

DEPARTMENT OF
INTERNATIONAL
RELATIONS



About UIC Barcelona

Since 1997, we have been committed to impacting society.

Our mission is to train people who contribute to humanising the transformation of society through professional excellence, the pursuit of impact, integrity and social commitment.

We offer 16 bachelor's degrees, 45 international double degrees and more than 70 master's and postgraduate courses to a community of around 9,000 students.

We have eight faculties located on two campuses, in Barcelona and Sant Cugat del Vallès. We believe in lifelong learning, offering a personalised service,

a comprehensive approach focused on each student, continuous professional connection and innovation in teaching and research methods.

We have a strong international character, and our campuses are home to people from over a hundred different nationalities. We are connected to society and businesses through fifteen chairs and five business classrooms, five research institutes and three university clinics.

We are a humanistic, sustainable, innovative and global university, and we are well-positioned in the main national and international rankings.

Our campuses



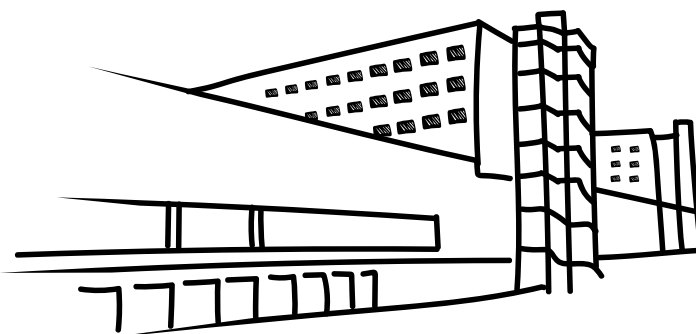
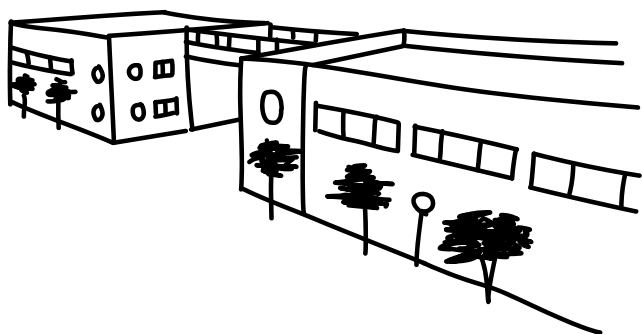
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Rankings

International rankings



Shanghai Ranking. Global Ranking of Academic Subjects

Dentistry & Oral Sciences

World ranking 2024:
Section =**101-150** of **300** classified universities.

Spanish ranking 2024:
UIC Barcelona occupies the =**3rd** out of **8** Spanish universities analysed by subject.

[FIND OUT HERE ABOUT ALL OUR RANKINGS](#)



Times Higher Education World University Rankings (THE-WUR)

World ranking: Section **801-1000** out of **2092** classified universities (2025).

Spanish ranking: =**15** out of **55** classified universities (2025).

Times Higher Education Young University Rankings

World ranking: Section **201-250** out of **673** classified universities (2024).

Spanish ranking: **8-16** out of **32** classified universities (2024).

Times Higher Education World University Rankings by subject

Clinical and Health

World ranking: Section **601-800** out of **1059** classified universities (2024).

Spanish ranking: Section **15-38** out of **43** classified universities (2024).

Social Science

World ranking: Section **801+** out of **997** classified universities (2024).

Spanish ranking: Section **38+** out of **44** classified universities (2024).



UI GreenMetric World University Ranking on Sustainability

UIC Barcelona is ranked **260** out of **1183** classified universities (2023).



Europe

World ranking: =**374** of **684** classified universities (2025).

Spanish ranking: **32** of **44** classified universities (2025).

Dentistry

World ranking: Section **46** of **100** classified universities (2024).

Spanish ranking: **2** of **3** classified universities (2024).

Sustainability

World ranking: Section **751-760** of **1397** classified universities (2024).

Spanish ranking: =**30** of **38** classified universities (2024).

