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The UB in figures

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The University of Barcelona

Since it was founded in the Late Middle Ages, in the year 1450, the University of Barcelona has always played an important role in providing academic and scientific services to the community. A point of historical reference for Catalan society, the University has witnessed the various changes and events that have marked Barcelona's history and the history of Catalonia and Spain, and it stands today as one of the country's most prestigious institutions for research and higher education.

A city university with close historical ties to Barcelona, the UB's six campuses are all located within the inner city, hereby fostering the mutually beneficial relationship that city and university must have. The UB's campuses are the Diagonal Campus and Gateway to Knowledge, the Mundet-UB Campus, the Humanities Campus, the Medicine Campus and the Hospital Clínic August Pi Sunyer, the Bellvitge Health Sciences Campus and, finally, the future Torribera Food and Nutrition Campus.

In its twenty centres, the University offers the widest range of subjects of all the Catalan institutions of higher education to more than eighty thousand undergraduate and postgraduate students studying on campus or online. Following European Higher Education Area directives, for the academic year 2007-2008 the UB has also launched a total of eighty-eight official master's degree programs.

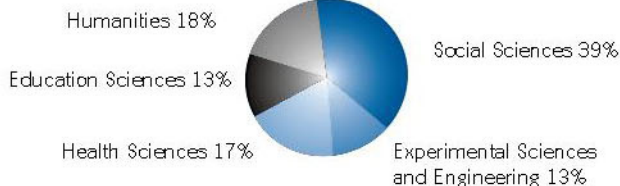
With regard to research, the UB is one of the most active universities at a national level and has been ranked amongst the most important university institutions worldwide. It is the one Catalan university that comes within the two hundred universities considered to offer the highest level of academic quality worldwide and amongst the one hundred universities in this same category within Europe; the work of its researchers can also be read in the scientific community's most prestigious international publications.

Strengthening its ties with the community and reinforcing its presence there, the UB works hand in hand with the association of foundations and institutions known as the UB Group. The UB group's collective purpose is to promote the University's activities and results in different academic and professional fields, and its principle institutions are the Bosch i Gimpera Foundation (FBG), the Barcelona Science Park Foundation (PCB) and the UB's Institute for Lifelong Learning (IL3-UB).

The information in the following pages is designed to summarise the broad-ranging activities of the University of Barcelona during recent years. But while the figures, tables and lists may constitute a fair reflection of its achievements at a glance, it is the diversity and excellence of the UB's members which has made the University of Barcelona what it is today.

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Distribution of undergraduates



The online campus pilot plan known as **Campus Virtual** has catered to **9,000 students** taught by **260 teachers** in **230 study programs**.

Students at the UB

	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07
Incoming students	11.813	12.108	11.825
Undergraduate students	52.238	51.446	50.563
Full-time equivalent students (FTE)	38.837	38.225	37.282
Doctoral students	3.148	2.985	2.548
Postgraduate students	8.933	9.357	9.811
Lifelong Learning students (IL3)	28.061	24.049	21.900
Students at associated centres	4.820	4.397	4.096
Visiting students*	1.807	1.916	1.824
UB students abroad*	856	863	756
Non-curricular practicum students	2.522	2.305	2.249

* Under exchange agreements

	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06
First-cycle diploma-holders	2.603	2.627	2.799
Graduates	5.287	4.951	4.546
Doctors	479	469	559

Other students	2006-07
School of Modern Languages	4.399
Spanish Studies	2.044
Catalan Language Courses	2.222
Summer School - Els Julids UB-	2.580
Institute of Education Sciences (ICE)	19.455
Activities for Older People	4.500



Improvement and innovation in teaching

	2006-07
Tutorial Action Plan (TAP)	
Teaching staff active as tutors	927
Tutored students	11.543
Innovation in teaching	
Consolidated groups working on innovation in teaching	46
Innovation groups formed by teaching staff	26
Financed innovation projects formed by teaching staff	30
FRS participating in ICE courses (%)	50,2

66 officially accredited programs

5 UB-endorsed programs

88 official master's degree programs approved for the academic year 2007-08

49 doctoral programs receiving the Ministry's of Education's Award for Quality, 23 of these adapted to the EHEA



UB centres

First and second cycles

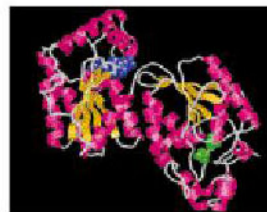
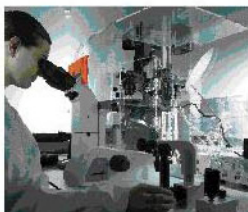
Third cycle (postgraduates)

