



## GEOG1BA - Introduction


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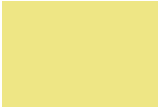
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				Year		
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○ LBIO1283	Statistical principles and biological data analysis	Nicolas Schtickzelle	EN [q2] [30h+40h] [4 Credits] 		x	
○ LBIR1271						







## Course prerequisites

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The **table** below lists the activities (course units, or CUs) for which there are one or more prerequisites within the programme, i.e. the programme CU for which the learning outcomes must be certified and the corresponding credits awarded by the jury before registering for that CU.

These activities are also identified **in the detailed programme**: their title is followed by a yellow square.

### Prerequisites and student's annual programme

As the prerequisite is for CU registration purposes only, there are no prerequisites within a programme year. Prerequisites are defined between CUs of different years and therefore influence the order in which the student will be able to register for the programme's CUs.

In addition, when the jury validates a student's individual programme at the beginning of the year, it ensures its coherence, meaning that it may:

- require the student to combine registration in two separate CUs which it considers necessary from a pedagogical point of view.
- transform a prerequisite into a corequisite if the student is in the final year of a degree course.

For more information, please consult the [Academic Regulations and Procedures](#).

### # Prerequisites list

- LANG1862** "English: reading and listening comprehension of scientific texts" has prerequisite(s) LANG1861
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- LGEO1251** "Earth's history" has prerequisite(s) LBIR1130
- LBIR1130 - Introduction to Earth sciences
- LGEO1321** "Geography of rural areas: land use, environment, nature" has prerequisite(s) LGEO1342
- LGEO1342 - Geographical Information Systems (GIS)
- LGEO1322** "Geography of urban spaces and flows" has prerequisite(s) LBIO1283
- LBIO1283 - Statistical principles and biological data analysis
- LGEO1331** "Geomorphology" has prerequisite(s) LGEO1251 AND LGEO1231
- LGEO1251 - Earth's history
  - LGEO1231

### 3A - 1ST ANNUAL UNIT

- Mandatory
- ⊗ Optional
- △ Not offered in 2024-2025
- ⊙ Not offered in 2024-2025 but offered the following year
- ⊕ Offered in 2024-2025 but not the following year
- △ ⊕ Not offered in 2024-2025 or the following year
- Activity with requisites
- 🌐 Open to incoming exchange students
- 🚫 Not open to incoming exchange students
- (FR) Teaching language (FR, EN, ES, NL, DE, ...)



Click on the course title to see detailed informations (objectives, methods, evaluation...)

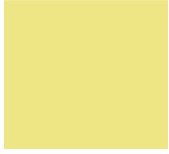
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#### o Sciences fondamentales

● LMAT1101	Mathematics 1	Pedro Dos Santos Santana Forte Vaz	FR [q1] [30h +20h] [4 Credits] 🌐
● LMAT1102	Mathematics 2	Augusto Ponce	FR [q2] [30h +30h] [4 Credits] 🌐
● LPHY1101	Physics 1	Michel Crucifix Thierry Fichet	FR [q1] [30h +40h] [6 Credits] 🌐
● LPHY1102	Physics 2	Vincent Lemaitre	FR [q2] [54h +36h] [7 Credits] 🌐
● LBIO1110	Life : diversity and evolution	Patrick Dumont Alice Mouton	FR [q1] [30h +10h] [4 Credits] 🌐
● LBIO1117	Ecology I	Renate Wesselingh	FR [q2] [30h +10h] [4 Credits] 🌐

● LMAT1101

o **Formation scientifique générale**



## ***GEOG1BA - 2ND ANNUAL UNIT***

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- Mandatory
  - ✘ Optional
  - △ Not offered in 2024-2025
  - ⊖ Not offered in 2024-2025 but offered the following year
  - ⊕ Offered in 2024-2025 but not the following year
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- Mandatory
- ⊗ Optional
- △ Not offered in 2024-2025
- ⊖ Not offered in 2024-2025 but offered the following year
- ⊕ Offered in 2024-2025 but not the following year
- △ ⊕ Not offered in 2024-2025 or the following year
- Activity with requisites
- 🌐 Open to incoming exchange students
- 🚫🌐 Not open to incoming exchange students
- [FR] Teaching language (FR, EN, ES, NL, DE, ...)

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○ LPHY1203	Physics 3	Matthieu Génévriez Clément Lauzin	[FR] [q1] [50h +10h] [4 Credits] 🌐
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**o Thématiques géographiques**

○ LGEO1332	Biogeography ■	Hans Van Dyck Renate Wesselingh	[FR] [q2] [30h +24h] [4 Credits] 🌐
○ LGEO1331	Geomorphology ■	Marie Guns	[FR] [q2] [30h +30h] [5 Credits] 🌐
○ LGEO1322	Geography of urban spaces and flows ■	Marie-Laurence De Keersmaecker	[FR] [q1] [30h +15h] [5 Credits] 🌐
○ LPHY1365	Meteorology ■	Michel Crucifix Thierry Fichet	[FR] [q2] [37.5h +22.5h] [5 Credits] 🌐

**o Techniques et compétences géographiques**

○ LGEO1341	Statistical analysis in geography ■	Erasmus Zu Ermgassen	[FR] [q1] [30h +30h] [5 Credits] 🌐
○ LGEO1343	Earth observation by satellite	Raphaël Rousseau (compensates Eric Lambin)	[FR] [q1] [30h +30h] [5 Credits] 🌐
○ LBIR1271	Integrated project in programming and applied mathematics	Patrick Bogaert Emmanuel Hanert (coord.) Marnik Vanclooster	[FR] [q2] [30h +30h] [5 Credits] 🌐



