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# PRESENTATION

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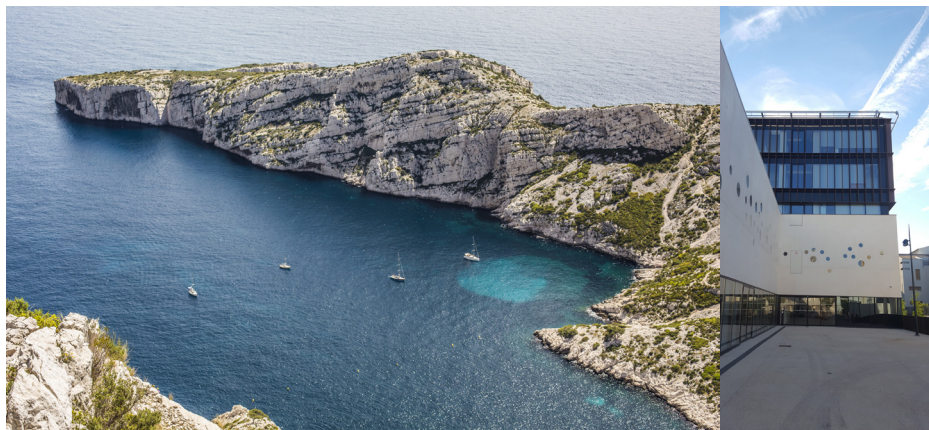
## 2019 AMSE Summer School **SEARCH AND MATCHING**

The AMSE Summer School provides students with the opportunity to learn from leading academics in their fields and engage with peers, while discovering the splendor of one of the most coveted summer destinations.

**The 2019 AMSE Summer School covers recent theories and empirical approaches that economists have designed to study search and matching in labour, housing, online and other markets.**

Various forms of imperfections or “frictions” characterise most real-world transactions. In labour markets, frictions can explain unemployment and wage inequalities. In real estate, complexities in the matching of buyers and sellers can have important effects on housing prices. These are some of the key applications of search and matching models in economics. During the three days of the Summer School, students will get rigorous and in-depth exposure to the most recent theories and empirical methods in the field. Lectures will be given by leading experts in search and matching models: Jan Eeckhout (Universitat Pompeu Fabra and University College London), Pieter Gautier (Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam), Bruno Decreuse and Christian Schluter (Aix-Marseille University).

This year’s summer school is of interest to graduate students or academics who want to expand their knowledge in this thriving area of research and to practitioners who want to familiarize themselves with the key issues affecting markets with frictions. Faculty is available to discuss research projects and ideas and to provide feedback throughout the three days of the Summer School.





# SUMMER SCHOOL VENUE

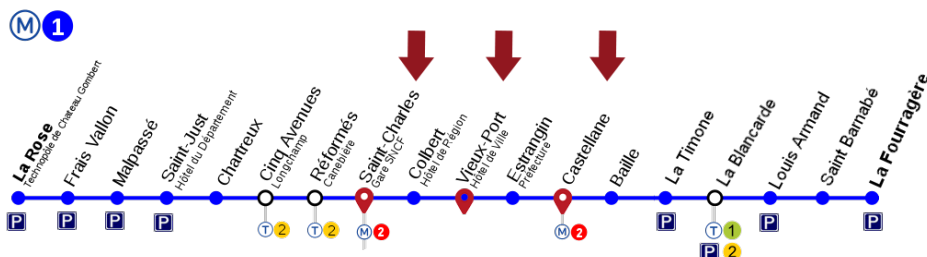
The Summer School venue is:

**Aix-Marseille Université - Aix-Marseille School of Economics (AMSE), 5-9 boulevard Maurice Bourdet, 13001 Marseille** (no parking available).

The school can be reached through the Metro system of the city of Marseille. See below the map of Marseille Metro network (blue line - M1).

The closest stops during your stay in Marseille are:

- Summer School venue: **Saint Charles**
- Housing: **Castellane**
- Social event of day 2 + bus n°82 (stop Fort St Nicolas): **Vieux-Port**



To get to the Summer School venue from your accommodation, the easiest way is to take the Metro at «Castellane»:

- blue line M1 (direction La Rose)
- stop at «Saint Charles, gare SNCF»

Since you are staying in Marseille for 3 days, we advise you to buy an XL pass for 72h. The cost is +/- 10 euros. XL passes can be purchased inside the main entrances of the Metro stations.

