

# Contemporary philosophy (M2)

Master Philosophie



**Durée**  
1 an



**Composante**  
Faculté des  
humanités



**Langue(s)  
d'enseignement**  
Anglais

## Présentation

Do you have a research project in contemporary philosophy ?

Do you want to use English as a working language ?

The **Contemporary Philosophy Master** offers an international course focused on contemporary philosophy debates and taught at the UMR STL (Knowledge, Texts, Language research lab) and at the philosophy department.

## Savoir-faire et compétences

### THEORETICAL KNOWLEDGE

- Knowledge of problems in contemporary philosophy
- Arguments and theses currently being debated by the international philosophy community today

### SAVOIR-FAIRE

- Ability to organize available information in a relevant way, to submit it to a critical examination and to present it in various contexts
- Ability to handle a precise problem by contextualizing it in its current state of the art
- Ability to analyze a theoretical text in a critical way
- Ability to synthesize the state of a question, the arguments used, the information and knowledge acquired
- Public speaking in English
- Precision and care in writing and speaking
- Debate : offer arguments and counter-argument
- Compose a bibliography and master the documentary tools

### BEHAVIORAL SKILLS

- Team work, including in a cross-disciplinary framework
- Adaptability skills
- Organisation skills
- Autonomy
- Analytical mind

### ADDITIONAL SKILLS

- High English level in both comprehension and use of digital tools

## Les + de la formation

The **M2 Contemporary philosophy** program in Lille is now coupled with a M1 in Philosophy taught entirely in English at the Univ. of Lisbon (Portugal) . Students following both years will earn a Master's degree from both universities.

To enter this program, you must apply for the M1 program in Lille (with a research project written in English and a proof of your English level) .

## Organisation

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The Master contains two elements : Active involvement in 5 seminars (2 hours/week each) and 2 language courses (english or french) and Research thesis writing (minimum 75 pages) , under the supervision of a professor from the

Philosophy Department. You will need to present your thesis in front of a jury.

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## Stages

**Stage :** Possible


**Durée du stage :** Semestre 4

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## Admission

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### Conditions d'admission

Application :  <https://www.univ-lille.fr/formation/candidater-sinscrire/ecandidat>

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## Et après

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### Poursuite d'études

EU citizens can run for the competitive exam to become a philosophy teacher in french highschoools (Agrégation)  
As this Master includes research training, you can, under certain conditions, further with a PhD.

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## Insertion professionnelle

### FIELD OF WORK

- Education
- Academic
- Culture
- Information
- Communication
- Editing

### POSITIONS

### MÉTIERS VISÉS

- Teacher (after a competitive exam : CAPES, Agrégation)
- Professor, Researcher (after a PHD)
- Art critic
- Cultural projects manager
- Editorial assistant
- Librarian
- Curator

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## Infos pratiques

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### Lieu(x)

📍 Villeneuve d'Ascq Pont de bois

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## Campus

🏠 Campus Pont-de-Bois

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## En savoir plus

Faculté des Humanités - Département  
Philosophie

<https://humanites.univ-lille.fr/philosophie>

Find more information here

<https://cful.lettras.ulisboa.pt/liliph/>

You can find researches and studies from  
the ODIF (Observatoire de la Direction des  
Formations) about graduates' professional  
integration

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