Areas of study	Incoming students	Total students	Graduates (2005-06)	Official master's degrees	Official master's degrees students	Postgraduates students	Doctoral programs (biennial 2006-08)	Doctoral students	PhD theses submitted (2005-06)	Faculty total
71	11.825	50.563	7.345	41	960	9.811 **	98	2.548	575	4.586*
3	463	2.212	311	7	126	317	11	293	77	299
1	1.158	4.590	863	-	-	338	-	-	-	130
3	383	1.947	244	-	-	99	9	151	47	242
1	124	640	65	-	-	164	1	117	7	203
8	1.531	7.378	810	1	32	1.030	4	145	38	424
5	830	2.974	540	-	-	110	4	95	43	196
1	405	1.986	253	1	21	131	7	141	24	158
4	849	3.555	445	4	92	236	10	358	64	235
2	105	635	81	-	-	71	2	41	3	90
8	1.830	7.700	1.072	1	16	624	3	241	32	339
2	212	811	144	1	32	221	1	29	1	58
2	177	769	70	2	24	-	-	8	3	104
1	263	1.460	194	2	95	683	12	293	106	577
2	403	1.406	314	-	-	784	-	-	-	245
2	404	2.228	260	3	113	135	3	100	39	324
15	732	2.756	372	1	14	220	11	203	24	286
1	223	1.002	76	4	44	56	4	118	15	60
2	183	992	113	8	224	15	2	25	28	197
1	582	2.619	405	4	96	475	8	85	20	202
7	968	2.903	714	2	31	113	6	105	4	207

*Including the UB postgraduate students studying at IL3 and ICE

**Includes 10 ICE-affiliated teachers

The UB is Spain's leading university in scientific production and occupies first position in Hispanoamerican studies ranking institutions with the greatest scientific production



Research and technology transfer at the UB

	2005	2006
Income generated by research and technology transfer (in thousand of euros)	55.910	75.819
Research projects*	34.976	37.390
Research projects - FB G Agreements	11.034	15.226
Infrastructures	2.002	1.819
Other grants	1.162	6.739
UB Agreements	5.258	13.123
FB G Agreements	1.658	1.522

* Includes incomes generated by the University of Barcelona, the August Pi i Sunyer Biomedical Research Institute (IDIBAPS) and the Bellvitge Biomedical Research Institute (IDIBELL).

PhD theses submitted	511	575
Scientific publications*	2.644	2.728

* Cited by the Institute for Scientific Information (ISI).

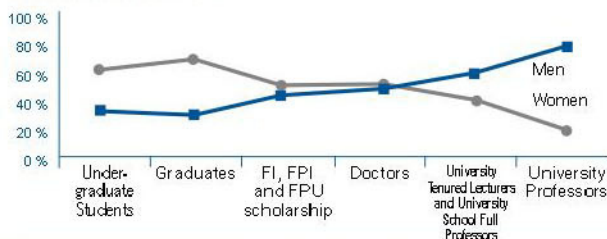
Research activity	2006
Teaching staff engaged in R&D (%)	58,8
Research scholarship holders	992
Established research groups recognized by the Generalitat	229
Coordinated thematic networks	70
Ongoing research projects	619
Patents applications	14
UB-endorsed research institutes and university research institutes	8
Research institutes in which the UB participates	8
Interuniversity research institutes	1
Research and documentation centres	22
Observatories	5

Barcelona Science Park	2006
Total built-on area (sq.m)	24.649
Firms launched	35
Research groups launched	50

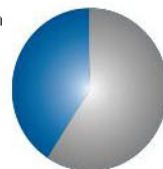
Scientific and technical services	2006
Internal users (main researchers)	461
External invoicing (in thousand of euros)	1.794
Value of scientific equipment (in thousand of euros)	34.000



Women in the UB



A&SS men
36%



A&SS women
64%

Faculty and Research Staff (FRS)

	2007
Total FRS	4.586
University Professors	556
University School Full Professors	55
University Tenured Lecturers	1.516
University of School Tenured Lecturers	408
Affiliated Lecturers	96
University Readers	131
Auxiliary Lecturers	58
Associate Lecturers	1.467
Assistant Lecturers	96
Others	203

Full-time Equivalent Lecturers	3.802
Permanent FRS	2.631

Administration and Services Staff (A&SS)

