

T.I.M.E. Association in partnership with L'Oréal: Double Degree scholarship programme



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The T.I.M.E. Association, with the support from L'Oréal, is proud to launch the 3rd edition of "T.I.M.E. - L'Oréal Double Degree scholarships". These scholarships aim to support students in **financial need**, facilitating their participation in **double degree programmes** between **two T.I.M.E. institutions**.

T.I.M.E. Members are tasked to **nominate their candidates** and submit the application to the Secretary General of the T.I.M.E. Association at secretary.general@timeassociation.org. Each T.I.M.E. member institution may nominate **one outgoing student**;

Scholarship overview:

- Total budget: € 30,000
- Amount per scholarship:
 - Up to €5,000 for students travelling within Europe;
 - up to €10,000 for students travelling outside Europe

Eligibility criteria:

- Open exclusively to students that will start their 1st year of double degree between two T.I.M.E. institutions;
- Selection based on financial needs;
- Motivation.

Preferred fields of study:

The following fields are recommended by L'Oréal and will be taken into account during the selection process. They are published as guidance, not as hard eligibility criteria — strong candidates from adjacent disciplines will also be considered.

- Chemical Engineering
- Artificial Intelligence & Computer / Data Science
- Industrial & Operations / Manufacturing Engineering

- Packaging & Materials Science
- Biotechnology
- Supply Chain & Logistics
- Sustainability & Environmental Engineering
- Mechanical Engineering (tbc by Lilian)

Application file:

- The application should include:
 - a **motivation letter** explaining the student's decision to pursue a double degree and how this scholarship will contribute to the realisation of their academic and professional project;
 - a **support letter from their home institution**;
 - a **detailed budget plan**: The budget plan should outline the need for the scholarship, and any other financial support the applicant receives.

Selection Process:

Step 1: Application Pre-selection

- Application period: April 21st – May 29th, 2026;
- Requirements: T.I.M.E. Members are tasked to nominate their candidates and submit the application to the Secretary General, T.I.M.E. Association at secretary.general@timeassociation.org
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Step 2: Jury proceedings

- **Preliminary selection**: The T.I.M.E. Selection Committee will meet online during **mid-June 2026** and conduct an initial review of the applications and shortlist **at most 15 applications**;
- **Interviews**: The T.I.M.E. Selection Committee and L'Oréal representatives will conduct interviews during **late June 2026**, dividing into three panels to assess 5 candidates each;
- **Deliberation**: Following interviews, the T.I.M.E. Selection Committee and L'Oréal representatives will decide and select the final scholarship recipients;
- **Notification**: Final results will be announced by early July 2026.

Scholarship award ceremony: Scheduled during the T.I.M.E. General Assembly at Doshisha University, Kyoto, Japan, from September 30 – October 3, 2026.

Candidate commitments:

Candidates should engage in regular, non-binding exchanges with their L'Oréal mentor for career advice without obligation to join the company.

For more information:

Do not hesitate to contact us with any questions or for further details at secretary.general@timeassociation.org