



Angers University / International Master of Science

Foresight & Innovation

“ Tomorrow will not be like yesterday.
It will be new and will depend on us.
It is less to discover than to invent. ”

Gaston BERGER, 1964

OUR PROGRAMME

Through this 2-year full-time programme, students will explore some of the main issues surrounding their role as future thinkers or future leaders. To achieve our goal, our programme focuses on **two main issues**:

- Understanding change (1st year)
- Creating / Managing change (2nd year)

SAMPLE OF COURSES OFFERED:
Theory of change, Foresight concepts, Foresight practices, Scenario development, Long term thinking/perspective.

The main objective of our programme is to train high-potential students and executives to be able to deal with global issues and to flourish within the new global community. MFI graduates will be able to understand the Contemporary Transformation, form positive answers, and shape sustainable systemic solutions. To achieve these objectives, students will be offered a comprehensive and innovative programme focused on collaborative work, in order to allow both faculty and students to move forward together.

KEY FEATURES

Teaching methods: Innovative content and learning/teaching models with an emphasis on action learning (field trips, team projects, Open Space Technology); courses taught exclusively in English.

Limited Residency: 1st year in France (Angers); Summer Session in Europe; 2nd year in a foreign university.

Intensive Summer Session bringing together practitioners, students and experts around cutting-edge topics.

Academic and social integration through mentorship and student collaboration.

Renowned Faculty : High-level specialists in different disciplines (educators, scientists, consultants and other foresight and innovation experts) forming an international multi-skilled team.

ADMISSION CRITERIA

The MSc. in Foresight and Innovation is an international training experience for both graduate students and professionals. It requires a bachelor's degree and a minimum English level: TOEFL 90, IELTS 6.5.

Fees: 600€/year for students and 2500€/year for professionals.

Admission deadline: 25/08/2012

Start date: 15/10/2012

ISTIA INNOVATION ANGERS UNIVERSITY

Since 1976, the Institute of Science and Engineering Techniques in Angers (ISTIA) has trained executives in the field of innovation. Today, ISTIA Innovation offers several Masters programmes in different specialties, all focused on Innovation.

A highly motivated team of Faculty, closely connected to professionals in France and abroad, allows a successful professional integration of young graduates into the workplace.

