

## 2026 QS World University Rankings



2026	Institution	Location
Rank	Name	Country/Territory
1	Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT)	United States of America
2	Imperial College London	United Kingdom
3	Stanford University	United States of America
4	University of Oxford	United Kingdom
5	Harvard University	United States of America
6	University of Cambridge	United Kingdom
7	ETH Zurich (Swiss Federal Institute of Technology)	Switzerland
8	National University of Singapore (NUS)	Singapore
9	UCL (University College London)	United Kingdom
10	California Institute of Technology (Caltech)	United States of America
11	The University of Hong Kong	Hong Kong SAR, China
12	Nanyang Technological University, Singapore (NTU Singapore)	Singapore
13	University of Chicago	United States of America
14	Peking University	China (Mainland)
15	University of Pennsylvania	United States of America
16	Cornell University	United States of America
17	Tsinghua University	China (Mainland)
17	University of California, Berkeley (UCB)	United States of America
19	The University of Melbourne	Australia
20	The University of New South Wales	Australia
21	Yale University	United States of America
22	École Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne	Switzerland
22	Technical University of Munich	Germany
24	Johns Hopkins University	United States of America
25	Princeton University	United States of America
25	The University of Sydney	Australia
27	McGill University	Canada
28	PSL University	France
29	University of Toronto	Canada
30	Fudan University	China (Mainland)
31	King's College London (KCL)	United Kingdom
32	Australian National University	Australia
32	The Chinese University of Hong Kong	Hong Kong SAR, China
34	University of Edinburgh	United Kingdom
35	The University of Manchester	United Kingdom
36	Monash University	Australia
36	The University of Tokyo	Japan
38	Columbia University	United States of America
38	Seoul National University	Republic of Korea
40	University of British Columbia	Canada
41	Institut Polytechnique de Paris	France
42	Northwestern University	United States of America
42	The University of Queensland	Australia
44	The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology	Hong Kong SAR, China
45	University of Michigan-Ann Arbor	United States of America
46	University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA)	United States of America
47	Delft University of Technology	Netherlands
47	Shanghai Jiao Tong University	China (Mainland)
49	Zhejiang University	China (Mainland)
50	Yonsei University	Republic of Korea
51	University of Bristol	United Kingdom
52	Carnegie Mellon University	United States of America
53	The University of Amsterdam	Netherlands
54	The Hong Kong Polytechnic University	Hong Kong SAR, China
55	New York University (NYU)	United States of America
56	London School of Economics and Political Science (LSE)	United Kingdom
57	Kyoto University	Japan
58	Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München	Germany
58	Universiti Malaya (UM)	Malaysia
60	KU Leuven	Belgium
61	Korea University	Republic of Korea
62	Duke University	United States of America
63	City University of Hong Kong	Hong Kong SAR, China
63	National Taiwan University (NTU)	Taiwan
65	The University of Auckland	New Zealand
66	University of California, San Diego (UCSD)	United States of America
67	King Fahd University of Petroleum & Minerals	Saudi Arabia
68	University of Texas at Austin	United States of America
69	Brown University	United States of America
70	Université Paris-Saclay	France
70	University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign	United States of America
72	Lund University	Sweden
72	Sorbonne University (merged from Paris IV & UPMC)	France
74	The University of Warwick	United Kingdom
75	Trinity College Dublin, The University of Dublin	Ireland
76	University of Birmingham	United Kingdom
77	The University of Western Australia	Australia
78	KTH Royal Institute of Technology	Sweden
79	University of Glasgow	United Kingdom
80	Ruprecht-Karls-Universität Heidelberg	Germany
81	University of Washington	United States of America
82	Adelaide University	Australia
82	Pennsylvania State University	United States of America
84	Universidad de Buenos Aires	Argentina
85	Tokyo Institute of Technology	Japan
86	University of Leeds	United Kingdom

