



# History of ENTPE

**In 1954, the Ministry of Public Works, Transport and Tourism decided to create the School, which would go on to become the National School of State Public Works.**

Key dates in the history of ENTPE:

- **1954:** Foundation of ENTPE to train civil service engineers in the Ministry of Equipment.
- **1971:** ENTPE is accredited to award engineering degrees.
- **1975:** Establishment at Vaulx-en-Velin.
- **1977:** 1st research laboratories.
- **1987:** ENTPE diversifies its student base by admitting non civil servant students.
- **2006-2007:** ENTPE becomes a member of the “University of Lyon” higher education and research cluster (PRES). Accredited to award PhDs.
- **2014:** Sixty years after its creation, ENTPE becomes a member of the “University of Lyon” community of universities and institutions (COMUE).
- **2017:** ENTPE becomes a member of IDEXLYON (Initiation of Excellence).