

STUDENT Rights Charter

"We, the students, have the right to participate in the decisions that shape our education"

This Charter highlights the general principles and guarantees related to the students' participation in all its dimensions. The purpose is to promote the empowerment of students in the exercise of their rights.

French Universities, France

Government and Management

You have the right to

What: Elect representatives and be elected to central boards of the universities
the average is 6 students representatives for a total of 36 members of the board

Competencies of the board of universities :

IV.-The board determines the establishment's policy. As such:

- 1 ° It approves the university establishment contract;
- 2 ° It votes the budget and approves the accounts;
- 3 ° It approves the agreements and conventions signed by the president of the establishment and, subject to the specific conditions fixed by decree, the loans, the equity investments, the creation of subsidiaries and foundations provided for in article L. 719-12, acceptance of donations and legacies and real estate acquisitions and transfers;
- 4 ° It adopts the internal regulations of the university;
- 5 ° He fixes, on the proposal of the President and in accordance with national priorities, the distribution of the posts allocated to him by the competent ministers;
- 6 ° He authorizes the president to initiate any legal action;
- 7 ° It approves the annual activity report, which includes a balance sheet and a project, presented by the president;
- 7 ° bis It approves the social report presented each year by the chairman, after consulting the technical committee mentioned in article L. 951-1-1. This report presents the evolution of the balance between permanent and contractual jobs and the actions undertaken in favor of the reduction of precariousness among the personnel of the establishment. The data and results of this report are examined with regard to the human resources forecast management objectives specified in the contract mentioned in Article L. 711-1;
- 8 ° It deliberates on all questions submitted to it by the president, in particular in view of the opinions and wishes

expressed by the academic council, and approves the decisions of the latter in application of the V of article L. 712-6-1;

9 ° It adopts the multiannual master plan for disability policy proposed by the academic council. Each year, the chairman presents to the board of directors a report on the execution of this plan, together with results and monitoring indicators.

Where: Universities

When/How often: Mandate of 2 years, and the board frequency meeting is generally one per month

How: direct voting to elect student representative

Regulation:

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Code of education	L-712-3	https://www.legifrance.gouv.fr/codes/id/LEGIARTI000027747951/2013-07-24/

Academic
and Quality

You have the right to

What: Elect representatives and be elected to the commission of formation and student life of the universities
The average is 16 students representatives for a total of 40 members of the commission

Competencies of the commission of formation and student life :

- 1 ° The distribution of the envelope of resources intended for training as allocated by the board of directors and subject to compliance with the strategic framework for its distribution, as defined by the board of directors;
- 2 ° The rules relating to examinations;
- 3 ° The rules for evaluating courses;
- 4 ° Measures seeking the success of the greatest number of students;
- 5 ° Measures likely to allow the implementation of student guidance and validation of prior learning, to facilitate their entry into working life and to promote the cultural, sports, social or associative activities offered to students, as well as that measures likely to improve living and working conditions, in particular measures relating to support activities, university and school works, medical and social services, libraries and documentation centers and access to resources digital;

6 ° Measures aimed at promoting and developing interactions between science and society, initiated and led by students or teacher-researchers, within establishments as well as in the establishment's territory;
 7 ° The measures necessary for the reception and success of students with a disability or an invalidating health disorder, in accordance with the obligations incumbent on higher education establishments under Article L. 123-4-2

Where: Universities

When/How often: Mandate of 2 years, and the board frequency meeting is generally one per month

How: direct voting to elect student representative

Regulation:

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Code of education	L712-6-1	https://www.legifrance.gouv.fr/codes/id/LEGIARTI000038923849/2020-01-01/

Social, Cultural and Sports

You have the right to

What: Elect representatives and be elected to the board of the center of university social works (CROUS)
 7 students representatives for a total of 24 members

Competencies of the the board of CROUS :

1 ° To promote the improvement of student living conditions through its interventions in the fields, in particular of the social support of studies and their financing, catering, housing, health, mobility, cultural action, sports practices and support for student initiatives;

2 ° To provide support for student life policies, conducted by the territorial groupings of institutions, as defined in Article L. 718-3, and by training organizations recognized by the State or local authorities ;

3 ° To promote the animation of the places of life and study of the students and their good integration in the territorial environment of their establishment;

4 ° To carry out or have carried out studies on student life at national and regional level;

5 ° To stimulate and support the initiatives and action of organizations which pursue a similar or complementary goal

Where: Academics

When/How often: Mandate of 2 years, and the board frequency meeting is generally one per trimester

How: direct voting to elect student representative

Regulation:

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	R822-1	https://www.legifrance.gouv.fr/codes/id/LEGISCTA00032961644/2016-08-01

Equality and Inclusion

You have the right to

What: There is not formal place to discuss to this subjects

Where:

When/How often:

How:

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