National rankings



CYD Knowledge and Development ranking, 11th edition

Institutional position in the ranking: **13** of **81** Spanish universities.
Within specific knowledge areas:

Dentistry - **1st** position out of **17**

Medicine - **9th** position out of **38**

Nursing - **2nd** position out of **47**



Forbes

UIC Barcelona enters the Forbes list of the **25** best universities in Spain in 2024.

The ranking evaluates student experience, preparation for working life, quality of faculty and research, international perspective, price and accessibility.



El Mundo

"50 bachelor's degree courses" ranking:
— Bachelor's degree in dentistry: **2nd** position (2024).

"250 master's degree courses" ranking:
— University Master's degree in International Cooperation Sustainable Emergency Architecture: **3rd** position.
— Master's Degree in Periodontology: **4th** position (2024).

9,076

STUDENTS

16

DEGREE PROGRAMMES

+350

MOBILITY AGREEMENTS

4

DOCTORAL PROGRAMMES

MORE THAN

70

POSTGRADUATE AND MASTER'S DEGREE PROGRAMMES

45

INTERNATIONAL DOUBLE DEGREE PROGRAMMES

5,197

WORK PLACEMENT AGREEMENTS WITH NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL COMPANIES

+100

NATIONALITIES

+30%

OF STUDENTS AT UIC BARCELONA ARE INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

+400

INCOMING MOBILE STUDENTS

+250

OUTGOING MOBILE STUDENTS



University life

Live the best university experience at UIC Barcelona.

Studying at UIC Barcelona involves all-round personal growth.

Sports, charity and culture are university values that we encourage.



Department of International Relations

This department is the first point of contact for incoming students, and our staff will support you before, during and after your stay at UIC Barcelona.



Student Services

The aim of Student Services at UIC Barcelona is to ensure you feel part of university life so that you can spend your time achieving what is most important: your personal goals.

This service offers and organises a wide range of cultural, sports, social and academic activities for all students.

Contact: estudiants@uic.es



Legal procedures and Support clinic

We also provide advice about immigration procedures (student visa, residence permit etc.) and mental health (university Support clinic).



Welcome activities and buddy program

The Department of International Relations organises various activities each semester to welcome the new incoming students on campus. Students may also apply for a local buddy before their arrival.



Accommodation

It's important to note that in Spain, universities do not offer accommodation contracts to students. However, to find accommodation in Barcelona, whether you are looking for halls of residence or a flat or room on your own, we do offer advice to help you in your search.

Contact: estudiants@uic.es



Linguistic services

At UIC Barcelona you have the opportunity to study several languages, both face-to-face and online, and you can accredit your level of Catalan with official certificates, as well as take part in welcome and language promotion activities.



Chaplaincy

The chaplaincy offers a space for **reflection, dialogue and transcendence** where activities open to the entire university community are held.



Alumni&Careers

Once you have completed a diploma, degree, postgraduate, clinical residency, master's degree or doctorate at UIC Barcelona, you will become part of **Alumni, an international community of over 28,000 people.**

At UIC Barcelona, we believe that being a university student is a way of life and a way of seeing the world, and **at Alumni, these values continue to be part of your life.** Our aim is to promote training and professional guidance and maintain the link with the community through reunion activities.

The Careers Service offers you a **comprehensive advice service for job placement** aimed at students and alums.



Other services

Cafeteria, printing service and library.



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REASONS TO STUDY AT UIC BARCELONA

- To have an international experience in one of the most cosmopolitan cities in the world. Barcelona.
- Teaching staff who are active professionals or relevant lines of research.
- Practical experience from the beginning of the studies in state-of-the-art facilities. More than 5,100 collaboration agreements with companies.
- We have a passion for research and innovation.
- Advisors and individualised guidance for international degree students.
Coaches and professional mentors for master's and postgraduate students.



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REASONS TO CHOOSE BARCELONA

- It is a city with an international and multicultural environment.
- Ranked in the top positions in international rankings as a city to live and study.
- Considered one of the leading cities in the world in terms of innovation, business, culture, art and design.
- A wonderful city for climate, cuisine, culture, architecture and a friendly welcome, it is surrounded by beaches and mountains.
- Easy access to other European cities that allows for weekend trips away.



