

**Graduation ceremony at  
ESCIP School of International Business  
Friday, March 13th, 2009**

**2<sup>nd</sup> class of the new 5 years programme  
Mr. Alain ROUGIÉ**

On Friday, March 13th, took place at ESCIP School of International Business the 2<sup>nd</sup> graduation ceremony within the framework of the new 5 years programme. The degree has been handed over to 51 graduates by Mr. Alain Rougié, Director of the ROUGIÉ Company (*foie gras*), which is part of the group EURALIS Gastronomy, the worldwide biggest producer and exporter of *foie gras*. Mr. Rougié was the godfather of this 14<sup>th</sup> class.

The 5 top ranked graduates are: Virginie DUPONT (first in her year), Emilie HENNEUSE, Aurélie SINGER, Antoine MARTEL and Romain MENARD

2 international students, Juan Carlos CISNEROS SAMANO and Carlos Guillermo MORALES RODRIGUEZ from La Salle University, Campus Victoria (Mexico), as well as 2 French students, Raphaël KIECKEN from Del Salvador University (Argentina) and Florentin BOILEAU from La Salle Noroeste University, Obregon (Mexico), received a double-degree.

Today, they are employed

- as: import/export assistant, trade development manager, researcher, commercial attaché, marketing or sales manager and also new business creator
- at: Air France Cargo, Acer Packard Bell, Axa Investment, Arc International, Areva Shanghai Transformer, Auchan, Axecibles, Banque accord, BNP Paribas, Cégelec, Champagne Jacquart & associés, Texdégor,....

These very rich careers testify to the good conditions under which the graduates start their professional life:

- + 50 % have carried out 12 months of internships abroad (during their 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> study year).
- 50 % have been employed by the same company in which they carried out their final study year internship.
- 45 % hold a position in an international context (abroad or in France).
- And finally, remaining loyal to the Nord – Pas-de-Calais region from where they come for 90 %, 45 % of our graduates have decided to start their career just there.
- Last point worth to emphasize: one of the graduates has become new business creator, Noémie Mièze.

Pioneers of the new 5 years programme, the graduates have also been among the first to represent ESCIP during the “Concours International de Vente” (International Sales completion). This negotiation challenge allows big companies as HP, ORACLE, CADBURY, NESTLE, DANONE, CARREFOUR to select from the best students.

For ESCIP’s 1<sup>st</sup> participation, Marcin Romanowski won the 3<sup>rd</sup> prize.

This time, ESCIP counts 5 of its students with 2<sup>nd</sup> or 3<sup>rd</sup> prizes and greatly gets ahead of a good number of highly renowned Business Schools.

And 10 students have been selected for the finals of the “Négociales” (a national negotiation competition), in which participate every year a big number of French business ‘Grandes Ecoles’.

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