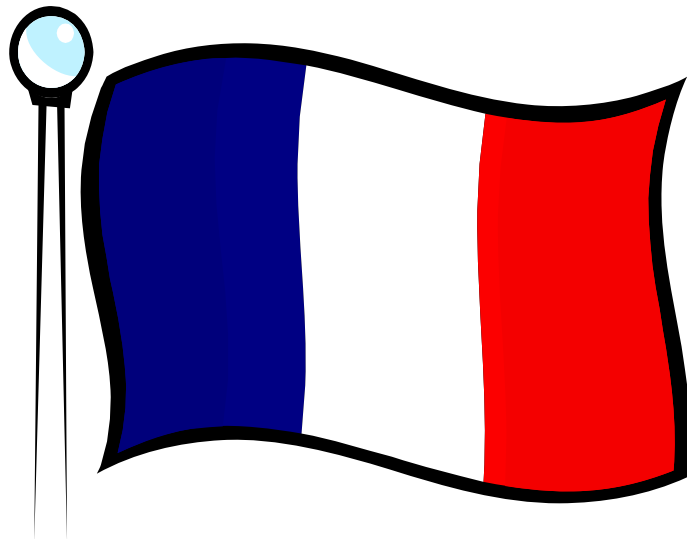


France



**Japan Exchange Teaching Program(me)
Alumni Association**

JETAA Chapter: France (FR1)



<u>Number of Members:</u>	70
<u>Committee Positions:</u>	5 : President, Vice-President (2), Secretary and Treasurer elected every spring at the General Assembly
<u>Activities:</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Promoting the JET Programme: visits to universities, cooperation with the Japanese Embassy for posters, active participation in the pre-departure meeting and in the interviews for selection, display at the CIAIR Paris office's booth at the French Mayor Congress.● Promoting this experience to professionals: regular contacts with the Japanese Chamber of Commerce in France, the France-Japan Business Exchange Committee, and the JETRO Paris Office.● Promoting grass-roots exchanges: setting up original presentations on Japanese culture at the Japan House of the Paris Campus, organizing annual Shinnenkai, Hanami and picnics
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<u>Contacts:</u>	Mr Florent Gorges (Secretary)- Clair Paris Office Tel +33 1 40 20 09 74 – Email: gorges@cp.netntt.fr Ms. Yvonne Chu-Kit (Chair) - Email : jetaafrance@yahoo.fr
<u>Finding a job:</u>	All job offers are disclosed to members through the mailing list. The group is also associate member of the France-Japan Business Exchange Committee www.cefj.org
<u>Other achievements:</u>	Organized the first JETAA European Conference in Paris in 2004, gathering existing chapters as well as smaller groups, leading to a mobile European photo exhibition. The European chapters are willing to expand European representation and activities.



The JET Alumni Association (JETAA) was created in 1989 to strengthen and maintain the bonds of friendship developed between JET Programme participants. It currently has 50 chapters in 16 participating home countries, and over 20,000 members. Through its activities, JETAA aims to promote a broader and deeper understanding of Japan and the countries participating on the JET Programme.

In support of JETAA, CLAIR assists with its funding, and also compiles a number of alumni-related resources including the JET Streams newsletter. All JET participants receive a Membership Form to join JETAA prior to completing their tenure on the JET Programme, and are strongly encouraged to join the JETAA chapter nearest them. For further information about JETAA or for contact details of the various chapters, check the JETAA International website at:

<http://www.jetalumni.org/>