

LARGE SCALE ACCELERATORS AND LASER

ADMISSION CRITERIA

Bachelor degree (180 ECTS or equivalent) in Physics and related topics.

English skills (TOEFL, IELTS or other proof).

SCHOLARSHIPS

Erasmus+: Erasmus Mundus (for 2 years):
up to 33 600 €

Paris-Saclay scholarships (for 2 years):
up to 17 500 €

Lascale partial scholarship (for 2 years):
fee waiving

ABOUT US

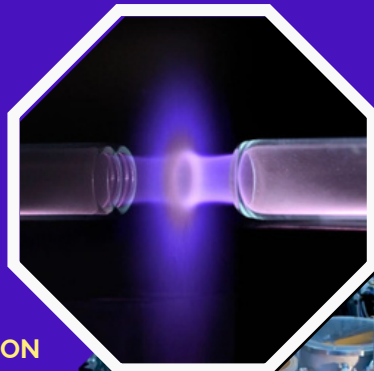
The LASCALE Master's is a two-year international programme run by four leading European universities. It provides advanced training in accelerator physics, high-power laser technologies, laser-plasma interactions, and gravitational wave detectors, with a focus on cross-disciplinary applications such as energy, medicine, and security.

Proposed by 4 european research Universities:

- Paris-Saclay University (France)
- University of Salamanca (Spain)
- Sapienza University of Rome (Italy)
- Lund University (Sweden)

Best features of the Lascale master:

- Mobility experience in up to 4 European universities
- Double or multiple diploma
- Summer school on big science project
- A specialized winter school on Laser-Plasma Interaction, Accelerators or Gravitational waves
- Large network of large scale facilities and companies
- 6 month research internship



APPLICATION

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Deadline:
Scholarships:
February of each year

Self-financed students:
April of each year

CONTACT US

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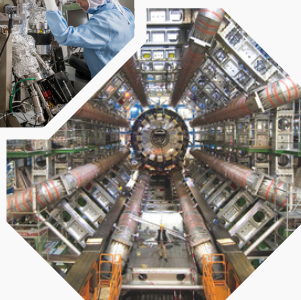
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MOBILITY TRACKS & SPECIALIZATIONS



Create your own master's programme by choosing between the different specializations of our partner universities.

- PATH 1** - Laser, femto and attosecond
- PATH 2** - Accelerators
- PATH 3** - Gravitational wave detectors



YEAR 1		YEAR 2			
SEM1	SEM2	SEM3	SEM4	Joint Summer school Management of big science projects	Joint Master thesis defences
Paris-Saclay Fundamentals and methods & General physics Salamanca Fundamentals and methods & General physics	Lund Atomic physics, intense lasers, neutron source Sapienza Accelerators, Particle physics, Gravitational wave detectors				
		Paris-Saclay Laser/Plasma, Accelerators, Tokamaks, Gravitational wave detectors Joint Winter schools Gravitational wave detectors Laser plasma Accelerators (JUAS)	Research internship Academia or industry		

DOUBLE / MULTIPLE DEGREE

1 academic semester = 1 diploma

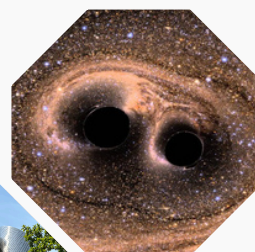
- Master in Physics of Paris-Saclay University
- Master in Photonics of Lund University
- Master in Large Scale Accelerators and Lasers of Salamanca University
- Master in Physics of Sapienza University of Rome

SUMMER AND WINTER SCHOOLS

JOINT WINTER SCHOOLS

A specialized winter school focused on one of the program's core themes:

- **PATH 1 - Laser-Plasma Interaction**, ELI-ALPS, Szeged, Hungary.
- **PATH 2 - JUAS**, ESI, Archamps, France.
- **PATH 3 - Advanced gravitational wave data analysis**, Wigner, Budapest, Hungary.



JOINT SUMMER SCHOOL

Techniques of Oversight in Scientific project Administration (TOSCA) - Archamps, France.

One-week intensive programme on managing large-scale scientific projects (accelerators, lasers, gravitational wave detectors).

