes à l'école et de périodes en entreprise. Le calendrier n'est pas personnalisable.

L'apprentissage correspond à un statut, lorsque vous avez signé un *contrat d'apprentissage*. *Un contrat peut être signé jusqu'à une date limite publiée chaque année.*

**On peut donc suivre une formation en alternance :**

- Sous statut apprenti, avec toutes les contraintes, obligations et dérogations associées.
  - *Les frais de scolarité sont réglés par un organisme extérieur.*
- Sous statut étudiant, en recherchant éventuellement un **stage alterné** durant les périodes « entreprise ».
  - *L'étudiant paye les frais de scolarité.*

**L'engagement dans une spécialisation en alternance, quel que soit le statut, se fait pour M1+M2**

→ Le jour de la rentrée, votre décision doit être prise.

→ Le contrat peut s'étendre sur M1+M2, ou bien sur M2 seulement (jamais sur « M1 seulement »).

# ALTERNANT EN PGE2 APPRENTI EN PGE3

**Ce changement de statut est tout à fait possible entre PGE2 et PGE3.**

Sans autre condition que l'obtention du contrat si vous demeurez dans la même spécialisation,  
Après avis favorable de la direction du programme sinon.

→ Si vous n'avez pas de contrat d'apprentissage en PGE2 avant la date limite officielle :

- Poursuivez en statut étudiant, éventuellement avec une ***convention de stage alterné***,
- Profitez d'une année expériences (optionnelle),
- Poursuivez vos recherches pour préparer PGE3.

# LA RECHERCHE DE CONTRAT D'APPRENTISSAGE

## Une véritable situation de recrutement

### ▪ Un engagement, même avant toute signature

- Rien n'est automatique ! Rien n'est acquis d'avance !
- Les notions d'engagement, de respect de la parole donnée sont primordiales.
- Précisez très consciencieusement la mission (**qui doit correspondre à votre spécialisation**); prenez des notes.
- L'entreprise qui vous accueille embauche un apprenti qui devient salarié de l'entreprise.
- L'Ecole sera très stricte sur la qualité des relations que vous entretenez avec toutes les entreprises.

*La notoriété de l'Ecole, du diplôme et des diplômés est en jeu !*

# PROFESSIONAL QUITUS

## Cas de l'alternance

### Neuf mois d'expériences professionnelles

- **Sous statut **apprenti** (avec contrat d'apprentissage) :**
  - La durée de votre contrat M1+M2 doit logiquement suffire (on décompte les périodes en entreprise uniquement).  
• Les autres expériences professionnelles PGE réalisées avec d'autres formes de contrat comptent également.
- **Sous statut **étudiant** (avec stage en alternance, mais sans contrat d'apprentissage) :**
  - Cumul de toutes vos expériences validées au titre du PGE
  - Faites le compte !

# INFORMATION

# ICN SERVICES

**ASQ : for all questions, fill in the form at:**  
<https://asq.icn-artem.com/hc/fr/requests/new>

- Admissions | « **Inscriptions** », service concours: [inscriptions@icn-artem.com](mailto:inscriptions@icn-artem.com)
- Programme Support Teams | « **Scola** », service scolarité)
- International Relations | « **SRI** », service des relations internationales: [international@icn-artem.com](mailto:international@icn-artem.com)
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