LIVING IN

BARCELONA

Accommodation in Barcelona

From approximately €600/month depending on the type of accommodation

Living costs in Barcelona

From €900 per month approximately

Average costs of degree programmes at UIC Barcelona

Between €4,500/year and €15,000/year

Average cost of postgraduate and master's degree programmes

Between €2,000/year and €15,000/year



UNIVERSITY BACHELOR'S DEGREES	LANGUAGE	DURATION	CAMPUS
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School of Architecture

Architecture

English (first 2.5 years)
Spanish (last 2.5 years)

5 years

Barcelona

Faculty of Economic and Social Sciences

Business Administration and Management (BBA)
Business Administration and Management (BBA)

Spanish
English

4 years
4 years

Barcelona
Barcelona

Faculty of Communication Sciences

Audiovisual Communication
Advertising and Public Relations
Journalism

Spanish + English
Spanish + English
Spanish + English

4 years
4 years
4 years

Barcelona
Barcelona
Barcelona

Faculty of Humanities

Humanities and Cultural Studies

Spanish

4 years

Barcelona

Faculty of Law

Law

Spanish

4 years

Barcelona

Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences

Medicine
Nursing
Physiotherapy
Psychology
Biomedical Science
Bioengineering

Spanish
Spanish
Spanish
Spanish
Spanish
English

6 years
4 years
4 years
4 years
4 years
4 years

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Faculty of Dentistry

Dentistry
Dentistry

Spanish
English (first 2 years)
Spanish (last 3 years)

5 years
5 years

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Faculty of Education

Pre-Primary Education
Primary Education

Spanish + English
Spanish + English

4 years
4 years

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BARCELONA CAMPUS

Architecture

- [Master's Degree in Biodigital Architecture](#)
- [University Master's Degree in International Cooperation: Sustainable Emergency Architecture](#)
- [Master's Degree in Urban Resilience for Sustainability Transitions](#)
- [Master's Degree in Urban Design for Healthy Cities](#)
- [Master's Degree in Architecture and Design Business Management](#)
- [Postgraduate Degree in Global Creative Management](#)
- [Postgraduate Degree in Real Estate - Construction & Design Management](#)
- [Postgraduate Degree in Marketing & Sales for Creative Enterprises](#)

Business

- University Master's Degree in BBA and Production Systems
- [University Master's Degree in Entrepreneurial Financing: Venture Capital and Private Equity](#)
- Master's Degree in Advanced Analytics & Data Science
- [Master's Degree in Cooperation, Development and Social Economy](#)
- Executive Development Programme (EDP)
- Executive Programme: Leading AI Strategy and Transformation

Humanities

- University Master's Degree in Arts and Cultural Management
- [University Master's Degree in Arts and Cultural Management](#)
- [Double Master's Degree: University Master's Degree in Arts and Cultural Management + Master of Science in Arts Administration at Boston University](#)
- Postgraduate Degree in Arts and Cultural Management
- [Postgraduate Degree in Arts and Cultural Management - English Programme](#)
- Postgraduate Degree in Museum and Cultural Heritage Management
- [Postgraduate Degree in Management of Creative Cultural Industries](#)
- Postgraduate Degree in Analysis, Documentation, Expertise and Valuation of Works of Art

Law

- Master's Degree in Law and Procurement - MUAP
- University Master's Degree in Legal, Forensic and Criminal Psychopathology
- Master's Degree in Taxation Law: Planning and Guidance
- Double Master's Degree: MUAP + Master's Degree in Taxation Law: Planning and Guidance
- Double Master's Degree: MUAP + Postgraduate Degree in Tax Consultancy
- Double Master's Degree: MUAP + Postgraduate Degree in Compliance and Cybersecurity
- Double Master's Degree: MUAP + Postgraduate Degree in Corporate Mergers & Acquisitions
- Postgraduate Degree in Corporate Mergers & Acquisitions
- Postgraduate Degree in Tax Consultancy
- Postgraduate Degree in Compliance and Cybersecurity

Communication Sciences

- Master's Degree in Fashion Communication and Marketing, Branding, Events and Sustainability
- Postgraduate Degree in Science, Technology and Innovation Communication

