







#### RULES FOR IMPLANTEUS EXCELLENCE SCHOLARSHIPS

#### **IMAS International Master**

#### **ACADEMIC YEAR 2025/26**

#### 1. Presentation of the programme

The EUR Implanteus IMAS scholarship programme is primarily aimed at students registered in a higher education establishment abroad who wish to continue their studies at the Université d'Avignon to obtain a Master's degree. French students may also be eligible.

This programme aims to encourage academic excellence and international mobility, while promoting access to high-level training at the Université d'Avignon.

## 1.1 Eligibility criteria

The award of the IMAS Excellence Scholarship by EUR Implanteus is subject to the following conditions:

- ✓ For foreign students: be enrolled in a higher education institution abroad and not be resident in France at the time of application;
- ✓ Have an excellent academic record and meet the academic and language. requirements set by the teaching staff of the relevant course at Avignon University;
- ✓ □ Be enrolled in a Master 1 or Master 2 programme at Avignon University for the 2025/26 academic year;
- ✓ □ Not have already applied for the IMAS Excellence Scholarship, except in the case of a renewal application;
- $\checkmark$   $\Box$  Must not be in receipt of a scholarship from another programme for the IMAS scholarship for which the applicant is applying. Application for the IMAS Masters programme does not exclude parallel application for another scholarship. In the event of obtaining a scholarship under another programme, the applicant must inform the EUR Implanteus secretariat as soon as possible and waive the IMAS Excellence Scholarship.

#### 1.2 Selection and timetable

Candidates eligible for an IMAS Excellence Scholarship will be selected by the EUR IMPLANTEUS Executive Committee on the basis of the IMAS Master's application file. This application includes in particular: - a CV, - Bachelor's and Master's transcripts (if a Master's course has already been completed, in particular for students wishing to enter directly at M2 level on the basis of validation of studies), - a letter of motivation, specifying the professional project, - one or more letters

of recommendation, - as well as a description of the grading system in the country of origin for foreign students. In addition to this 'standard' dossier, applicants must complete and submit the IMAS Excellence Scholarship application form. As part of the scholarship selection procedure, applicants may be offered a distance interview. The EUR IMPLANTEUS Executive Committee is sovereign and its deliberations cannot be contested. The application file and a presentation of the application procedure are available on the EUR website.

The programme will be launched at the start of the 2025/26 academic year.

Applications are examined on a rolling basis for students from the following priority zones: Europe, North and South America. For other applicants, it is carried out following receipt of applications via the Campus France Etudes en France platform or the MonMaster platform, according to the specific timetable for each country and platform. An initial list will be drawn up, but the final list of successful candidates will be finalised once the application platforms for entry to the IMAS Master's programme have closed and all the applications have been examined.

Successful candidates will receive a letter confirming their acceptance into the Master's programme and the award of an IMAS Excellence Scholarship, which they must sign and return to the EUR secretariat within 15 days.

## 1.3. Quota and budget

The EUR finances a maximum of 10 IMAS excellence scholarships each academic year, of which a maximum of one will be awarded to a French student, for a total maximum budget of  $60 \text{ K} \in$ .

## 1.4. Payment of the IMAS scholarship

The IMAS scholarship winner must open a bank account in France and send his/her bank details to the EUR Implanteus secretariat. The last two instalments of the IMAS grant are subject to the production of the following supporting documents: certificates of attendance for the second instalment of the year and registration for semester 2, submission of an end-of-year report for the third and final instalment.

The payment schedule for IMAS grants is as follows:

- 3,000 euros after registration at Avignon University;
- 2,400 euros from February;
- 600 euros from May;
- Total amount: 6,000 euros for an academic year.

# 1.5. Conditions for awarding and renewing the IMAS scholarship

Failure to comply with the rules on attendance at courses and examinations set out in article 1.5.1. of the specific IMAS Master's study regulations may result in

the temporary or permanent suspension of the IMAS Excellence Scholarship for the academic year.

The EUR IMPLANTEUS Executive Committee is the sole decision-maker.

Students who contest their declaration of non-attendance on the grounds of a material error or an exceptional situation will be interviewed by the Director of EUR IMPLANTEUS within two weeks (excluding any administrative closure of the establishment) of the suspension of payment of the grant.

For recipients of an IMAS Excellence Scholarship in M1, renewal of the scholarship to continue their studies in M2 is not automatic and requires a new application to the EUR Implanteus Executive Committee. This renewal is subject to/

- the student's results in M1; only applications from students with an overall average of 14/20 or above (mention assez bien) will be considered,
- by their attendance in class and in examinations,
- ethical behaviour during examinations (anti-plagiarism, anti-IA, etc.)
- attendance at and involvement in the cycle of conferences organised by the EUR and the TISS conference
- by examining their record as an ambassador for the EUR and the IMAS Master's degree.

If a successful candidate has to interrupt his/her studies during the academic year for serious medical reasons (medical treatment, hospitalisation), or for any other case of force majeure, he/she must inform the EUR Implanteus secretariat and provide all the necessary supporting documents. The EUR Implanteus Executive Committee may be called upon to examine this type of case or any other question or situation not covered by this article.

If the Master's course takes place abroad, the successful applicant may combine his/her IMAS grant with another mobility grant.