

**RankPro 2017/2018**  
**TOP World leading universities**  
**Region: Americas**  
**TOP 100**

According to the methodology, the rating of an institution of higher education consists of three components, which would allow obtaining a full picture of the level of the institution:

- Academic possibilities of a university - academic ranking;
- Communicability and information availability on a University homepage – ranking by BC-Index;
- National and international reputation of the university – public ranking.

Experts: members of the International Council of Scientists ICS.

The interrelation of these three rating components in the overall result is determined as a result of a survey conducted among members of the International Council of Scientists ICS - professors of universities of different types from more than 40 countries.

As a result of the survey between the members of the International Council of Scientists, conducted under the GWC program to compile RankPro 2017/2018, the following values of the contribution of each component in the overall ranking of a university have been obtained:

- Academic ranking – 50%
- Ranking by BC-Index – 25%
- Public ranking – 25%

The top leading universities of the world were defined as a general result of adding the contribution of each component of the rating under the GWC program.

Americas rank	University	Country	RankPro normalized to 100
1	California Institute of Technology Caltech	USA	100.000
2	Yale University	USA	95.862
3	Massachusetts Institute of Technology	USA	94.878
4	Stanford University	USA	87.907
5	University of Chicago	USA	87.326
6	Harvard University	USA	85.855
7	Columbia University	USA	83.516
8	Princeton University	USA	80.728
9	University of Pennsylvania	USA	75.709
10	Northwestern University	USA	69.165
11	Duke University	USA	68.486
12	University of California, San Francisco	USA	67.551
13	Johns Hopkins University	USA	66.470
14	Washington University in St. Louis	USA	66.189
15	University of Michigan	USA	65.127
16	University of Southern California	USA	64.366
17	Carnegie Mellon University	USA	61.062
18	New York University	USA	59.371
19	Cornell University	USA	58.318
20	Case Western Reserve University	USA	58.308
21	Georgia Institute of Technology, Georgia Tech	USA	57.933
22	Boston University	USA	56.915
23	University of Toronto	Canada	56.181
24	Vanderbilt University	USA	55.972
25	Illinois Institute of Technology	USA	55.322
26	University of California, Berkeley	USA	54.815
27	Emory University	USA	53.546
28	University of California, Los Angeles	USA	53.523
29	University of Wisconsin–Madison	USA	53.387
30	University of Washington	USA	52.296
31	University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign	USA	52.008
32	Rice University	USA	51.617
33	Dartmouth College	USA	51.454
34	University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill	USA	51.101
35	University of Miami	USA	50.985

36	University of Rochester	USA	50.847
37	Tufts University	USA	50.041
38	McGill University	Canada	49.754
39	Purdue University	USA	49.550
40	Brown University	USA	49.361
41	University of British Columbia	Canada	49.356
42	University of Pittsburgh	USA	47.890
43	Brandeis University	USA	47.568
44	University of Illinois at Chicago	USA	47.325
45	University at Buffalo SUNY	USA	47.299
46	Stony Brook University SUNY	USA	47.188
47	University of Alberta	Canada	46.412
48	Drexel University	USA	46.091
49	University of Minnesota	USA	46.075
50	Michigan State University	USA	45.473
51	George Washington University	USA	45.340
52	University of Hawaii at Manoa	USA	45.197
53	University of Maryland, College Park	USA	45.163
54-55	University of California, Santa Barbara	USA	44.964
54-55	Rutgers, the State University of New Jersey	USA	44.964
56	Southern Methodist University	USA	44.798
57	Georgetown University	USA	44.775
58	University of Notre Dame	USA	44.759
59	Tulane University	USA	44.431
60	Wake Forest University	USA	43.992
61	University of California, Irvine	USA	43.919
62	College of William & Mary	USA	43.890
63	University of California, Davis	USA	43.780
64	University of Virginia	USA	43.496
65	Yeshiva University	USA	43.456
66	University of Florida	USA	43.227
67	North Carolina State University	USA	43.001
68	Rutgers University - New Brunswick	USA	42.948
69	University of California, San Diego	USA	42.933
70	University of Texas at Dallas	USA	42.927
71	Clark University	USA	42.886
72	University of Kansas	USA	42.690
73	Florida Institute of Technology	USA	42.683
74	American University	USA	42.676
75	Pennsylvania State University	USA	42.165
76	Concordia University	Canada	42.138
77	University of Georgia	USA	42.066
78	University of Texas at Austin	USA	42.001
79	The Ohio State University	USA	41.979
80	University of Utah	USA	41.697
81	Syracuse University	USA	41.630
82	Northeastern University	USA	41.273
83	University of Missouri	USA	41.056
84	University of Arizona	USA	40.972
85	Boston College	USA	40.824
86	University of Calgary	Canada	40.812
87	Queen's University	Canada	40.700
88	University of Connecticut	USA	40.373
89	University of Kentucky	USA	40.296
90	Michigan Technological University	USA	39.724
91	University of Cincinnati	USA	39.693
92	Western University	Canada	39.689
93	New Jersey Institute of Technology	USA	39.548
94	Indiana University-Purdue University at Indianapolis	USA	39.475
95	University of Colorado, Denver	USA	39.384
96	University of Houston	USA	39.127
97	Dalhousie University*	Canada	39.111
98	Wayne State University	USA	39.098
99	University of Iowa	USA	38.985
100	University of Nebraska-Lincoln	USA	38.869