

## Worldwide perspectives of adapting engineering education to change CASRAL P





#### Humanism and diversity, The real basis of its identity

## **1957** Creation of INSA Lyon and the Humanities' Centre

- Social and territorial diversity
- Academic diversity
- Open to the world
- Integration of disabled people with individual solutions
- Equal opportunities for men and women
- Society oriented





To understand

- socio-technical challenges
- industry perspective

Critical thinking & Problem-solving in a complex and fast evolving context

#### Ability to/ Competencies

- learn
- adapt
- manage
- innovate
- undertake
- Communicate

## Competencies-based approach



#### **INSA Model** Existing tools & initiatives (1)

## Globalization



- International mobility mandatory
- International campus/ multicultural working-groups
- 10 foreign languages/ 2 mandatories incl. French as foreign language
- 4 International UG tracks (2-year curriculum)
- Courses in English incl. Summer courses
- Foreign faculty members
- 200 partner universities



#### **INSA Model** Existing tools & initiatives (2)

## **Humanities center**

#### 20% of INSA curriculum in Humanities & social sciences

- Theatre,
- arts,
- management,
- ethics,
- Sport,

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- Foreign languages,
- Communication

Project manager - quality manager - Product developer -...

Holistic view of project management



#### **INSA Model** Existing tools & initiatives (3)

## Links with industry

- Internships (7+ months)
- 19% of teaching staff coming from industry
- Industry representatives
  - within the board of trustees
  - within the academic advisory board
- Cases study
- Sponsorship of a cohort
- Entrepreneurship program
- Industrial chairs (education and research)



#### INSA Lyon An integrated approach



#### **Innovative enginnering education**



## Generate & extend ideas

- self-evaluation
- Benchmark
- Incentives





#### **INSA Model** New initiatives (1)

# • P2I Cross-disciplinary track for Introduction to Engineering (2016)

4th semester/ Year 2 (180 hours)

- A problem submitted by the industry
- A multi and cross-disciplinary problem-solving approach
- Thinking mindset to develop real solutions
- Co-designed course (UG+G faculty members/ several departments)

#### Guided reflection on impact on society



#### **INSA Model** New initiatives (1)

• P2I Cross-disciplinary track for Introduction to Engineering (2016)

Group of 6-8 students French and international students Male and female

Several professors coaching/ differents expertises.

Individual + group works



## P2I (1) Cross disciplinary-based Engineering Education



#### Learning outcomes

- Design a Physical Sensor Layer
- Set up Electronic Acquisition Circuits
- Analyze Data Sensors
- Set up Sensor Communication and Databases
- Debate on socio-technical questions on Data and Society

#### P2I (2) Multidisciplinary-based Engineering Education

#### **P2I Engineering & Health**

- The involvment of mechanics in the field of health
- Analyze the motricity, Develop a tool to evaluate lesional risks Snwoboarders & roller skating falls/ Biomechanics of human movement/ Tibia prothesis

#### With the collaboration of medical doctors, industries and high-level sports athletes

Anatomy, Mathematical modelling Kinematics for sport application, Material science Medical imaging, Traumatology +

Ethics, augmented human, transhumanism, perception of disability...







#### **INSA Model** New initiatives (1)

#### **P2I Multidisciplinary-based Engineering Education**

Evaluation survey

819 students/ 349 answers Overall satisfaction: 81,6%





## **P2I Multidisciplinary-based Engineering Education**





#### **INSA Model** New initiatives (2)



From National strategy to local initiatives Close collaboration local authorities & INSA Lyon

854 open data available

#### **Towards smart cities**



Encourage citizens & HEIs/students to create new services





#### **INSA Model** New initiatives (2)



## **Towards smart cities**

#### **Examples of students' projects**

- Alfred: Mobile app/city management: sharing new ideas and feedback
- GONAP: to locate relaxing spots in the city/ sun, distance, noise
- Chatbot to interact with the City via social networks
- Interactive urban games /Kinect sensor
- MixMytape: to integrate a friendly ambiance with music in common spots of the city/ users' tastes + interaction & feedback

#### Representatives of the city of Lyon in the assessment panel







#### **INSA Model** New initiatives (3)

- INSA Group/ Bi-annual Workshop on innovative pedagogy 6 INSAs in France, 10% of French Engineering graduates
- A 2-Day event

Experiences & best practices

- Digitalization
- Ingénieur humaniste/ Renaissance Engineer
- Competencies approach
- Personal development of students/ role of teachers/educatior



Institut National des Sciences Appliquées

Round-tables, posters, workshops..



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#### **INSA Model** New initiatives (4)

- ATENA a pedagogic support platform
- To guide and support teachers/ adapted tools & behaviors On-line documents + Training sessions (every month)
- Teaching and learning (3h)
- Teaching with learning objectives (3h)
- How to motivate students to learn(3h)
- In collaboration with the School of Architecture
- Students working in groups (4h)
- Problem Based Learning (4h)
- Flipped classroom (4h)



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#### **INSA Model** New initiatives (5)

• BONUS BQF (Qualité Formation/Quality Education)

A call for projects (2 years): 200K€



To support new teaching appraoches & curriculum design Multi-departments concept



To conduct change To support and motivate new initiatives To develop an attitude of longlife learning To adapt

To listen, to share , to benchmark

**Gaston Berger** (1896-1960): Philosopher, teacher, manager , Director of Higher education (1896-1960). **Father of the French prospective and co-founder of INSA Lyon** 

« L'avenir est moins à découvrir qu'à inventer It is less to discover than to invent... »



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