Family

- Postgraduate Degree in Family Coaching and Guidance (blended learning)
- Postgraduate Degree in Family Policies (online)
- Postgraduate Degree in Marriage and Family Education (online)
- [Postgraduate Degree in Marriage and Family Education \(online\)](#)

SANT CUGAT CAMPUS

Medicine

- University Master's Degree in Healthcare Management
- Master's Degree in Foot and Ankle Pathology and Surgery
- Lifelong Learning Master's Degree in Glaucoma
- Lifelong Learning Master's Degree in Oculoplastics

Nursing

- University Master's Degree in Clinical Research (online)
- University Master's Degree in Urgent and Emergency Care
- University Master's Degree in Palliative Care and Support Needs (online)
- Postgraduate Degree in Surgical, Anaesthesia, Reanimation and Pain Therapy Nursing

Psychology

- University Master's Degree in General Health Psychology

Biomedical Sciences

- [University Master's Degree in Experimental Biomedical Research](#)
- Master's Degree in Biomedical Business Management

Bioengineering

- [Master's Degree in Cosmetic Science and Engineering](#)
- [University Master's Degree in Bioengineering for Human Health](#)

Dentistry*

- [University Master's Degree in Periodontology and Implant Dentistry \(official\) 120 ECTS + Lifelong Learning Master's Degree in Advanced Periodontology and Implant Dentistry 60 ECTS](#)
- [University Master's Degree in Endodontics \(official\) 120 ECTS + Lifelong Learning Master's Degree in Advanced Endodontics 60 ECTS](#)
- [University Master's Degree in Oral Surgery and Implantology \(official\) 120 ECTS + Lifelong Learning Master's Degree in Advanced Oral Surgery and Implantology 60 ECTS](#)
- [University Master's Degree in Aesthetic Restorative Dentistry \(official\) 120 ECTS + Lifelong Learning Master's Degree in Advanced Restorative Dentistry 60 ECTS](#)
- University Master's Degree in Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopaedics (official) 120 ECTS + Lifelong Learning Master's Degree in Advanced Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopaedics 60 ECTS
- [University Master's Degree in Research in Dentistry \(official\) 60 ECTS](#)
- University Master's Degree in Aesthetic Restorative Dentistry (official) 120 ECTS
- University Master's Degree in Comprehensive and Hospital-Based Paediatric Dentistry (official) 120 ECTS
- Lifelong Learning Master's Degree in Digital Dentistry and New Technologies (part-time dedication) 60 ECTS
- Lifelong Learning Master's Degree in Craniomandibular Dysfunction, Orofacial Pain and Dental Sleep Medicine (part-time dedication) 60 ECTS

Consult the entire academic offer of Masters, Postgraduates and Clinical Residencies at: uic.es/odontologia

*Specific name of the programmes to be approved, see updated version at uic.es/es/facultad-de-odontologia

Physiotherapy

- University Master's Degree in Paediatric Physiotherapy
- University Master's Degree in Orthopaedic Manual Therapy
- Master's Degree in Sports Rehabilitation and Readaptation

Education

- [Master's Degree in Teaching English as a Foreign Language \(online\)](#)

References in cyan taught in English. References in black taught in Spanish.



Opportunities for staff and teachers

UIC Barcelona offers mobility options to staff and teachers. We also promote internationalization at home, in the form of COIL projects and staff training. In addition, we are always happy to hear your ideas for a faculty-led program for your students and plan it together.



Opportunities

DOCTORAL SCHOOL

The doctorate programmes can be taken either in Spanish or English.

- Doctorate in Communication, Education and Humanities
- Doctorate in Architecture
- Doctorate in Economics and Law
- Doctorate in Health Sciences

STUDYING IN BARCELONA

Start the most important learning experience of your life in one of the main European cities. Barcelona is a cultural and financial role model and a city where your knowledge can adapt to multiple professional opportunities.

UIC BARCELONA, OUR CAMPUSES

Classes are held on our Barcelona campus and also our Sant Cugat campus, which has a total area of more than 52,000 m². Each Faculty has the best facilities and latest generation equipment for both theoretical and practical classes.

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