

1000 WLU Matrix 2021

Accessibility of Higher Education in the World Leading Universities (WLU)

Country Rankings 2021

The rating was compiled on the basis of the analysis of data from universities included in the TOPs of various sizes, according to their average values in international rankings over the past two years

Number of academic staff per 100 students at WLU universities

TOP 100 - universities - 100, countries - 18, population - 2,386,498,394, students - 3,276,620, international students - 770,532
TOP 200 - universities - 200, countries - 28, population - 2,701,901,925 students – 6,290,114, international students – 1,299,997
TOP 500 - universities - 500, countries - 47, population - 5,042,667,931, students – 14,755,397, international students – 2,326,920
TOP 1000 - universities - 1000, countries - 76, population - 6,067,044,657, students – 25,485,498, international students - 3,213,950

World rank	Country	Number of universities	Total score normalized to 100
World Leading Universities TOP 100			
1	Russia*	1	100.00
2	Rep. of Korea	2	78.39
3	United Kingdom	14	70.62
4	Norway*	1	70.35
5	Germany	4	67.68
6	Finland*	1	67.26
7	Japan	2	65.71
8	Denmark	2	61.35
9	Sweden	2	57.63
10	Switzerland	6	57.12
11	USA	38	53.47
12	Netherlands	5	45.42
13	Canada	3	43.53
14	Belgium	2	42.53
15	Hong Kong	3	40.34
16	Australia	7	38.45
17	China	5	36.85
18	Singapore	2	30.28
World Leading Universities TOP 200			
1	Russia*	1	100.00
2	Norway*	1	70.35
3	Japan	7	69.41
4	Germany	15	63.00
5	Finland	2	61.37
6	Rep. of Korea	6	59.92
7	Denmark	4	59.47
8	United Kingdom	29	59.36
9	Switzerland	7	59.20
10	France	4	54.21
11	Sweden	6	49.38
12	Taiwan*	1	49.36
13	USA	57	48.58
14	Netherlands	12	48.47
15	Malaysia*	1	46.78
16	Ireland*	1	45.56

World rank	Country	Number of universities	Total score normalized to 100
World Leading Universities TOP 1000			
1	Kazakhstan	4	100.00
2	Oman*	1	97.80
3	Norway	5	94.97
4	Uruguay*	1	92.26
5	Japan	34	89.58
6	Brunei	2	85.94
7	Switzerland	11	82.93
8	Lebanon	4	82.24
9	Estonia	3	81.48
10	Russia	29	81.00
11	Denmark	7	80.35
12	Ukraine	4	78.44
13	Indonesia	6	78.15
14	Belarus	3	76.89
15	Germany	52	75.87
16	Finland	9	74.59
17	United Kingdom	84	73.43
18	Poland	7	73.24
19	Slovenia	2	72.87
20	Lithuania	3	72.81
21	Bulgaria*	1	72.55
22	Cuba*	1	72.53
23	Thailand	4	71.92
24	Netherlands	13	71.91
25	Slovakia	4	71.62
26	Philippines	2	71.05
27	Peru*	2	69.86
28	Rep. of Korea	31	68.51
29	Malaysia	11	67.34
30	Argentina	7	66.51
31	Sweden	12	66.51
32	Austria	11	65.27
33	USA	185	64.14
34	Saudi Arabia	8	63.90
35	Hong Kong	6	63.54
36	Pakistan	5	62.44

17	Canada	6	44.63
18	Spain	2	44.08
19	Hong Kong	5	42.48
20	South Africa*	1	41.47
21	Belgium	6	40.14
22	Austria*	1	39.43
23	China	7	37.65
24	New Zealand*	1	33.90
25	Israel	2	32.97
26	Australia	12	32.80
27	Singapore	2	30.28
28	Italy*	1	20.85

World Leading Universities TOP 500

1	Saudi Arabia	3	100.00
2	Norway	4	96.24
3	Russia	10	96.09
4	Lebanon*	1	95.22
5	Japan	16	94.71
6	Estonia*	1	90.71
7	Switzerland	9	84.80
8	Denmark	6	82.16
9	United Arab Emirates*	1	80.96
10	Germany	37	80.17
11	Poland	2	79.81
12	Rep. of Korea	11	78.95
13	United Kingdom	51	78.74
14	Taiwan	8	75.76
15	Finland	7	75.24
16	Thailand	2	73.55
17	Netherlands	13	73.54
18	Sweden	10	69.56
19	Argentina*	1	69.30
20	Malaysia	5	68.86
21	Austria	7	68.71
22	Indonesia*	1	67.65
23	USA	114	67.64
24	Spain	10	65.70
25	Hong Kong	6	64.97
26	Czech Republic*	1	64.78
27	Slovenia*	1	59.99
28	Ireland	4	59.99
29	China	31	59.25
30	New Zealand	8	59.12
31	Belgium	7	57.34
32	Qatar*	1	57.15
33	France	15	56.44
34	Portugal	5	54.92
35	India	4	54.48
36	Canada	21	53.81
37	Chile	2	51.49
38	Brazil	3	48.94
39	Mexico*	1	47.65
40	Singapore	2	46.79
41	Israel	6	46.73
42	Macao*	1	43.64
43	Australia	26	41.74
44	South Africa	4	39.08
45	Iran	3	36.26
46	Italy	17	35.95
47	Greece*	1	27.78

37	Spain	35	60.85
38	Taiwan	16	57.91
39	New Zealand	8	57.81
40	China	63	57.28
41	Qatar*	1	55.89
42	United Arab Emirates	7	55.40
43	Czech Republic	7	55.31
44	Belgium	9	55.23
45	France	31	54.76
46	Portugal	9	54.57
47	Mexico	8	54.30
48	Ireland	9	53.00
49	Costa Rica*	1	52.64
50	Canada	27	51.48
51	Hungary	7	51.41
52	Brazil	13	50.63
53	Jamaica*	1	49.59
54	Chile	6	49.52
55	Colombia	5	48.97
56	India	15	48.45
57	Croatia	2	47.83
58	Israel	7	43.26
59	Singapore	3	42.94
60	Australia	36	40.10
61	Cyprus	2	39.46
62	Serbia*	1	39.31
63	South Africa	8	38.21
64	Iceland	2	37.97
65	Jordan	2	37.50
66	Uganda*	1	36.97
67	Macao	2	36.75
68	Turkey	10	35.83
69	Romania	2	35.20
70	Iran	8	33.50
71	Latvia	3	33.06
72	Italy	45	32.42
73	Luxembourg*	1	30.69
74	Nigeria*	1	29.91
75	Greece	7	21.44
76	Egypt	5	19.46

*The country is represented by one university