CHOOSE GRENoble ALPES

INVEST IN GRENoble-ALPS
Discover a pioneering and creative ecosystem, where tomorrow’s world is being invented today.
AN INTERNATIONALLY-RECOGNIZED HUB FOR RESEARCH

25,000 JOBS in research
23,000 of which, within a 20KM radius

5 Competitive Clusters
- Minalogic: digital technologies
- Tenerrdis: energy
- Axelera: chemical industry & environment
- CIMES: mechanics
- LyonBiopole: health

Grenoble
5th MOST inventive city in the world (Forbes)

With some of the world’s most innovative public research centers:

1 in France

7.1 PATENTS per 10,000 inhabitants

5 major, international scientific instruments for public research (ESRF, ILL, EMBL, EMFL, IRAM)

World-class private-sector R&D centers
(Orange, Apple, Schneider Electric, Huawei, Atos, Air Liquide, Naver Labs, STMicroelectronics, Soitec, Constellium, GE, Fujitsu, BD...)

# 1 French city for daily commutes by bike or on foot (INSEE):

29% of work commutes are made by bike or on foot

90% of garbage collected in the Metropolitan area is valorized

81% of drinking water supplied without treatment

50% of buses run on natural gas (1/3 of the biogas is produced locally)

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Come join an inspiring region that combines professional fulfillment...

**YOUNG TALENTS AND EXPERTS**

**Université Grenoble Alpes**
French university in 11 subject matters
Energy, electrical and electronics, biomedical, computer science, water and environment, nanosciences and nano-technology, metallurgical engineering...
(2018 Shanghai Ranking)

**#2 FAVORITE student city, ranked**
for overall quality of life (L’étudiant)

**63,000 students**

**#1 CITY in France for R&D jobs**
(INSEE)

Grenoble, 7.6%
Toulouse, 7.0%
Paris, 4.8%

**A “START-UP FRIENDLY” ECOSYSTEM**

+500 innovative start-ups launched since 2000

**Grenoble Métropole FRENCH TECH designated city**

Success stories
Spartoo, Photoweb, Sotiec, Sofradir

+1 BILLION EUROS in funds raised since 2000

+30 organizations dedicated to helping start-ups
Energy
Hydrogen, hydroelectricity, solar power, smart grids
Air liquide, EDF, Schneider Electric, GE, Siemens, Rolls-Royce, Enedis, Engie

Health
Medtech, biotechnology, CAS (Computer-Assisted Surgery)
Medtronic, BD, Fresenius, Johnson & Johnson, Roche
Diagnostic, Biomérieux, Trixell

Electronics, digital
Artificial intelligence, semiconductors, micro-nanotechnology, IOT, imaging
STMicroelectronics, Soitec, Intel, Orange, Apple, Thales, Huawei, Fujitsu, Naver Labs, Salesforce, Sofradir, TDK, CapGemini, Atos, HPE

Industry
Industry 4.0, materials
Araymond, Caterpillar, Constellium, Vicat, Calor, Serge Ferrari, Lafarge

Chemical industry & environment
Green chemistry, cleantech
Vencorex, Arkema, Hexcel, Tredi, Areva, Artelia

Sports, mountain
Development, outdoor
Go Sport, Rossignol, Beal, Petzl, Poma
World-renowned paragliding event: la Coupe Icare

5,600 miles of hiking paths

Close to 40 wolves roaming the mountains around Grenoble

NATURAL

S U R P R I S I N G

OUT OF THE ORDINARY

The FLATTEST city in France

30 beer breweries in Isère

25 nearby ski resorts

5,600 MILES of hiking paths

100 spots to go canyoning

World-renowned paragliding event: la Coupe Icare

Tour de France

Mythical hairpins to l’Alpe d’Huez

21

21

Mythical hairpins

The 21st

Tour de France

Intense

8 long-distance footpaths

Beer

BEER

Breweries

in Isère

ATHLETIC

HOME TO ATHLETES

Most athletic urban area in France (25% of the population has a membership to a sports club)

25

Close to 40 wolves roaming the mountains around Grenoble

...with a dynamic personal life, all in the heart of a unique natural and cultural environment
A SPECTACULAR ENVIRONMENT

5 Alpine mountain ranges: Vercors, Chartreuse, Belledonne, Les Ecrins and the Taillefer

3 natural reserves: 1 national park & 2 regional parks

2020 HOURS of sunlight per year (French average: 1950 hrs/yr)

+ than 7 mountain lakes

A VIBRANT CULTURAL SCENE

#2 modern art collection in France (Musée de Grenoble)

+ than 150 MUSEUMS in Isère

GRENoble, designated City of Art and History (2017)

Grenoble Street Art Fest:

+ than 115 painted murals in the Metropolitan area

FINE DINING “MADE IN GRENOBLE ALPES”

Home to GRATIN DAUPHINOIS, GRENOBLE WALNUTS, CHARTREUSE liqueur and SAINT-MARCELLIN cheese

810 restaurants in Isère with 7 Michelin starred
IDEALLY-LOCATED WITHIN EUROPE

3 INTERNATIONAL airports: Lyon, Geneva & Grenoble

3 HRS to Paris by train (18 TGVs/day)

1 1⁄2 HRS to London, Frankfurt, Rome or Brussels by plane

2 1⁄2 HRS to the Mediterranean Sea

2 HRS to Mont-Blanc

GRENOBLE, BUSINESS DESTINATION

3 convention centers

2,200 hotel rooms with 3 or 4 star-ratings

TAILOR-MADE BUSINESS CENTERS

170 business parks in Isère

of which:

2 Chemical platforms (Greater Grenoble Area and Rhône Valley)

1 multimodal platform INSPIRA in the Rhône Valley

1 land-transportation logistics platform in France in Northern Isère

FIELD-RELATED ACTIVITY HUBS:

➤ Campus de la Brunerie (athletics)

➤ MINATEC (electronics, microelectronics)

➤ Nanobio & Biopolis (health)

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