



MASTER'S DEGREE

CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGY AND PSYCHOPATHOLOGY

in Emotional and Cognitive-Behavioural
Therapy



INTRODUCTION

The Nîmes «Clinical Psychology and Psychopathology in Emotional and Cognitive-Behavioural Therapy

(ClinPathTCCE)» program is designed to develop knowledge of clinical psychology and psychopathology, of children and adults. It provides training on behavioural, cognitive and emotional therapies. These scientifically approved therapies will be used to address the development of a psychological vulnerability during an individual's life and to study the various emotional and cognitive psychopathological forms this can take.

Teaching in French and English.

OBJECTIVES

Graduates of this Master's degree will be able to complete the various stages involved in psychology research. In particular, psychologists need strong written skills and the ability to listen, analyse and summarize.

The research training provides students with transferable skills outside their direct professional sphere: meaning they are able to complete documentary research work in French and English, set up experimental and observational initiatives, and write reports and present the results.

At the end of the course, graduations will be able to use the title of psychologist.



ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

- **The course is aimed at students with a bachelor's degree in psychology (access in year 1 of the master's degree) or 60 ECTS in a master's degree (access in year 2 of the master's degree) in psychology, preferably with an emphasis in clinical psychology.**

SKILLS AND EXPERTISES

Skills acquired. Ability to:

- Adapt professional practice to critical situations in clinical psychology and psychopathology,
- Assess the general condition of a situation, system or institution,
- Identify and analyse the clinical condition of a person, patient and their entourage (family aides, carers),
- Create and formalize a diagnosis of psychological functioning in relation to the health of a person, patient or their entourage,
- Choose the appropriate method and procedure for testing the diagnostic hypothesis for a person, patient or their entourage,
- Draft and adapt writing (notes, reports, documents) to the context and audience,
- Identify, define and implement treatment adapted to the wants and needs of the person, patient or entourage,
- Identify and organize a unique therapeutic framework for each of these people, based on their category and the context,
- Advise and guide the choices of the person, patient or entourage.
- Formalize and pass on knowledge of clinical psychology through research and training,
- Recognize the need for practical and theoretical further education (seminars, guidance, sharing best practice, etc.),
- Work related to respect of the ethical rules of psychologists.

POSSIBLE CAREER PATHS

Private or public sector: psychologist.

The master's degree has a dual focus on research and professionalization. It also enables graduates to continue on to PhD studies in psychology.



KEY FIGURES

86.2%
of students
graduated in 2017.

**Course launched
in 2015**

Source: OVIE (Unimes Student Life and Employment Observatory) surveys of graduates from 2012, 2013 and 2014

ECTS Credits: 120

Duration: 2 years

Level of studies: BAC +5

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

- Introductory course/further education
- Validation of prior experience (VAE)

INTERNSHIP

- 300 hours in first year
- 500 hours minimum in second year

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