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AT A GLANCE

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55 738

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Students who are enrolled in scarce skills areas

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2021

UNIVERSITÉ DE PRETORIA UNIVERSITY OF PRETORIA YUMBEHTHE YA PRETORIA
ACADEMIC OFFERING

UP has 9 Faculties & 1 business school

- EDUCATION
- HUMANITIES
- LAW
- HEALTH SCIENCES
- THEOLOGY AND RELIGION
- VETERINARY SCIENCE
- ECONOMIC AND MANAGEMENT SCIENCES
- NATURAL AND AGRICULTURAL SCIENCES
- ENGINEERING, BUILT ENVIRONMENT AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
- GORDON INSTITUTE OF BUSINESS SCIENCE (GIBS)

** 2020 QS World University Rankings and Universal Ranking by Academic Performance

- 4 Centres of Excellence
- 1 175 Study programmes
- 51 Research Chairs
- 145 Undergraduate programmes
- 120 Academic departments
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- 72 Research Institutes and Centres
- 237 Degrees, certificates and diplomas

A WORLD-CLASS UNIVERSITY

- #48 Mineral and Mining Engineering*
- #49 Veterinary Science**
- #60 Law*

* Universal Ranking by Academic Performance (URAP) for subjects
** 2020 QS World University Rankings and Shanghai Rankings

GIBS named top business school in Africa for executive education1
## QUALITY

We are recognised as leaders in quality education delivered by a talent bank of educators

### TOP IN THE WORLD

**TOP 1%**

UP ranks in the top 1% internationally in 10 fields:

- Agricultural Sciences
- Biology & Chemistry
- Clinical Medicine
- Economics & Business
- Engineering
- Environment/Ecology
- Immunology
- Microbiology
- Plant and Animal Sciences
- Social Sciences

### TOP IN AFRICA

Ranked #1 in Africa

- School of Engineering in the Faculty of Engineering, Built Environment and IT
- Veterinary Science
- Law

### TOP IN SOUTH AFRICA

**Leading University in four subjects**

- Theology, Divinity & Religious Studies
- Engineering (Electrical and Electronics)
- Mathematics
- Accounting & Finance

**100% pass rate**

In SAICA CA qualifying exam

**Leading departments**

- Department of Materials Science and Metallurgical Engineering
- Department of Law ranked first for the highest number of accredited research outputs

1. Financial Times Executive Education 2020 Ranking
2. Web of Science Essential Science Indicators 2020
3. US News and World Report Rankings on the Best Global Universities for Engineering 2022
4. Times Higher Education's World University Rankings 5 January 2021
5. Initial Test of Competence (ITC) 6: Minerals Education Trust Fund, 2020 and 2021
6. Report on the evaluation of the 2018 Universities' Research Output released by the DHET, April 2020

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**565**

NRF-rated researchers

**16**

A-rated NRF-rated researchers

**69.4%**

Academic staff with doctorates
RELEVANCE AND IMPACT
We produce research that is relevant and makes an impact

GLOBAL RESEARCH BREAKTHROUGHS

SMART, SAFE LISTENING
UP produces world-first technology to measure personal sound exposure in a person’s ear canal, with smartphone feedback, to encourage safe listening use among young people.

INSIGHTS INTO THE UNIVERSE
UP researchers are part of a team that solves the mystery of X-shaped radio galaxies with MeerKAT telescope.

COVID-19 APP
UP’s Department of Statistics, in collaboration with a partner in the Middle East, developed what is believed to be the first interactive App in the country. The App provides real-time data on COVID-19.

RHINO FERTILITY
UP is working with international partners to perform in vitro fertilisation to support dwindling rhinoceros populations.

SIMPLE TB DETECTION
UP and the University of Leicester are revolutionising the way tuberculosis is detected through a 3D-printed insert added to simple face masks.

RESEARCH FOCUS AREAS
- Agriculture and sustainable food systems
- Climate change and the environment
- Economic development and sustainable futures
- Energy
- Heritage studies
- Inequalities, Social Justice and Human Rights
- One Health
- Smart infrastructure and innovation
- Water
CREATING KNOWLEDGE

We are recognised for transdisciplinary research and partnerships

We address the world’s challenges through collaboration, transdisciplinary approaches and exciting new platforms to co-create new knowledge that translates into solutions.

ENGINEERING 4.0
Collaborative hub for Smart Cities and Smart Transport

FUTURE AFRICA INSTITUTE
Dedicated campus for students to undertake research relevant to Africa’s development

INNOVATION AFRICA@UP INITIATIVE
Focusing on agriculture and food security

JAVETT-UP ART CENTRE
Focusing on the importance of Africa and its art in the world

FIRST FOR PARTNERSHIPS

First university in Africa
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