More information:

- hours: <http://www.rtm.fr/en>
- tickets: <http://www.rtm.fr/en/travellers-guide/buy-tickets/occasional-travel>

# HOUSING

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During the Summer School, each of you will stay in a one-room apartment, in the hotel:

**Citadines Castellane Marseille, 60 Rue du Rouet, 13006 Marseille.**

Contact: +33 (0)4 96 20 11 00

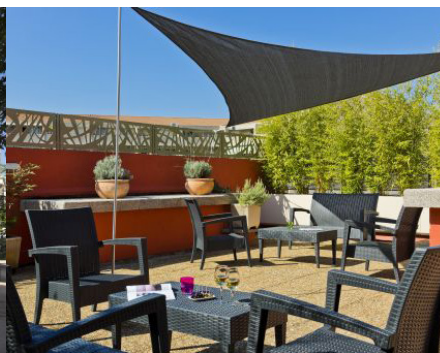
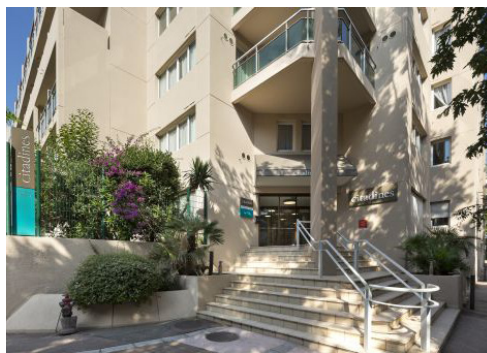
The studios are equipped with:

- a double bed or 2 single beds,
- a small kitchen with cooking stove and tools,
- free wireless internet access (wifi).

Services laundry and dry cleaning are also available (paying services) in the hotel.

The Citadines is located a few minutes walk from the Castellane Metro station.

More photos on the website: [http://www.citadines-photos.com/phototheque/europe\\_map.html](http://www.citadines-photos.com/phototheque/europe_map.html)



# PROGRAMME

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## DAY 1: July 2, 2019

8.30am Welcome coffee + Registration

8.50am Welcome speech

9:00am **Lecture 1** (P. A. Gautier)

*10.30am Break*

10.45am **Lecture 2** (P.A. Gautier)

*12.15pm Lunch*

1.15pm **Lecture 3** (P.A. Gautier)

**Students' presentations:** 20' presentation + 10' discussion

2.15pm C. M. Yip, "Search Relativity"

2.45pm A. Glenney, "Gender Gaps in Job Search and Job Outcomes"

*3.15pm Break*

3.30pm A. Elminejad, "Directed Search over the Life Cycle"\*

4.00pm V. Saldarriaga, "Firms' Targeted Search and Unemployment Dynamics Over the Business Cycle"

4.30pm M. Regan, "The Long-Run Consequences of Graduating in a Recession: Evidence from Europe"

5.00pm J. Diwambuena, "Beveridge Shocks and Business Cycle in Italy"

\* Paper from literature

*6.00pm Bus to Aix-en-Provence for the evening*

**Guided tour and dinner along the Cours Mirabeau (see page 10)**

*Discover the mansions, beauty of the architecture and monuments, anecdotes on streets and on the city; A great and unique insight into Aix-en-Provence*

*10:45pm Bus to Marseille*



## DAY 2: July 3, 2019

9.00am Lecture 4 (J. Eeckhout)

10.30am Break

10.45am Lecture 5 (J. Eeckhout)

12.15pm Lunch

1.15pm Lecture 6 (J. Eeckhout)

Students' presentations: 20' presentation + 10' discussion

2.15pm M. Goryunov, "Sorting with Random Search When Firms Have Size"

2.45pm B. Vidalenc, "The Macrodynamics of Sorting between Workers and Firms"\*

3.15pm G. Macci, "Capital-skill complementarity and labour reallocation"

3.45pm Break

4.00pm M. Canales, "Sorting in Chilean Labour Market"

4.30pm M. Mitkova, "Optimal Promotions of Competing Firms in a Frictional Labour Market with Organizational Hierarchies"

5.00pm C. Sandmann, "Non-stationary Search and Assortative Matching"

5.30pm M. Mayer, "Identifying Equilibrium Models of Labour Market Sorting"\*

\* Paper from literature

6.00pm Free time

8.30pm Dinner in Marseille

**The Rowing Club (see page 11)**

*Competition of petanque*

*Cocktail and dinner with an amazing view of the Marseille harbor*





## DAY 3: July 4, 2019

8.45am **Lecture 7** (C. Schluter)

10.15am *Break*

10.30am **Lecture 8** (B. Decreuse)

**Students' presentations:** 20' presentation + 10' discussion

12.00pm N. Lamersdorf, "Aggregate Recruiting Intensity"\*

12.30pm N. Buliskeria, "Matching, sorting, and wages"\*

1.00pm *Lunch*

2.00pm D. Erdenebulgan, "Expectation Formation and Learning in the Labour Market with On-the-Job Search and Nash Bargaining"

2.30pm M. Balgova, "Why don't less educated workers move? The role of job search in migration decisions"

3.00pm A. Taalaibekova, "Who matters in coordination problems on networks: myopic or farsighted agents?"