- Governance & organization
- Financing & procurement
- Scheduling & quality assurance
- Knowledge transfer & IP
- Sustainability & outreach

SCIENTIFIC AND INDUSTRIAL NETWORKING

Benefit from a full immersion research experience with practicals in research labs, winter schools, on-site visits, seminars and internships proposed by our partners:

- **Research centers:** CLPU (Spain), Elettra Sincrotrone Trieste (Italy), HUN-REN Wigner (Hungary), INFN (Italy), L2A2 (Spain), ELI-ALPS (Hungary), Laserlab Europe (Europe), MAX-IV (Sweden), SOLEIL Synchrotron (France), Central Laser Facility (United Kingdom), Institute of Photonics and Technologies (Taiwan), Structured Light Laboratory (South Africa).
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- **Companies:** Thales accelerator RF department (France), Thales laser department (France), Amplitude (France).

Erasmus Mundus Lascale Master Large Scale Accelerators and Lasers

LASCALA CONSORTIUM

- Master of **Physics** in accelerator physics, high-power laser technologies, high-intensity laser-plasma interactions, and gravitational wave detectors.
- Consortium of **4 leading European universities**:



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PARIS-SACLAY



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ERASMUS MUNDUS RULES

Erasmus+ action of the European Commission:

- Mandatory mobility **in at least two countries** (other than the country of residence)
- Fully taught in **English**
- Open to **European** and **non-European students**.

