

# INNOVATION IN HIGHER EDUCATION

An innovative scholarship to provide more service to studies in France candidates

Legrand Group is a global specialist in electrical and digital building infrastructure.

Headquartered in France and present in more than 90 countries, with a total workforce of over 36,000, Legrand reported 2015 sales of over €4.8 billion.

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*Signature of the agreement between Legrand Group and Rennes School of Business, in Legrand India Office in Mumbai*

## AN INCREASING INTEREST IN STUDIES IN FRANCE

As the USA post Trump and the Brexit creates concerns for Indian students about their possibilities of access to local markets post completing their studies abroad, new countries are receiving increasing interest from higher education aspirants.

With a new 2- year stay visa for Indian students and an objective to deliver more than double the number of student visas, France is attracting more and more interest for very good reasons: top institutions, a dynamic local market, access to the Shenghen area and growing investments from French companies in India. All these elements are very appealing. But to make the shift easier, a French institution and a global company headquartered in France decided to take a further step.

### An initiative from Rennes School of Business

With a unique ratio of 90% international faculty members representing 36 nationalities, and 53% international students covering 70 different origins, Rennes School of Business can ensure a truly global experience for its students. All classes are taught entirely in English. The school is committed towards worldwide standards of excellence: it is among the 1% institutions in the world which have achieved accreditation by EQUIS, AMBA and AACSB.

All Master programmes require a minimum of 4 months' internship to allow graduation. It's extremely important as it is a key success factor for placement. 82% of the students are placed during the internship before graduating. The school therefore, offers many services for students to find a suitable internship.

In India, for instance, their representative is an alumni of the School, with a strong experience in HR and a network among French Indian companies. She is based in Bangalore and, among her missions, she promotes the school and its students and graduates towards local companies. More than 15 companies have signed up so far and the School is honored to welcome such prestigious Groups as Legrand and Legrand India among its partners.

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*« 82% of our students get placed before graduating. »*

*– Dr Olivier Aptel, Rennes School of Business Dean*

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## LEGRAND GROUP SCHOLARSHIP

Legrand Group has been a leader in the protection business in India for four decades. As a French Indian company committed towards excellence and sustainability, the prospect of innovating towards talent acquisition and of tying up with a top French institution was attractive.

The company is particularly attracted by talent which is able to work in a global environment and with dual skills: Electrical/Mechanical and Business/Management. The perspective of testing potential candidates during an internship at the Headquarters of the company was also a recognised advantage.

Therefore, the partnership involves a **scholarship of 2000€** to 3 engineering students registered in Rennes School of Business in a Master in Management, Master in International Marketing or Master in Global Business Management. The lucky laureates will also **be granted an internship** in Product Management at the Legrand Group headquarters in Limoges, France.

Legrand Group and Legrand India will also publish their internship and job opportunities to the network of Rennes School of Business students and alumni.

## A VERY ADVANTAGEOUS SCHEME TO APPLY FOR

- For Rennes School of Business aspirants, it is a clear advantage :If granted the scholarship, they get an important financial benefit and a guarantee of a paid and valuable internship in France
- If not, they are a part of the School that goes an extra mile to support their career prospects.

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