	2007
Total A&SS	2.125
A&SS Civil Servants	985
A&SS Non-Civil Servants	1.140
A&SS/FRS ratio	0,46



Budget 2007

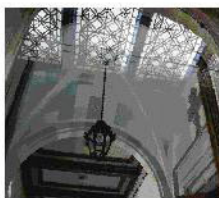
Income (in thousand of euro)	365.338
Public funding (chap.4 y 7)	82,9%
Self-finance (chap.3, 5 y 6)	16,0%
Financial liabilities (chap.9)	1,1%

Expenditure (in thousand of euro)	365.338
Fixed expenditure (chap.1, 2 y 4)	86,0%
Investment (chap.6)	6,9%
Other expenditure (chap.3, 7, 8 y 9)	7,1%

Services

	2006
Library	
Monograph collections	1.508.701
Periodical collections	43.013
Books loaned	624.632
Sport Service usuarios	6.687
Hall of residence places	
UB centres	925
Associated centres	900

The UB runs 34% of all the official master's degree programs available in Catalonia in both Sciences and Health Sciences

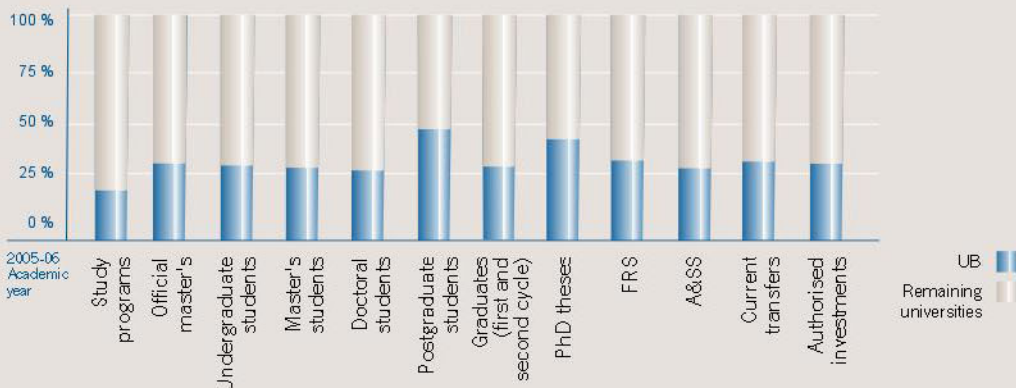


General data

	2006-07
Students	81.878*
in undergraduate programs	50.563
in official master's degree programs	960
in doctoral programs	2.548
in postgraduate programs	9.811
in Lifelong Learning programs (IL3)	21.900
Faculty and Research Staff (FRS)	4.586
Administration and Services Staff (A&SS)	2.125
Budget 2007 (in thousands of euros)	365.338
Income generated by research (in thousands of euros)	75.819
Total built-on area (sq.m)	577.829
Centres (faculties and university schools)	20
Associated centres	8
Departments	105
Studies	71
Official master's degree programs	41
Doctoral programs	98
Postgraduate programs	406
Lifelong Learning programs (IL3)	545
PhD theses submitted (2005-06)	575
Graduates (first and second cycle) and doctors (2005-06)	7.904

* This figure does not include 3,904 postgraduate and lifelong learning students whose study programs have been managed by IL3 in conjunction with the UB

The UB and the Catalan university system



Campus UB



1 Humanities Campus

- Rector's Office, Management Office and General Services
- Faculty of Philology
- Faculty of Philosophy
- Faculty of Geography and History
- Faculty of Mathematics

2 Medicine Campus-Hospital Clinic August Pi i Suñyer

- Faculty of Medicine (Casanova)
- Hospital Clinic, Barcelona

3 Bellvitge Health Sciences Campus

- University School of Nursing
- Faculty of Medicine (Bellvitge)
- Bellvitge University Hospital
- Faculty of Dentistry

4 Faculty of Library Science and Documentation

Diagonal Campus and Gateway to Knowledge

- 5 ■ University School of Business Studies
- Faculty of Law
- Faculty of Economic and Business Science
- 6 ■ Faculty of Fine Arts
- Faculty of Biology
- Faculty of Pharmacy
- Faculty of Physics
- Faculty of Geology
- Faculty of Chemistry
- 7 ■ Barcelona Science Park
- 8 ■ Halls of Residence: Penyafort-Montserrat Hall of Residence, Sant Jordi Hall of Residence, Ramon Ullí Hall of Residence
- 9 ■ University Sports facilities

10 Mundet-UB Campus

- Faculty of Teacher Training
- Faculty of Education
- Faculty of Psychology
- Institute of Education Science

11 IL3: Institute for LifeLong

- Learning, University of Barcelona

12 Food and Nutrition Torribera Campus



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