87	University of Southampton	United Kingdom
88	Boston University	United States of America
88	Freie Universität Berlin	Germany
88	Purdue University	United States of America
91	The University of Osaka	Japan
92	The University of Sheffield	United Kingdom
93	Uppsala University	Sweden
94	Durham University	United Kingdom
94	University of Alberta	Canada
96	University of Technology Sydney	Australia
97	The University of Nottingham	United Kingdom
98	Karlsruhe Institute of Technology (KIT)	Germany
98	Politecnico di Milano	Italy
100	University of Zurich (UZH)	Switzerland
101	University of Copenhagen	Denmark
102	Pohang University of Science And Technology (POSTECH)	Republic of Korea
103	Nanjing University	China (Mainland)
103	Utrecht University	Netherlands
105	Lomonosov Moscow State University	Russian Federation
105	Rheinisch-Westfälische Technische Hochschule Aachen	Germany
107	Technical University of Denmark	Denmark
108	Universidade de São Paulo (USP)	Brazil
109	Tohoku University	Japan
110	Queen Mary University of London (QMUL)	United Kingdom
110	University of Wisconsin-Madison	United States of America
112	Qatar University	Qatar
113	University of St Andrews	United Kingdom
114	Aalto University	Finland
114	University of California, Davis	United States of America
116	Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile	Chile
116	University of Helsinki	Finland
118	University College Dublin	Ireland
119	Leiden University	Netherlands
119	Rice University	United States of America
119	University of Oslo	Norway
119	University of Waterloo	Canada
123	Georgia Institute of Technology	United States of America
123	Indian Institute of Technology Delhi (IITD)	India
125	RMIT University	Australia
126	Sungkyunkwan University	Republic of Korea
126	Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia (UKM)	Malaysia
128	Sapienza University of Rome	Italy
129	Indian Institute of Technology Bombay (IITB)	India
130	Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin	Germany
131	Aarhus University	Denmark
132	University of Bath	United Kingdom
132	University of Science and Technology of China	China (Mainland)
134	Universiti Putra Malaysia (UPM)	Malaysia
134	Universiti Sains Malaysia (USM)	Malaysia
136	Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México (UNAM)	Mexico
137	Newcastle University	United Kingdom
138	Alma Mater Studiorum - University of Bologna	Italy
138	Macquarie University	Australia
140	Eindhoven University of Technology	Netherlands
140	Erasmus University Rotterdam	Netherlands
140	University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill	United States of America
143	King Saud University	Saudi Arabia
144	Texas A&M University	United States of America
145	Technische Universität Berlin	Germany
146	University of Southern California	United States of America
147	Stockholm University	Sweden
147	University of Groningen	Netherlands
147	University of Liverpool	United Kingdom
150	University of Cape Town	South Africa
151	Western University	Canada
152	University of Vienna	Austria
153	Universiti Teknologi Malaysia (UTM)	Malaysia
153	Wageningen University & Research	Netherlands
155	University of Exeter	United Kingdom
155	University of Geneva	Switzerland
157	Lancaster University	United Kingdom
158	University of Basel	Switzerland
159	Hanyang University	Republic of Korea
160	University of Barcelona	Spain
161	Michigan State University	United States of America
162	Ghent University	Belgium
163	King Abdul Aziz University (KAU)	Saudi Arabia
164	Nagoya University	Japan
165	Chalmers University of Technology	Sweden
166	Al-Farabi Kazakh National University	Kazakhstan
167	Washington University in St. Louis	United States of America
168	University of Montreal	Canada
169	University of York	United Kingdom
170	Hokkaido University	Japan
170	Kyushu University	Japan
172	Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona	Spain
173	Arizona State University	United States of America
173	McMaster University	Canada
173	Universidad de Chile	Chile
176	National Tsing Hua University	Taiwan
177	Khalifa University of Science and Technology	United Arab Emirates
177	Tongji University	China (Mainland)

179	University of California, Santa Barbara (UCSB)	United States of America
180	Indian Institute of Technology Madras (IITM)	India
181	Cardiff University	United Kingdom
182	Emory University	United States of America
183	Curtin University	Australia
184	University of Bern	Switzerland
184	University of Wollongong	Australia
186	Wuhan University	China (Mainland)
187	Tecnológico de Monterrey (ITESM)	Mexico
187	University Complutense Madrid	Spain
189	UNIVERSITAS INDONESIA	Indonesia
190	Ohio State University	United States of America
191	Queen's University, Ontario	Canada
191	Université Catholique de Louvain (UCL)	Belgium
193	Universität Hamburg	Germany
194	University of Reading	United Kingdom
194	Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam	Netherlands
196	Waseda University	Japan
197	University of Otago	New Zealand
197	Vienna University of Technology	Austria
199	National Yang Ming Chiao Tung University	Taiwan
199	Queen's University Belfast	United Kingdom
201	Universität Freiburg	Germany
202	University of Gothenburg	Sweden
203	National Cheng Kung University (NCKU)	Taiwan
203	University of Twente	Netherlands
205	Ecole Normale Supérieure de Lyon	France
206	Universidad Autónoma de Madrid	Spain
207	Deakin University	Australia
207	Rheinische Friedrich-Wilhelms-Universität Bonn	Germany
207	University of Maryland, College Park	United States of America
210	University of Minnesota (System)	United States of America
211	University of Calgary	Canada
212	Universidad de Los Andes Colombia	Colombia
212	University of Florida	United States of America
212	University of Lausanne	Switzerland
215	Eberhard Karls Universität Tübingen	Germany
215	Indian Institute of Technology Kharagpur (IITKGP)	India
215	Keio University	Japan
218	Technische Universität Dresden	Germany
219	Indian Institute of Science (IISc) Bangalore	India
219	University of Ottawa	Canada
221	Chulalongkorn University	Thailand
222	Indian Institute of Technology Kanpur (IITK)	India
223	Tel Aviv University	Israel
224	Universitas Gadjah Mada	Indonesia
225	Loughborough University	United Kingdom
226	Queensland University of Technology	Australia
227	The University of Newcastle	Australia
227	Université Libre de Bruxelles (ULB)	Belgium
229	United Arab Emirates University	United Arab Emirates
230	Massey University	New Zealand
230	University of Lisbon	Portugal
232	Universität Erlangen-Nürnberg	Germany
233	La Trobe University	Australia
233	Universidade Estadual de Campinas (Unicamp)	Brazil
233	University of Padova	Italy
236	University of Rochester	United States of America
237	American University of Beirut (AUB)	Lebanon
237	University of Porto	Portugal
239	Maastricht University	Netherlands
240	Hebrew University of Jerusalem	Israel
240	Victoria University of Wellington	New Zealand
242	Politecnico di Torino	Italy
243	Georg-August-Universität Göttingen	Germany
244	Hamad Bin Khalifa University	Qatar
244	Hong Kong Baptist University	Hong Kong SAR, China
246	University College Cork	Ireland
247	Beijing Normal University	China (Mainland)
247	Dartmouth College	United States of America
247	University of Massachusetts, Amherst	United States of America
250	Vanderbilt University	United States of America
251	Universiti Teknologi Petronas (UTP)	Malaysia
251	University of Strathclyde	United Kingdom
253	Taylor's University (Malaysia)	Malaysia
253	Technische Universität Darmstadt	Germany
255	Bandung Institute of Technology (ITB)	Indonesia
256	Harbin Institute of Technology	China (Mainland)
257	Tianjin University	China (Mainland)
257	Université Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne	France
259	Beijing Institute of Technology	China (Mainland)
259	Universidad Nacional de Colombia	Colombia
261	University of Canterbury	New Zealand
262	University of Aberdeen	United Kingdom
262	University of Navarra	Spain
262	University of Surrey	United Kingdom
265	Charles University	Czechia
265	Universitat Pompeu Fabra	Spain
267	Norwegian University of Science And Technology	Norway
268	Griffith University	Australia
269	Middle East Technical University	Türkiye
269	UCSI University	Malaysia

