International Partnerships

Our international academic partnerships strengthen research and teaching quality and provide a framework of excellence for both incoming and outgoing mobility for researchers and PhD students.

IMT Atlantique is positioned in the European research area with its international academic partners and companies, notably through project coordination. IMT Atlantique also works with the CNRS and the Franco-German Academy on international cooperation to structure long-standing research and teaching collaborations with its national and international partners.

A significant number of cooperation agreements with international universities have been signed for research and teaching as well as the creation of international research consortia.

View international co-publications

**International co-publications** produced in the last 4 years: Africa, Europe, North and South America, Asia and Oceania.

Our mobility and cotutelle partners

Incoming mobility/research momentum

Hosting international scientists - Visiting professors

IMT Atlantique invites, hosts and prepares visits for doctoral students or teacher-researchers from overseas institutions. These trips for research projects within our departments, for a period of between 10 days and 1 year, can grant the status of associate researcher on consideration of the...
researcher's scientific file. This can be renewed for a period of 6 months to 3 years.

More information

Departments can make invitations on their own initiative, and manage the conditions of the research visit as well as the corresponding administrative procedures in collaboration with the guest. The DRI assists the department in question with the conditions of confidentiality and intellectual protection linked to the scientific part of the study or project for visits of over 3 months as outlined in the visit agreement. Application procedures are set in motion by the inviting professor/researcher and files are processed on an ongoing basis throughout the year.

International researchers also apply for associate researcher status for a renewable period of 6 months to 3 years. The Charter of Rights and Duties of Associate Researchers provides a framework for their experiences with IMT Atlantique. The DRI is responsible for appraising the scientific aspects of the application, validating the administrative elements, and reminding the researcher that the associate researcher must visit the IMT Atlantique campuses for 15 days a year and that joint publications are mandatory during that period.

Support for scientific teams in conducting research projects

To encourage its laboratories and researchers to participate in the construction of the European Research Area, IMT Atlantique's Research and Innovation Department supports research teams in setting up, negotiating, managing and administrating European projects.

It should be noted that in the European and global space of higher education and research establishments, the International Relations and Academic Partnerships Department supports projects led by teacher-researchers in connection with the ERAMUS+ program with the school's international academic partners.

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