CONFERENCE VENUE

The Ecole normale supérieure of Lyon is situated in the Gerland neighbourhood of Lyon (7th arrondissement) near the Pasteur bridge on the left bank of the Rhône. The “Descartes” site (marked A on the map below) is situated at 15, Parvis René Descartes, at the corner of Avenues Jean Jaures and Debourg.

The conference will be held in the Descartes sites (formerly, *Lettres, Langues & Sciences Humaines*) and across the garden in the Buisson building (Institut français de l’éducation).

Lyon is accessible by rail (high speed trains from Paris depart every hour and take 2h), air (St Exupery international airport) or road (Autoroute A7, known as “du soleil”).

GETTING TO LYON AND TO THE ENS-LYON

To get to Lyon, you can either fly direct to the international airport or use the TGV from Paris (2h from Paris Gare de Lyon). For trains: [http://www.voyages-sncf.co.uk](http://www.voyages-sncf.co.uk)

Options from the Lyon-Saint Exupéry airport are presented here:


These will take you into either Lyon Part-Dieu or Lyon Perrache train stations. Once you are in Lyon, you can reach the ENS-Lyon by Metro or Bus:

From Part-Dieu station: take the Metro ligne B towards Stade de Gerland. Alight at the “Debourg” stop.

From Perrache station: exit at “buses” and take Bus 32 towards “Etats-Unis/Viviani” Alight at the "Halle Tony Garnier" (all stops are announced on the bus network).

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1 Metro from Part-Dieu station is probably the simplest and quickest option.
HOTELS:

In the Gerland neighbourhood (close to the conference)

Séjours et Affaires Gerland : Park Avenue
2, rue Madeleine Foucarde 69007 LYON
04 37 65 59 59 lyon.gerland@sejours-affaires.com

Ibis Pont Pasteur Les Berges du Rhône, 68 av.Leclerc 69 007 Lyon; 04 78 58 30 70

Ibis Mérieux ; 246, rue Marcel Mérieux 69 007 Lyon : 04 72 72 63 63

A.D.G. 69 BEDINCITY
219 rue Marcel Mérieux 69007 LYON
Tél. : 04 37 70 18 46 Mail : contact@bedincity.net

OTELIA 200 av Berthelot, 69007 Lyon; Tel : 04 37 37 21 60

Quality Suites Lyon Confluence 50 cours Charlemagne, 69002 Lyon; Tel : 04 37 23 16 04

Further afield but easily accessible:

Séjours & Affaires Saxe-Gambetta Apparthotel
LYON - Tel : +33 (0)4 72 71 91 92

Ibis 28 cours de Vedun 69 002 Lyon; 04 78 37 56 55
Ibis La Part-Dieu Centre 78, rue de Bonnel 69 003 Lyon; 04 78 62 98 89
Ibis Gare de La Part-Dieu Place Renaudel 69 003 Lyon; 04 78 95 42 11

Hôtel La Résidence : 18 rue Victor Hugo 69 002 Lyon; 04 78 42 63 28

Hôtel du Dauphin : 9 rue Victor Hugo 69 02 Lyon; 04 78 37 18 34

Presqu’ile (2nd arrondissement):

Hôtel de Paris : 16 rue de la Platière 69 002 Lyon; 04 78 28 00 95

Hôtel de Bretagne : 10 rue Dubois 69 002 Lyon; 04 78 37 79 33

Limite 3/7 èmes arrondissement:

Village Hôtel : 93 cours Gambetta 69 003 Lyon
04 78 62 77 72, fax : 04 78 60 12 65
TOURISM / THINGS TO DO WHILE YOU ARE HERE

Please consult the official tourist office website
http://www.en.lyon-france.com

GASTRONOMY

Lyon is famous for its gastronomy. Here are a few restaurant reviews and listings to get you started!

http://www.en.lyon-france.com/Eat