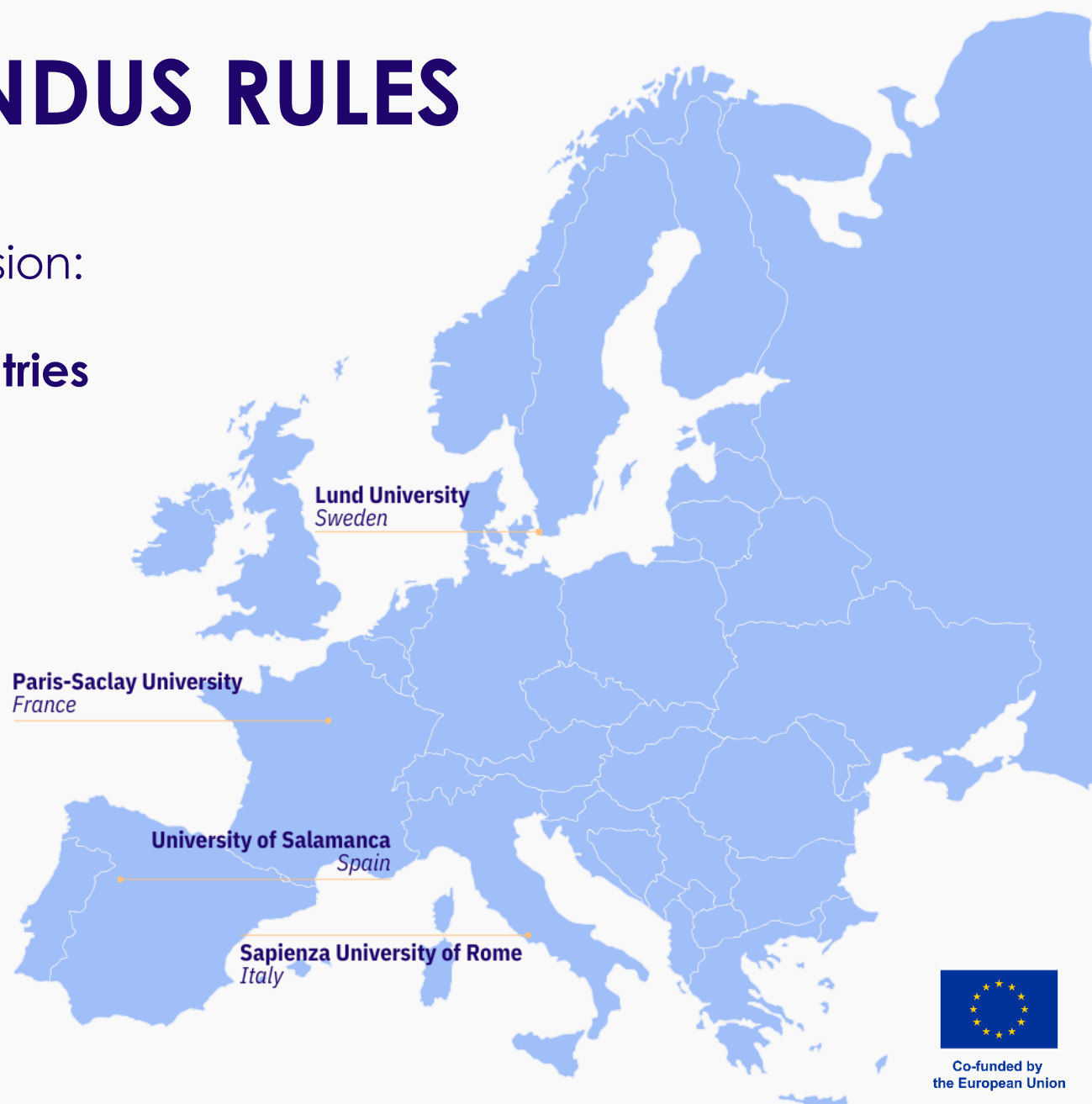


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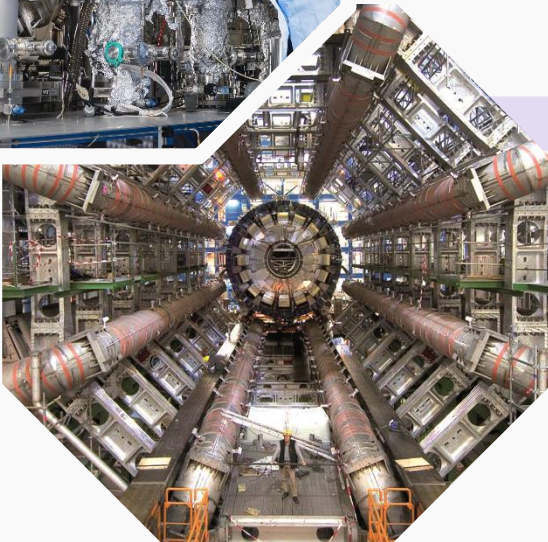
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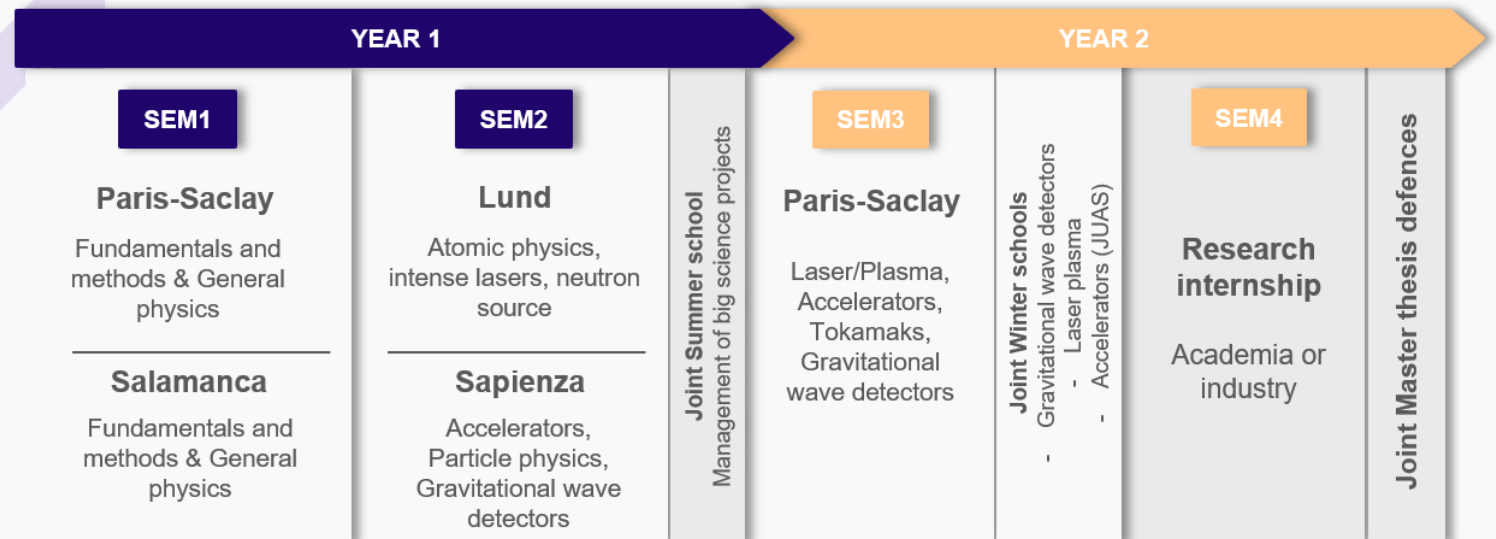


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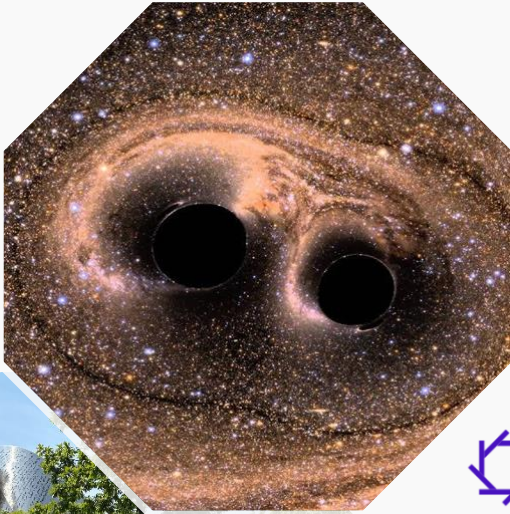
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INTERNSHIP/MASTER THESIS



LOA, Palaiseau, France

Quantum nature of harmonic emission in solid.