## GEOG1BA - Information

### Access Requirements

*Decree of 7 November 2013 defining the landscape of higher education and the academic organization of studies.*

*The admission requirements must be met prior to enrolment in the University.*

***In the event of the divergence between the different linguistic versions of the present conditions, the French version shall prevail.***

#### SUMMARY

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### General access requirements

Except as otherwise provided by other specific legal provisions, admission to undergraduate courses leading to the award of a Bachelor's degree will be granted to students with one of the following qualifications :

1. A Certificate of Upper Secondary Education issued during or after the 1993-1994 academic year by an establishment offering full-time secondary education or an adult education centre in the French Community of Belgium and, as the case may be, approved if it was issued by an educational institution before 1 January 2008 or affixed with the seal of the French Community if it was issued after this date, or an equivalent certificate awarded by the Examination Board of the French Community during or after 1994;
2. A Certificate of Upper Secondary Education issued no later than the end of the 1992-1993 academic year, along with official documentation attesting to the student's ability to pursue higher education for students applying for a full-length undergraduate degree programme;
3. A diploma awarded by a higher education institution within the French Community that confers an academic degree issued under the above-mentioned Decree, or a diploma awarded by a university or institution dispensing full-time higher education in accordance with earlier legislation;
4. A higher education certificate or diploma awarded by an adult education centre;
5. A pass certificate for one of the [entrance examinations](#) organized by higher education institutions or by an examination board of the French Community; this document gives admission to studies in the sectors, fields or programmes indicated therein;
6. A diploma, certificate of studies or other qualification similar to those mentioned above, issued by the Flemish Community of Belgium, the German Community of Belgium or the Royal Military Academy;



- For any secondary school diploma **from a European Union country**, the admission request must contain the equivalence of your diploma or, at the very least, proof of the filing of the equivalence request with the Wallonia-Brussels Federation (French Community of Belgium). For any information relating to obtaining an equivalence, please refer to [the following site](#).
- For any secondary school diploma **from a country outside the European Union**, the admission application must contain the [equivalence of your diploma](#) issued by the Wallonia-Brussels Federation (French Community of Belgium). If you have a restrictive equivalence for the programme of your choice, in addition of it, you **must** have either the [DAES](#) or a certificate of successful completion of the [examination giving access to 1<sup>st</sup> cycle studies](#) when you submit your application

## Access based on validation of professional experience

Admission to undergraduate studies on the basis of accreditation of knowledge and skills obtained through professional or personal experience (Accreditation of Prior Experience)

Subject to the general requirements laid down by the authorities of the higher education institution, with the aim of admission to the undergraduate programme, the examination boards accredit the knowledge and skills that students have obtained through their professional or personal experience.

This experience must correspond to at least five years of documented activity, with years spent in higher education being partially taken into account: 60 credits are deemed equivalent to one year of experience, with a maximum of two years being counted. At the end of an assessment procedure organized by the authorities of the higher education institution, the Examination Board will decide whether a student has sufficient skills and knowledge to successfully pursue undergraduate studies.

After this assessment, the Examination Board will determine the additional courses and possible exemptions constituting the supplementary requirements for the student's admission.

## Special requirements to access some programmes

- Admission to **undergraduate studies in engineering: civil engineering and architect**  
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## Teaching method

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En première année :

- Des séances sont organisées autour des questions de méthode de travail comme la manière d'aborder les différentes matières et la gestion du temps.
- Les monitorats permettent aux étudiants qui le souhaitent de faire le point sur les matières vues aux cours : les enseignants de chaque discipline répondent aux questions et réexpliquent les notions moins bien comprises.
- Des interrogations obligatoires intervenant dans la note finale de chaque matière sont organisées un mois après le début des cours au premier quadrimestre.

Pour les trois années :

- Les séances d'exercices et de laboratoire sont organisées en petits groupes et sont encadrés par des assistants. Certains travaux pratiques font l'objet de contrôles de connaissances en début de séance et de rapports à remettre en fin de séance.
- Des séjours sur le terrain et un projet permettent à l'étudiant de se confronter à des problèmes concrets et de s'exercer à y apporter des solutions.
- Des travaux personnels et/ou de groupe sont prévus pour certaines activités.
- Des sites internet sont associés à la plupart des cours : des informations utiles y sont déposées.

## Evaluation

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***The evaluation methods comply with the [regulations concerning studies and exams](#). More detailed explanation of the modalities specific to each learning unit are available on their description sheets under the heading "Learning outcomes evaluation method".***

Différentes modalités sont mises en oeuvre pour l'évaluation des connaissances et des compétences acquises au cours de la formation; elles sont adaptées aux types de prestations : évaluation continue notamment pour les exercices pratiques, évaluation des travaux personnels et de groupe, évaluation globale (écrite et/ou orale) durant les sessions d'examens.

## Mobility and/or Internationalisation outlook

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International mobility is recommended rather within the framework of master programmes. In special cases, however, it is possible to consider international mobility at the end of the bachelor's degree.

Moreover, participation in a short mobility can be envisaged at the end of the bachelor's degree in the framework of the Athens network <https://www.paristech.fr/fr/international/europe/athens>

## Possible trainings at the end of the programme

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Positioning of the programme within the University cursus

The bachelor's degree in Geographical Sciences entitles automatic access to the master's of Geographical Sciences, orientated

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