3.30pm *Break*

3.45pm M.-P. de Bellefon, "Delineating urban areas using building density"

4.15pm J. Binder, "Efficiency of Simultaneous Search"\*

\* Paper from literature

4.45pm **Closing speech**

5.00pm *End of the Summer School*

At the end of the Summer School, participants will receive a certificate of attendance.



# SOCIAL EVENTS

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## Aix-en-Provence: July 2, 2019

On Tuesday, July 2, you will discover Aix-en-Provence, the beauty of its architecture and monuments, with a guided tour of the city on foot, in English.

*Bus from Marseille to Aix-en-Provence: meeting point in the lobby of the school at 6pm. You will not have time to return to the hotel so should put on a comfortable pair of shoes for the guided tour.*



Starting from the Tourist Office, you will first discover one of the emblematic fountains of Aix en Provence: La Rotonde, erected in 1860 and adorned with three statues epitomizing Justice (leave blank)-facing Aix-Agriculture-facing Marseille-and Arts-facing Avignon. The Rotonde dominates the «Cours Mirabeau» the main thoroughfare of Aix created in 1649 and which is lined with plane trees and cafés.

The «Cours Mirabeau» is also well-known for its elegant private mansions, the «Hôtels Particuliers» from the 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> century such as the Hôtel

Forbin (1656), the Hôtel Maurel de Pontevès with a superb Italian façade adorned with two atlas - «atlantes», the two guardians of the Cours.

You will then move, to the South of the Cours, to the «Quartier Mazarin», designed by the Archbishop Mazarin, and the chosen home of the aristocracy of Aix. One of the jewels of the «Quartier Mazarin» is the Four Dolphins Fountain built by Rambot in the 17<sup>th</sup> century. This landmark reminds visitors of the close link between water and Aix-formerly Aquae Sextiae-and leads to the fortified Gothic Church of St John of Malta.

Then, leaving the «Quartier Mazarin», you will stroll in the oldest part of the city centre, a maze of narrow semi-pedestrian streets lined with shops and full of bustle. On the way to the Town Hall, you make a stop at the Hôtel Boyer d'Eguilles which houses the Natural History Museum with its unique collection of dinosaur fossils from the Ste Victoire Mountain.

Just a few steps to reach another charming spot: the «Place d'Albertas», from the 18<sup>th</sup> century with its fountain and its hôtel particulier, a blend of Baroque and Rococo style. Not far from this place, colours and fragrances of Provence will delight your senses at the fresh fruit and vegetable market held every morning.

Next stop: The Town Hall from the 17<sup>th</sup> century with a facade in the Italian style, carved wooden doors and an inner court.



The Clock Tower of the Town Hall, once the town Belfry, has an astronomical clock (1661) on which statues representing the four seasons appear each in its turn. On the south side of the square of the Town Hall stands the former Corn Exchange topped by an allegorical pediment which represents the Rhone and the Durance rivers. You will be seduced, on the way to the St Sauveur Cathedral, by the Hotel de Châteaurenard and its trompe-l'oeil painting looking like a theatre set by Jean Daret.

The Archbishop's palace (1650-1730) decorated with an elegant Regency door is the former residence of the Archbishops of Aix en Provence and is nowadays the venue of the International Festival of Lyric Art every July since 1948.

Last but not least: the St Sauveur Cathedral which offers many examples of every architectural style from the 5<sup>th</sup> century to the 17<sup>th</sup> century.

*The guided tour will end at the restaurant:*

***Les Deux Garçons, 53 Cours Mirabeau, 13100 Aix-en-Provence.***

*Bus from Aix-en-Provence to Marseille at 10:45pm.*

## Marseille: July 3, 2019

On Wednesday, July 3, you will discover the marina of Marseille. We will have dinner at the Rowing Club, a place with a magnificent view of the Vieux-Port. There will also be a petanque tournament.

*Meeting point:*

***Rowing club, 34 Boulevard Charles Livon, 13007 Marseille.***

*Classes end at 6pm, so you have enough time to go back to your hotel if you wish so. We will meet at 8:30pm at the restaurant. The easiest way to get there from the hotel is to take the Metro blue line - M1 from Castellane to Vieux-Port (2 stops); you will then have to walk 10 minutes to the restaurant or take the bus n°82 on the Vieux-Port - stop Fort St Nicolas.*



# USEFUL INFORMATION

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## Useful numbers

### **Tourist information board**

Marseille

+33 (0)8 26 50 05 00

Tourist information office

(only from a french phone, surcharged number)

### **Taxi**

Marseille

+33 (0)6 22 65 45 85 Masoni Taxi

+33 (0)4 91 02 20 20 Taxi Radio Marseille

## WIFI

Your personal access code to the WIFI will be provided on your arrival.

## Notes









Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any question or concern.  
We look forward to hosting you and make you discover the cosmopolitan, welcoming  
and generous city of Marseille.



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