

Pasteur-Paris University (PPU) International Doctoral Program

IN LIFE SCIENCES AND BIOMEDICINE

Call for 2026

An exceptional **PhD program** in the exciting, dynamic and interactive research environment of the Institut Pasteur in collaboration with Parisian universities.

The **PPU Doctoral program** is for students holding a Master's degree (or equivalent) in science, medicine or related fields.

Program philosophy and resources

- Improving public health and welfare through scientific discoveries
- intensive research experience in a dynamic and supportive learning environment
- nurturing scientific curiosity while fostering creativity and independence
- stimulating discipline-specific and cross disciplinary coursework
- mentorship from world-class faculty and a personalized thesis advisory committee
- extensive cutting-edge resources and state-of-the-art technology platforms on site
- a three-year salary covering living expenses and social benefit
- assistance with housing and visas
- dedicated student club for science and social activities

Application process

There are **3 steps** in the selection process

- **First step:** being selected by a host laboratory. Available labs and their projects will be on the website from September 1 to October 20, 2025. Apply with the lab of interest (up to 4) as early as possible after September 9 to be potentially interviewed by the supervisor.
- **Second step:** submit complete application in collaboration with host lab (joint application) by November 12, 2025.
- **Third step:** short-listed candidates will be invited for an interview at the Institut Pasteur early February 2026, with decision shortly thereafter.

Deadline for application: Oct. 20, 2025

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