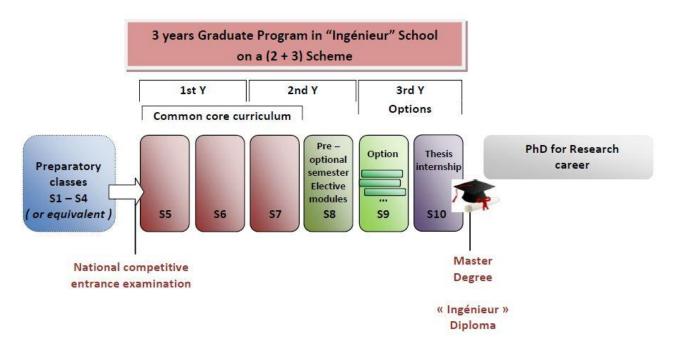


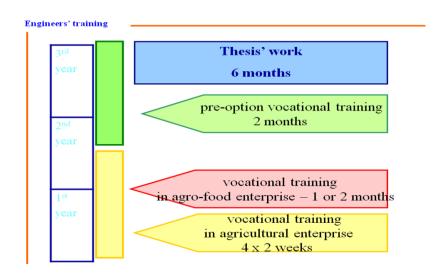
# VetAgro Sup Institute, France

# Graduate program in Agricultural, Food and Environmental Sciences

November 2014



Vocational training (internship) periods



# List of taught courses

# 1st year

# 5<sup>th</sup> semester (common core)

General microbiology and food microbiology

Introduction to engineer course

Soil and fertility management, relationship soil-plant-atmosphere

Crop systems and water management

Farm animal feed and grassland management

General economics

Rural development policies and institutions

General accounting, economic and financial analysis

Student internship on a farm

Husbandry systems, animal raising and lactation

Student internship in agrifood companies

Data gathering and management

Project approach

Personal development

English language

Second foreign language

# 6<sup>th</sup> semester (common core)

Survey and oral communication

Project approach

Livestock management, animal breeding and animal pathology

Food technology: food products and human nutrition

Agrifood economics

Enterprise management and decision making

Data processing and statistics

Ecology, plant protection and environment

Student internship in agrifood companies

Systemic approach on a farm

Personal development

Student internship on a farm

Integrated risk management: quality, safety and environment

English language

Second foreign language

#### 2<sup>nd</sup> year

#### 7<sup>th</sup> semester (common core)

Statistics - data analysis

Human resources management and law

Management control and accounting

Spatial planning and rural development

Food and agricultural policy

Tillage and crop yield elaboration: agronomic equipment

Genetics and biotechnologies

IT project management, information systems and databases

Food technology: intermediate food products

Sustainable development

Institutions and politics of agricultural development: application at departmental scale

Agri-food supply chains

English language

Second foreign language

Personal development

Student internship on a farm

Student internship in agrifood companies

Organisation functioning and interpersonal relations

# 8<sup>th</sup> semester (pre optional modules)

#### Series 1\* \*Only one module to choose in a series

Europe and rural development

Intercultural approach in international relations

Agricultural issues for tropical regions

<u>TRANS-FAIR - Rural development through local processing agricultural commodities</u> into agrifood products, from global market to fair trade – taught in English

# Series 2\* \*Only one module to choose in a series

Agriculture and environmental conservation

Modelling and simulation applied to agroecological challenges

Heritage and territorial development

Local products, tradition and innovation

Organic farming ... or Organic farmings ? – taught in English

#### Series 3\* \*Only one module to choose in a series

Food, nutrition and human health

Public college of Agriculture: course for civil servant students

Implementation of international development projects

Farm installation and rural entrepreneurship

**Ecology and forestry** 

<u>Cartography and Geographical Information Systems – taught in English</u>

# Series 4\* \*Only one module to choose in a series

Diagnosis of an agronomical situation, plant breeding and crop protectionTerritory diagnosis and pastoralism

From territory diagnosis to action strategy

Introduction to agrifood system challenges: from consumers to companies

Marketing orientation and business approach

Grazing, animal welfare and behaviour

Agronomy and plant breeding

<u>Grassland multifunctionality – taught in English</u>

Student externship

English language

# 3<sup>rd</sup> year specialization programs

#### **Agronomy, Vegetal Productions and Environment**

Agronomic diagnosis, sustainable systems of production, environment

#### **Livestock and farming systems**

Fodder systems, branch-product, breeding systems and environment

# Genomics, ecophysiology and vegetal productions

Genetics, physiology, agronomy, experiment, innovation

#### Marketing, agricultural and food markets

Marketing, business, commercial management, firm

# Food, Innovation, Management Enterprise

Agrifood, firm management, consumer, quality-product

#### Agriculture, Environment, Territory

Farm, agri-environment, multifunctionality

#### **Engineering of Territorial development**

Territorial development, carrying-out of projects, tourism, heritage, coordination of actors

# Internationalization

- ◆ International student mobility is compulsory for a minimum period of 2 months. It can be done through student internships and / or academic exchanges
- English language training and language skills assessment by TOEIC test
- Training programs taught in English
- Research programs in European and international scientific networks

#### Academic exchanges programs are developed with

- European universities (under Erasmus scheme)
- Universities in South America (from which Brazil under Sciences without borders program, Peru, Chile)
- Asian Universities: Thailand, Cambodia
- North American universities : Manitoba (Canada), Minnesota (USA)

# Main research units

- CALITYSS: Consumer Typical food Food Safety Health
- UMR 1213 Herbivores (joint with INRA Institute): sustainable farming systems for herbivores that seek to reconcile production efficiency, product quality and socioeconomic viability with environmental protection and valuation, and animal welfare.
- UMR 1273 METAFORT (AgroParisTech-Inra-Irstea-VetAgroSup) : Changes in Land
  Use and Governance in Rural Area