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TIMES HIGH EDUCATION – WORLD UNIVERSITY RANKINGS 2021

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Introduction

In Times Higher Education World University Rankings 2021 performance indicators are based on the institution's performance across four areas: teaching, research, knowledge transfer and international outlook. This year's ranking analysed more than 108 million citations across over 14.4 million research publications and included survey responses from almost 22,000 scholars globally, over 430,000 data points were collected from more than 2,100 institutions that submitted data.

Methodology

Overall, 1,662 universities are ranked. A further 452 universities are listed with "reporter" status, meaning that they provided data but did not meet our eligibility criteria to receive a rank.

World Ranking

Rank	University Name: Country / Region	No of FTE Students	No. of Students per staff	International Students	Female: Male Ratio
1.	University of Oxford United Kingdom	20,835	10.7	42%	47 : 53
2.	California Institute of Technology	2,233	6.3	34%	36 : 64
3.	Harvard University United States	21,574	9.5	24%	50 : 50
4.	Stanford University United States	16,319	7.3	23%	46 : 54
5.	University of Cambridge United Kingdom	19,681	11.1	39%	47 : 53
6.	Massachusetts Institute of Technology United States	11,459	8.4	33%	40 : 60
7.	Princeton University United States	7,753	7.5	23%	47 : 53

8.	University of California, Berkeley United States	40,306	18.9	23%	51 : 49
9.	Yale University United States	13,317	5.9	21%	51 : 49
10.	The University of Chicago United States	14,895	6.1	33%	46 : 54
501- 600	University of Nairobi	52,678	34.5	2%	24 76

Africa Rank

World Rank	Africa Rank	University: Country / Region	No. of FTE Students	No. of Students Per Staff	International Students	Female: Male Ratio
183	1	University of Cape Town	21,757	13.3	16%	54 : 46
251-300	2	Stellenbosch University	24,733	26.1	8%	56 : 44
251-300	3	University of the Witwatersrand	26,873	24.3	8%	55 : 45
351-400	4	University of KwaZulu-Natal	37,005	30.6	3%	58 : 42
401-500	5	Durban University of Technology	26,543	37.7	1%	53 : 47
401-500	6	Aswan University	29,353	45.0	2%	56 : 44
501-600	7	North-West University	40,262	25.4	3%	61 : 39
501-600	8	University of Nairobi	52,678	34.5	2%	24 : 76
501-600	9	Kafrelsheikh University	57,421	24.5	2%	52 : 48
501-600	10	Mansoura University	154,957	24.2	3%	54 : 46
Reporter		Kenyatta University	42,275	33.3	5%	52 : 48

Kenya Rank

World Rank	Kenya Rank	University Name: Country / Region	No of FTE Students	No. of Students per staff	International Students	Female: Male Ratio
501-600	1	University of Nairobi	52,678	34.5	2%	24 : 76
Reporter	2	Kenyatta University	42,275	33.3	5%	52 : 48

Reference

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