The Grenoble French Studies Program offers a semester or academic year of intensive language study and university coursework in one of France’s most beautiful cities. With a student population of almost 53,000, both the city and the University of Grenoble have a longstanding tradition of welcoming students from all over the world.

Upon successful completion of a semester, students earn 16 Boston University credits.

LEVEL I: INTENSIVE FRENCH LANGUAGE
Level I offers an intensive French-language curriculum at the Centre Universitaire d’Etudes Françaises (CUEF) of the Université de Grenoble, which is among the best French-language instruction centers in France. Level I students take four classes for a total of 16 credits: 12 credits of language coursework plus a course on French civilization and culture taught by the director, for which students conduct an ethnographic research project.

LEVEL II: ADVANCED UNIVERSITY STUDIES
Level II offers advanced students the opportunity to enroll directly in the Université de Grenoble. Qualified students select four upper-level academic courses from offerings in the Faculté des Langues, Lettres et Communication (Université Stendhal), the Faculté Des Sciences Sociales (Université Pierre Mendès), the CUEF, or a combination thereof. In addition, all Level II students take a semester-long, advanced four-credit course, Travaux Pratiques, in written and oral French through the CUEF, for which they complete an ethnographic research project.

HOUSING
All students are provided with accommodations in French households throughout the city.

PROGRAM DATES
Fall Semester
Level I: late September–late December
Level II: early September–late December
Spring Semester
Level I: mid-January–late April
Level II: mid-January–late May
Academic Year: early September–late May
Summer Term: early June–late July

ADMISSIONS
• Level I: Open to students who have completed two to four semesters of college-level French language or the equivalent
• Level II: Open to students who have completed a minimum of five semesters of college-level French language or the equivalent
• Refer to our policy on eligibility/admissions at www.bu.edu/abroad/admissions

2014/2015 PROGRAM COST
$29,858 per semester. Cost includes tuition, housing, board, local transportation, excursions, round-trip group airfare from a designated US city, overseas medical insurance, and emergency travel assistance coverage.

APPLICATION DEADLINES
Fall/Academic Year: March 15
Spring Semester: October 1
Summer Term: March 1