

**Documents required**

- A completed AGS application form (downloadable from the admissions page of your program)
- A personal statement (between 500 and 1,000 words for degree programs; no more than 500 words for certificates and single courses). This personal statement should enable the Admissions Committee to assess your goals, motivations, and potential to do graduate level work. You may write about any experience that you deem relevant: academic, professional, or personal.
- Your current CV or resume
- Official transcripts of all previous university-level studies
- Two letters of recommendation: these letters should be from professors who have instructed the candidate in your last degree program. Students who have been out of university for more than four years may provide professional recommendation letters instead of academic recommendation letters.
- A GRE score is *not* required, but will be considered in your application if provided
- For non-native speakers of English who did not graduate from a degree program instructed in English: a standardized test of English: TOEFL or IELTS score
- For M.A. applicants only: an analytical writing sample
- For Ph.D. applicants only:
  - A dissertation project description of 250-500 words (please note that acceptance into the program does not mean that the dissertation project submitted during your application is approved. Once admitted, you will have the opportunity to fine-tune your topic and other aspects of your proposal.)
  - A writing sample of previously submitted academic work, such as an article for publication in a scholarly journal or an assignment submitted during your graduate studies
- An application fee of €50, non-refundable. This can be paid online at [ags.edu/payments](https://ags.edu/payments).

**Notes:** - All official documents (transcripts, letters of recommendation) in a language other than English or French must be accompanied by certified translations. Translations do not replace original documents: please remember to send both.  
 - All documentation submitted will be confidential. Application materials cannot be returned once submitted.

**How to submit your documents:**

You may submit everything by email: [admissions@ags.edu](mailto:admissions@ags.edu)

The following documents have to be sent directly by third-parties in a secured way:

- Official transcripts (must be sent by the university)
- Test scores (must come directly from the testing services provider: ETS, British Council, etc.)
- Letters of recommendation (must be sent directly by the referees)

Alternatively, it is possible to send some documents by postal mail to the following address:

**American Graduate School in Paris**  
**Reid Hall**  
**4, rue de Chevreuse**  
**75006 Paris**  
**FRANCE**

**Application Deadlines (two intakes a year, application decisions made on a rolling basis)**

Fall intake (start early Sep)		Spring intake (start early Feb)	
EU students (no visa needed)	Non-EU students	EU students (no visa needed)	Non-EU students
15 August	15 June	15 January	15 November

**Any questions? Please contact our admissions counselor at [admissions@ags.edu](mailto:admissions@ags.edu)**