

CALL FOR APPLICATIONS DOCTORAL CONTRACT

BAUHAUS4EU doctoral contract

General information

Names of thesis supervisors

-at Lumière Lyon 2 University (ULL2):

-at the partner university:

Type of contract: Doctoral contract

Contract duration: 36 months

Thesis start date: January 1, 2026

Workload: Full-time

Remuneration: €2,200 gross per month until 12/31/2025, €2,300 thereafter.

Affiliated laboratory (ULL2):

Affiliated doctoral school (ED) (ULL2): [one of the seven doctoral schools](#) in which Lumière Lyon 2 University registers theses.

Doctoral specializations: see the ED website

Description of the thesis topic

The European alliance [BAUHAUS4EU](#) comprises ten universities in nine European countries and has set itself the goal of developing a common campus on a European scale. This new university will contribute to the sustainable transformation of our respective territories and promote an inclusive and equitable transition. The alliance is based on a set of values, including social justice, gender equality, academic freedom, and empathy.

The alliance project draws some of its inspiration from the New European Bauhaus Initiative ([New European Bauhaus: beautiful, sustainable, together. - European Union](#)), with which it shares the values of inclusion, social innovation, sustainable development, and links with local areas. The thesis project will therefore need to show how it can transform territories and societies from the local to the global level, including regions, with a view to sustainability and inclusion through areas such as heritage, innovation and design in businesses, sustainable growth, the health economy, European cultural heritage, migration, tourism, mobility, and logistics. A summary document of the BAUHAUS4EU project can be found [here](#).

The BAUHAUS4EU project includes a commitment to develop, at the alliance level, joint doctoral programs in line with the needs of the territories in terms of resilience and sustainability. Candidates will be expected to demonstrate that their doctoral studies are in line with this approach. To this end, the doctoral student will represent Lumière Lyon 2 University on the **Alliance's PhD Council**.

Work context

The doctoral student will be recruited by Lumière Lyon 2 University for a period of 36 months. He or she will be enrolled in a doctoral program at one of the institution's doctoral schools and will be supervised jointly by one of the alliance's institutions (with the exception of Jules Verne Picardie University), either:

- Bauhaus University, Weimar (Germany)
- Uniwersytet Ekonomiczny w Katowicach, Katowice (Poland)
- Universita degli Studi di Bergamo, Bergamo (Italy)
- Politécnico Castelo Branco, Castelo Branco (Portugal)
- University of Macedonia, Thessaloniki (Greece)
- University of Police, Tirana (Albania)
- University of Architecture, Civil Engineering and Geodesy, Sofia (Bulgaria)
- Blekinge Institute of Technology, Karlskrona (Sweden)

Conditions

- First enrollment in a doctoral program in 2025/2026
- Fluency in English and/or another language appropriate to the proposed joint supervision.

Application procedure

- Follow the model of [the targeted doctoral school](#), adding information about thesis supervision at the partner university. If you have difficulty identifying a supervisor at the partner university (or in Lyon), please contact the vice president in charge of internationalization at vp-ri@univ-lyon2.fr
- Send a copy of the application to the alliance's *research reference point* at ULL2 at ri.recherche@univ-lyon2.fr

Contact for the BAUHAUS4EU Alliance in Lumière Lyon 2 University: bauhaus4eu@univ-lyon2.fr

Calendar

Applications must be submitted between September 22 and November 15, 2025.

Composition of the application selection committee

The jury will be composed of members of the doctoral school councils represented at Lumière Lyon 2 University and a representative of the BAUHAUS4EU alliance.