

# DFES

## STUDY PROGRAM

The Diploma of French and European Studies is a one semester course for international students.

### FALL SEMESTER (S1)

#### CORE COURSES : COURS D'OUVERTURE (CO)

The US-UK Special Relationship

**Thierry FORTIN**  
(5 ECTS/ 24 hrs)

French Politics and Society

**Thierry FORTIN**  
(5 ECTS/ 24 hrs)

Cities and Aspects of Globalization

**Samadia SADOUNI**  
(5 ECTS/ 24 hrs)

Europe's Nuclear Independence

**Thierry FORTIN**  
(5 ECTS/ 24 hrs)

Global Justice : A European Perspective

**Sophie PAPAETHYMIU**  
(5 ECTS/ 24 hrs)

The focus of this program is on France and Europe in the World: Governance, Institutions and Culture. Classes are taught in English in addition to an intensive language course in French.

**Students have to choose 4 to 5 courses** (5 ECTS each) and a compulsory French language course or other options to obtain the DFES which is an in-house degree of Sciences Po Lyon.

**SPRING SEMESTER (S2)**

**CORE COURSES : COURS D'OUVERTURE (CO)**

Politics and communication in Europe and the US from 1900 to Present

**Riccardo BRIZZI**  
(5 ECTS / 24 hrs)

Animal Welfare in the European Union

**Sophie PAPAETHYMIU**  
(5 ECTS / 24 hrs)

The British Contribution to the Defence of Europe

**Thierry FORTIN**  
(5 ECTS / 24 hrs)

North-American roots of European public debates

**Grégory BLIGH**  
(5 ECTS / 24 hrs)

**TO BE ANNOUNCED**

In the DFES program, in addition to the core courses, students will be placed in one of the three options below depending on the level of proficiency in the French language.

Each year, new courses taught by Visiting Professors will be offered as part of the DFES program.



**OPTIONS**

**OPTION 1**

**French Intensive Language Course**

Beginner Level  
10 ECTS / 8 hours per week

**OPTION 2**

**French as a Foreign Language**

Intermediate Level  
5 ECTS / 24 hrs / 2 hrs per week

**OPTION 3**

**1 COs ( in English or in French)**

5 ECTS/ 24 hrs for each CO

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