



An ultra-peripheral region of Europe in the heart of the Indian Ocean 10,000 km from mainland France, Réunion Island is a French Overseas Department. Its University (with full autonomy since 1982) has grown steadily over the years. Its specific geo-strategic position makes it the only European university in this part of the world. So it has what it takes to interface between Europe and the Indian Ocean.

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### - **The University of La Réunion in figures**

The University of La Réunion includes:

#### **4 faculties**

1 Faculty of Law & Economics

1 Faculty of Science & Technology

1 Faculty of Arts & Humanities

1 Faculty of Human Sciences & Environment

## 2 Institutes

1 Business School (IAE)

1 University Institute of Technology (IUT)

## 27 Departments

17 Laboratories

370 teaching & research staff

over 250 administration, technical & service staff

7 Cross-Faculty Services

15 Central Administration Services

**Website:** [www.univ-reunion.fr](http://www.univ-reunion.fr)

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