ELI ALPS, Szeged, Hungary

Carrier-envelope phase control for a single cycle THz pulse.

CLPU, Salamanca, Spain

Design, implementation and characterization of an imaging optic for ultrafast X-ray Pulses.

Frascati – INFN, Roma, Italy

Beam dynamics Simulations for Eupraxia Project.

LBNL, California, USA

Modeling and Simulation of interaction point in electron-positron colliders with WarpX code.

Max Planck Institute IPP Garching, Munich

Investigation of the influence of hydrogen retention on the mechanical properties of tungsten for usage in Tokamaks.

Lund Laser Center, Lund,

Spatial beam shaping for femtosecond laser pulse post-compression.

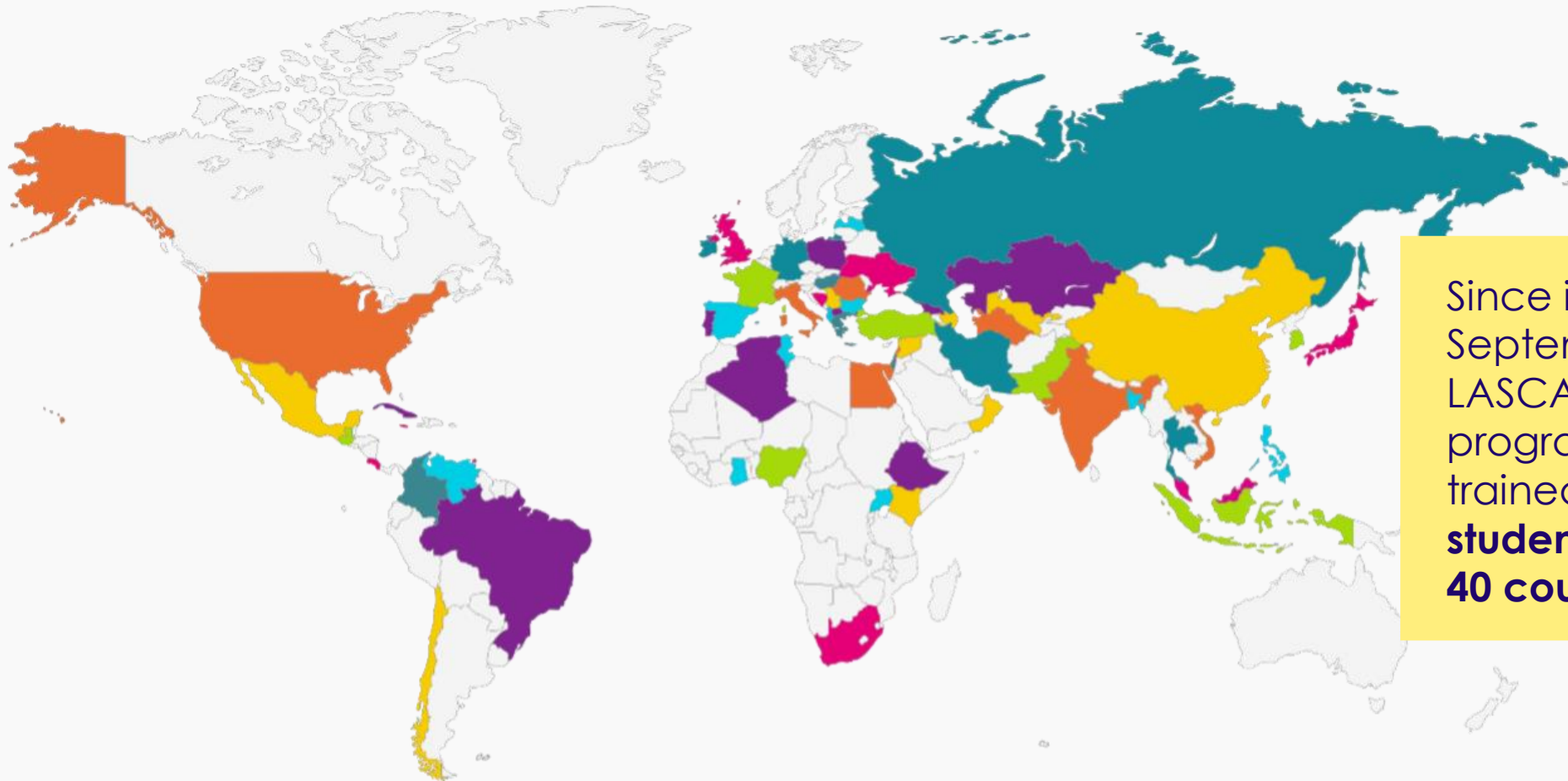
CERN, Geneva, Switzerland

Design and Performance Evaluation of a Positron Polarization Ring.

LISN/CEA, Palaiseau, France

Data analysis for anomaly detection and noise reduction in Turn by Turn BPMs signals of SuperKEKB main rings.

INTERNATIONAL RECRUITMENT

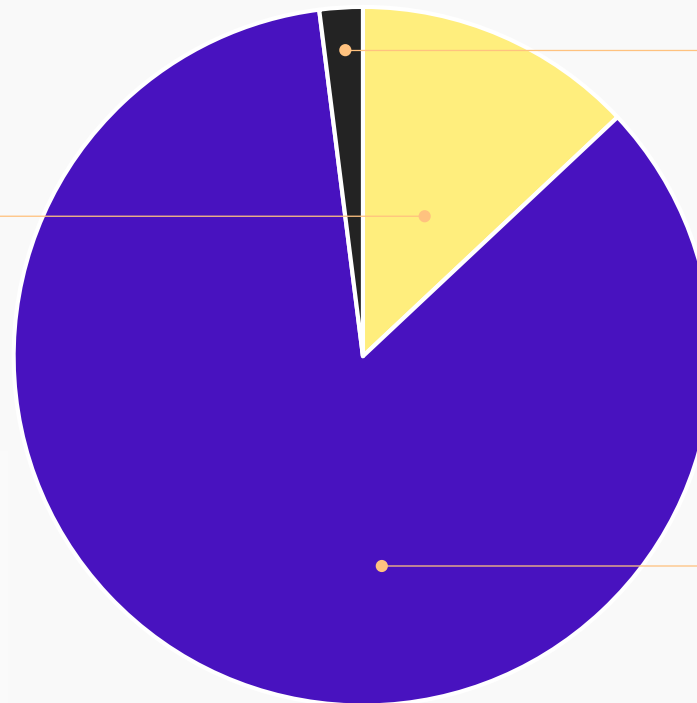


Since its opening in September 2021, the LASCALA master's programme, has trained **more than 80 students from more than 40 countries.**

AFTER LASCALA?

After two years of master's studies, LASCALA graduates pursue diverse career paths in academia and industry. Within three months of graduation, **90% secure positions:**

13%
Engineers



2% Other

85% PhD

AFTER LASCALA?

CNRS, France
Laser Engineer

Instituto Superior Técnico, Portugal
PhD student

LOA/ENSTA/IPP, France
PhD student

Manchester University, United Kingdom
PhD student

Università di Padova, Italy
PhD student

Max Planck Institute, Germany
PhD student

INFN Milano/LASA lab, Italy
PhD student

Institute of Photonic Sciences, Spain
PhD student

Synchrotron SOLEIL, France
PhD student

**École polytechnique fédérale de
Lausanne, Switzerland**
PhD student

SCHOLARSHIPS & FUNDING

ERASMUS MUNDUS SCHOLARSHIPS

(About 12 scholarships per cohort)

1400€/month x 24 month + fee waiving

ERASMUS MOBILITY SCHOLARSHIPS

(Bachelor's students from UPSaclay, Lund, Sapienza and Salamanca)

Up to 600€ per month

Funding for up to 12 months (360 days)
Request to be made upon enrollment in the program

LASCALA PARTIAL SCHOLARSHIPS

(About 12 scholarships per cohort)

Fee waiving

Can be combined with IDEX, Erasmus Mobility scholarships

PARIS-SACLAY SCHOLARSHIPS (IDEX)

(About 3 scholarships per cohort)

Up to 17 500€

Bachelor's students from outside Paris-Saclay University



TUITION FEES

PARTNER COUNTRY STUDENTS

8 000€/Year

All other nationalities

PROGRAMME COUNTRY STUDENTS

4 500€/Year

27 EU countries
+ Iceland, Macedonia, Liechtenstein,
Norway, Turkey, Serbia

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