

EUROPEAN
SUMMER PROGRAM

JUNE . JULY 2010 Lille, France





**EUROPEAN STUDIES** 

**FRENCH ARTS** 

FRENCH CULTURE AND SOCIETY

**TOURISM STUDIES** 

EUROPEAN BUSINESS AND MANAGEMENT

**COMMUNICATION STUDIES** 

**ENGINEERING STUDIES** 

**HEALTH** 

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#### > LILLE

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inhabitants, Lille is an

attractive and vibrant

city at the heart of a

metropolis of 2 million

Lille is also young with a

student population of

which makes the city

recognized as one of

France's most dynamic

towns with a wide

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> ABOUT US

In 2001, Lille Catholic University created the European Summer Program. Every summer since, this program has been achieving its goal of giving international students the opportunity to have an extraordinary study abroad experience at the heart of Europe. The program has become more and more successful with each passing year. From 27 students the first year, it has grown considerably, with more than 130 in 2009.

#### > CONTENT

The program is composed of:

- a) a common core:
  - French classes from beginner to advanced level
  - An introduction to Intercultural Communication
- b) a large choice of electives allowing students to adapt their summer in France to their university career.

Specialist courses are taught in English (with the exception of the French Culture and Society elective).

Classes are held from Monday to Friday. Fieldtrips and extra-curricular activities are also offered to give students a more complete experience of Lille and the Euro-region.

#### **▶ LILLE**

#### **CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY**

Lille Catholic University was founded in 1875.

It is a multidisciplinary university offering a very large choice of degree courses in 130 areas of study.

Lille Catholic University is France's largest private university with more than 20,300 students coming from various cultural and religious backgrounds.

It develops an active international cooperation policy with 300 partner universities worldwide.

# Lille, a city both modern and old



# >TARGET GROUP

The European Summer Program of Lille Catholic University is a multidisciplinary program designed for students who are looking for a comprehensive educational experience abroad. Our students come from all over the world. This variety makes the program even richer for participants when they are able to mix with other international students sharing a similar experience in France. Students should have completed secondary education in their home country and have a good knowledge of English.



- French intensive classes
  - Introduction to Intercultural
    Communication
  - A large choice of electives
- Fieldtrips and cultural program included
   Accommodation

provided





## > ACADEMIC INFORMATION

To guarantee the high level of teaching, classes are limited to 25 students per course. The program awards credits to students in accordance with the European Credit Transfer System. Attendance is compulsory and therefore registers are taken at the start of each session. A transcript is also issued to all students at the end of the program indicating the courses taken, the number of contact hours, the grade and the number of ECTS credits allocated.

#### > ELECTIVES ON OFFER IN 2010

First Session: 2 - 30 June 2010	<ul> <li>French Arts</li> <li>French Culture and Society (taught in French)</li> <li>European Studies</li> <li>Business and Management in France</li> </ul>	Deadline for Application: 1 April 2010
Second Session: 22 June – 15 July 2010	<ul> <li>France's Social Model with specialization possible in</li> <li>Culture or Tourism or Health</li> <li>French Conversation for intermediate students</li> <li>Communication Studies</li> <li>European Studies</li> <li>Engineering Studies</li> </ul>	Deadline for Application: 15 April 2010
Third Session: 30 June - 27 July 2010	- IESEG International Summer Academy in Paris (more information and cost on www.ieseginternational.com/summer-academy)	Deadline for Application: 15 May 2010

## FIELDTRIPS AND CULTURAL PROGRAM

To make the most of the experience, 3 fieldtrips are included in the European Summer Program. Their aim is to give the students an opportunity to experience the Euro-region in terms of history or culture. Students will have the chance to visit the Lille region, Bruges (the "Belgian Venice") and Brussels. A visit to the Fine Arts Museum in Lille, which is France's second largest museum after the Louvre in Paris, is also included. A list of optional cultural activities is proposed to complement the cultural experience of living in France.

### > ACCOMMODATION

The program includes accommodation in the university's student dorms. Breakfast is provided in the dorm on weekdays. Students have access to the university cafeteria during its opening hours on weekdays (more details on our website).

## > FEES AND REGISTRATION

2,490 euros includes tuition fees, hospitality package and administration fees. For groups of more than 10 students, please consult us for special rate.

The application form is available on the program website and can be sent by email, fax or mail to the European Summer Program Office together with the required documentation. Payment can be made by credit card or bank transfer. We request that students ensure that they have read the terms and conditions on the program website carefully before registering.

More than 600 international students have already attended the European Summer Program since 2001... What about you?







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# "It was my first time in Europe. The experience was really good. If you like France and Europe, and you want to learn French during the summer, you should come here!" Ruan, China, 2009 "It was a wonderful program. Everything was very well organized and there were always activities to participate in. The professor and the material we learned were wonderful.' Jenna, USA, 2009

"This is a great program with great teachers! The most memorable summer ever! I learnt, I enjoyed my time in Lille! The four weeks were

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Serena, Hong Kong, 2006

well organized."

"Lille is the perfect place to situate a program like the European Summer Program because it is so culturally rich and diverse. The European Summer Team and fellow students made me feel right at home..

Maria, The Netherlands, 2009

"The European Summer Program was the experience of a lifetime. I can't wait to go back to Lille! As my first European experience, it was perfect, because I was surrounded by people who could tell me about the culture and history from an insider's perspective"

Stephanie, Canada, 2006

"This was my first time to study in France. I learned a lot and the staff was very helpful. I want to come back and study at Lille Catholic University".

Vera, Indonesia, 2009

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