



### Emmanuel Jean-Michel Frédéric Macron

**Born** 21 December 1977  
**Father** Jean-Michel Macron  
**Mother** Françoise (Noguès)  
**Schools Attended** He studied Philosophy at Paris Nanterre University, completed a Master's of Public Affairs at Sciences Po, and graduated from the École nationale d'administration (ENA) in 2004

**Family** Married Brigitte Macron

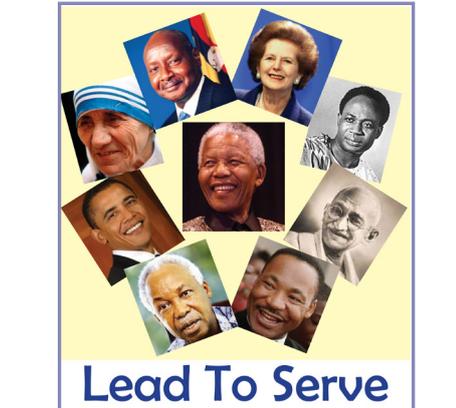
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Emmanuel Macron met with  
Merkel



Independent candidate Emmanuel  
Macron



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Emmanuel Macron with his wife  
Brigitte Macron

### About Macron

He is a French politician, senior civil servant, and former investment banker. Born in Amiens raised in a non-religious family, he was baptized a Roman Catholic at his own request at age 12

Macron worked as an Inspector of Finances in the French Ministry of Economy between 2004 and 2008. In 2007, he served as deputy rapporteur for the Commission to improve French economic growth headed by Jacques Attali.

Macron paid €50,000 to buy himself out of his government contract in 2008, and left to work as an investment banker at a highly-paid position at Rothschild & Cie Banque

A member of the Socialist Party (PS) from 2006 to 2009, Macron was appointed as deputy secretary-general under François Hollande's first government in 2012. He was appointed Minister of Economy, Industry and Digital Affairs in 2014 under the Second Valls Government, where he pushed through business-friendly reforms. He resigned in August 2016 to launch a bid in the 2017 presidential election. In November 2016, Macron declared that he would run in the election under the banner of En Marche!, a centrist political movement he founded in April 2016.

He qualified for the runoff after the first round of the election on 23 April 2017.