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SORBONNE UNIVERSITY ABU DHABI

at a glance

World-class Education in the UAE

Sorbonne Université

Founded in 1257, Sorbonne Université is a multidisciplinary, research-intensive, world-class university.

Located in the heart of Paris, with a regional presence, the university is committed to student success and to meeting the scientific challenges of the 21st century.

Sorbonne Université promotes diversity, creativity, innovation and openness to the world with the support of 6,400 academic researchers, partner researchers, and 3,600 administrative and technical employees.

Université Paris Cité

Université Paris Cité is a leading interdisciplinary and research-intensive university known for its academic excellence, innovation, and global engagement.

The Faculty of Societies and Humanities, which houses the Faculty of Law, Economics, and Management offers undergraduate and master's programmes in law, economics and management at Sorbonne University Abu Dhabi. The university hosts 63,000 students and 7500 faculty members and researchers.

Sorbonne University Abu Dhabi

Sorbonne University Abu Dhabi was established in 2006, under the patronage of HH Sheikh Mohammed bin Zayed Al Nahyan, President of the United Arab Emirates and Ruler of Abu Dhabi.

The university benefits from Sorbonne's 750+ years of academic excellence and educates students of more than 90 nationalities with 20+ undergraduate and postgraduate programmes in Sciences, Humanities, Languages, Law, and Social Sciences, plus customised continuing education courses.

Undergraduate and postgraduate degrees offered by the university are awarded by Sorbonne Université, with the exception of programmes in Law, Economics, and Management, which are awarded by Université Paris Cité. All degrees are globally recognised and fully accredited by the **Commission for Academic Accreditation (CAA)** in the UAE, as well as by the **Ministry of Higher Education and Research and Space** in France. Degrees from the Department of Law, Economics, and Management are additionally evaluated by the **High Council for the Evaluation of Research and Higher Education (Hcéres)**, as an international stream ensuring they meet the highest international academic standards.

The university offers a variety of scholarships, including the prestigious HH Sheikh Mohammed bin Zayed Al Nahyan 100% Scholarship for Emirati nationals. Additionally, scholarships and preferential rates may be combined to provide full tuition coverage of up to 100%.

Sorbonne University Abu Dhabi has positioned itself as a significant contributor to research and innovation in the UAE and the Gulf Cooperation Council (GCC) region. Research at Sorbonne University Abu Dhabi is carried out within SAFIR: Sorbonne Abu Dhabi for Innovation and Research Institute which houses a team of dedicated researchers driving forward innovative projects.

As of 2025, seven research centres have been established to tackle questions of global significance and local relevance:

- Artificial Intelligence and Digital Policy
- Heritage and Material Science
- Environment and Sustainable Development
- Global Societies, Cultures, Cities and Arts
- Applied Mathematics, Statistics and Data Science
- Humanities, Languages and Education
- Health and Care.

1st
French University
established in Abu Dhabi

3,000+
Alumni

93,000 m²
State-of-the-art campus

5
Nobel Prizes
since 2004

School of Law, Economics and Business

French
Bachelor in Economics and Management
34,500 AED per semester

French
Bachelor in Law
34,500 AED per semester

French
Bachelor in Business and Foreign Languages
34,500 AED per semester

English
Master in Banking, Finance and FinTech
161,000 AED for 2 years

English
Master in International Law, Spaces and Sovereignty
161,000 AED for 2 years

English
Master in Business and Foreign Languages
161,000 AED for 2 years

English
Master in Health Economics
161,000 AED for 2 years
(No new enrolments in Sep 2026)

English
Master in International Business Transactions and International Arbitration
161,000 AED for 2 years

English
Master in Sustainable Environmental Engineering and Law
(Dual degrees awarded)
161,000 AED for 2 years

Degrees in Law, Economics and Management are awarded by:



Degrees in Business and Foreign Languages are awarded by:



School of Arts and Humanities

French
Foundation Year in Intensive French
23,000 AED per semester

French
Bachelor in Geography and Planning
34,500 AED per semester

French
Bachelor in History
Concentration in International Relations
34,500 AED per semester

French
Bachelor in History of Art and Archaeology
34,500 AED per semester

NEW
French
Bachelor in Humanities Applied to Public and Cultural Affairs (HAPAC)
34,500 AED per semester

English
Master in Urban Planning and Development - Urban Innovation and Sustainability
161,000 AED for 2 years

NEW
English
Master in Social Research and Data Analysis for Global Societies
138,000 AED for 2 years

NEW
French
Bachelor in Philosophy and Sociology
Concentration in Political Studies
34,500 AED per semester

NEW
English
Master in Arts & Heritage
Concentrations in Museum and Curatorial Studies, Archaeology and Cultural Heritage, and Art Market
161,000 AED for 2 years

English
Master in Marketing, Communication and Media
161,000 AED for 2 years

Concentration in Museum and Curatorial Studies in partnership with:

Ecole du Louvre
Palais du Louvre



Degrees awarded by:



The fees presented for each programme do not include administrative fees. Terms and conditions apply.

School of Data, Science and Engineering

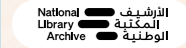
English
Foundation Year in Sciences
34,500 AED per semester

English
Foundation Year in Records Management and Archival Science
34,500 AED per semester

NEW
English
Bachelor in Physics
Concentration in Quantum Technologies
34,500 AED per semester

English
Bachelor in Records Management and Archival Science
34,500 AED per semester

English
Master in Records Management and Archival Studies
161,000 AED for 2 years
(No new enrolments in Sep 2026)



English
Bachelor in Mathematics
Programme focused on Data Science for Artificial Intelligence
34,500 AED per semester

Degrees awarded by:



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Global Rankings

1st Communication School in France
(Le Figaro Étudiant - 2024)

8th Internationally
(THE Young University Ranking - 2025)

6th Shanghai Ranking for Mathematics
(2025)

43rd Shanghai Ranking: Sorbonne Université's Global Standing
(2025)

60th Shanghai Ranking: Université Paris Cité Global Standing
(2025)

All rankings are for Sorbonne Université or Université Paris Cité.

Continuing Education Center (CEC)

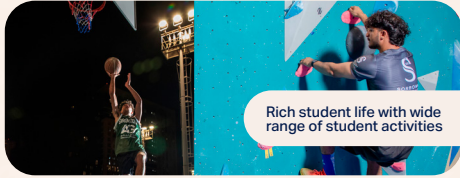
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<https://www.sorbonne.ae/executive-education/>



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Why Choose Sorbonne University Abu Dhabi?



Rich student life with wide range of student activities



AI-powered learning, grounded in critical thinking



Large campus with multiple facilities



Globally recognised degrees accredited in France and the UAE
Option of transfer to study in Paris



Multidisciplinary research-led institution
A support for research



Wide range of scholarships and preferential rates
New scholarships up to 100%



Strong industry links and career guidance



Diverse student population of more than 90 nationalities



Cultural and scientific events



Meet the best employers



International student exchange programmes



On-site student accommodation facilities



Located in Abu Dhabi, named the safest city in the world

20+ undergraduate and postgraduate programmes