

Université Lyon 2 (Lumière)

PROFILE

The Université Lumière Lyon 2 was organized in 1973 from the old Université de Lyon (1896). It is a university for Language Arts-Humanities and Social Sciences (LL-SHS) whose degrees are structured around 4 main areas :

- Arts, Humanities, Languages
- Humanities and Social Sciences
- Law, Economics, Management
- Science, Technology and Health. Enrollment in 2012, 26,900 students, 17% of whom were international students from 129 countries. The university has two campuses: Berges du Rhône, a historic site in the center of Lyon, on the left bank of the Rhône river; Porte des Alpes, at the southeastern edge of the city in the Bron et Saint-Priest district. Université Lumière

Main programmes of study

Lyon 2 university includes 6 faculties and 6 institutes:

- Faculty(power) of Anthropology, sociology and political science
- Faculty of economic science and management
- Faculty of geography, history(story), art history, tourism
- Faculty(power) of the Languages(Tongues)
- Faculty of law and political science
- Faculty of literature, sciences of the language and the arts
- Institute of the communication
- Institute of psychology
- Institute of the sciences and the educational practices and of training(formation)
- Institut Universitaire de Technologie(University Institute of Technology) (LIGHT IUT)
- Institute of studies of the work of Lyon
- Institute of labor-union training(formation)

Research

Due to the number and quality of its research laboratories, Université Lumière Lyon 2 is the leading institution of Research in Humanities and Social Sciences in the University of Lyon. It has 34 teams and laboratories

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IDENTITY FORM

Precise name of the institution →	Université Lyon 2 (Lumière)
Type of institution →	Public
City where the main campus is located →	Lyon
Number of students →	26900
Percentage or number of international students →	17%
Type and level of qualifications awarded →	LMD - Other national diplomas - Diplomas of University (DU)
French language courses →	Yes
Programs for international students →	No
Programs in English →	No
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including 17 Joint research units (UMR CNRS), 3 research federations belonging to the national network of Houses of Human Sciences and 1 scientific Interest Group.

Strengths

The Centre International d'Etudes Françaises (CIEF), a component of the university, offers year-round courses in French as a foreign language. The university's language center teaches modern languages and prepares students for study abroad. Thanks to the university's emphasis on information and communication technologies, every student has access to a virtual desktop for each student, a platform for online courses, a dedicated student web portal.

Location

Université Lumière Lyon 2 enjoys a strategic position at the crossroads of northern and southern Europe. It maintains partnerships with more than 160 European universities and 120 universities outside Europe for exchanges of students and faculty, as well as for joint diplomas and various other forms of cooperation.

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