TERMS OF ELIGIBILITY

For M1: The candidate must hold a **nationally accredited bachelor's degree** (180 ECTS after the baccalaureate) or another equivalent diploma.

For M2: The candidate must hold a **first level certified master's degree** (60 ECTS after the bachelor's degree) or another equivalent diploma.

For all candidates (M1 and M2), the master’s degree is in priority for students who have followed a course in the Humanities and Social Sciences (SHS). **In addition to a compulsory knowledge of French and English, partial or total mastery of an Asian vernacular language is strongly encouraged.** The acquisition of this linguistic competence can be acquired during the master’s course through a joint curriculum.

STEP 1: CHOOSING AN ADVISOR

The candidate must obtain the agreement of a **Memoire Tutor/Advisor**, who will agree to supervise his or her progress during the course of study. The Tutor must be a statutory member of one of the centers in Asian Studies associated with the program, belonging to the faculty of the Asian Studies major, or a professor of another accredited major.

It is the candidate’s responsibility to find a tutor. To do so, he or she will contact by e-mail one (or several) tutor(s) among the members of the teaching faculty of the Asian Studies major. He or she may also be guided in the choice of a tutor by the directors or the temporary teaching and research attaché (ATER) of the specialization.

List of tutors available [here](#)
Documents to be submitted:

- For an M1 Admission Application: a CV, bachelor’s degree transcripts and a letter of intent presenting the theme or research topic of the candidate’s orientation
- For an M2 Admission Application: a CV, transcripts of bachelor’s and master’s degrees and a research project accompanied by a short bibliography

The potential tutor receives the candidate during an interview designed to evaluate his or her skills (especially linguistic) and motivations. If the tutor agrees to supervise the candidate, the candidate has him/her sign the Tutor Application form that can be downloaded from the EHESS website.

Tutor Application available here.

The Tutor Application form is an integral part of the application package. An application that does not include this document will be considered inadmissible.

**STEP 2: SUBMISSION OF THE APPLICATION**

Once the tutor’s agreement has been obtained, the application must be submitted online on the EHESS application platform at the following address: https://www.ehess.fr/fr/admissions-inscriptions.

Required Application documents (non-exhaustive list - all documents must be submitted on the online application platform):

- Curriculum vitae
- Letter of motivation
- Copy of all diplomas and transcripts obtained in higher education (for documents in a foreign language, translations into French prepared by a sworn translator in France)
- For the candidates coming from a CPGE: descriptive certificates of the training program for the 2 years of studies (or 3 in case of khube) mentioning the number of validated ECTS. Copy of the transcripts of the examinations taken if applicable.
- Copy of both sides of a valid ID.
- For candidates applying for a Master 2: a research project accompanied by a short bibliography
- The Tutuor Application form signed by the candidate and the tutor
- For candidates holding a foreign diploma: an attestation of French language level: DELF B2 or TCF level B2 minimum.

**Admissions Calendar**

- 1st Round: Application submission from February 03 to April 14, 2022
- 2nd Round: Application submission from June 27 to July 27, 2022 (to be confirmed)

No applications will be accepted after April 14, 2022. Incomplete applications will not be accepted.

The teaching faculty council of this track examines the applications and approves a select number of candidates. Candidates will be notified of the admission decision by e-mail within 2 weeks of the Council’s deliberation (the dates of the deliberations for each round will be specified later).