271	University of Warsaw	Poland
272	American University of Sharjah (AUS)	United Arab Emirates
272	North Carolina State University	United States of America
272	Universität zu Köln	Germany
275	University of Virginia	United States of America
276	Sun Yat-sen University	China (Mainland)
276	University of Milan	Italy
278	University of Sussex	United Kingdom
279	Radboud University Nijmegen	Netherlands
280	University of Antwerp	Belgium
281	University of Pittsburgh	United States of America
281	University of Waikato	New Zealand
283	Dalhousie University	Canada
284	University of Galway / Ollscoil na Gaillimhe	Ireland
285	Georgetown University	United States of America
285	University of Macau	Macao SAR, China
287	Heriot-Watt University	United Kingdom
287	Universitas Airlangga	Indonesia
287	University of Arizona	United States of America
287	University of Bergen	Norway
291	University of The Witwatersrand	South Africa
292	Swansea University	United Kingdom
293	University of California, Irvine	United States of America
294	Case Western Reserve University	United States of America
294	Swinburne University of Technology	Australia
294	University of Notre Dame	United States of America
294	Vrije Universiteit Brussel (VUB)	Belgium
298	Istanbul Technical University	Türkiye
299	University of Colorado Boulder	United States of America
300	Université Paris Cité	France
301	Universidad Carlos III de Madrid	Spain
302	Stellenbosch University	South Africa
303	Jagiellonian University	Poland
303	University of Southern Denmark	Denmark
305	Xi'an Jiaotong University	China (Mainland)
306	Aalborg University	Denmark
306	Indiana University Bloomington	United States of America
308	Simon Fraser University	Canada
308	University of Johannesburg	South Africa
310	City St George's, University of London	United Kingdom
310	Linköping University	Sweden
310	Ulsan National Institute of Science and Technology	Republic of Korea
310	Universität Stuttgart	Germany
314	University of Miami	United States of America
314	University of Tasmania	Australia
316	Goethe Universität Frankfurt am Main	Germany
317	L.N. Gumilyov Eurasian National University	Kazakhstan
317	Universidade Federal do Rio de Janeiro	Brazil
319	Huazhong University of Science and Technology	China (Mainland)
320	Bauman Moscow State Technical University	Russian Federation
321	Université Grenoble Alpes	France
322	University of Tehran	Iran (Islamic Republic of)
323	Koc University	Türkiye
324	Sichuan University	China (Mainland)
324	University of Jordan	Jordan
326	University of Leicester	United Kingdom
327	Universidade Nova de Lisboa	Portugal
328	Rutgers University – New Brunswick	United States of America
328	University of Delhi	India
328	University of Sharjah	United Arab Emirates
331	Kyung Hee University	Republic of Korea
331	Satbayev University (previously Kazakh Technical University named after K.I. Satpaev)	Kazakhstan
333	York University	Canada
334	Indian Institute of Technology Guwahati (IITG)	India
334	Sultan Qaboos University	Oman
334	Tufts University	United States of America
334	Universidad Politécnica de Madrid	Spain
334	University of Illinois Chicago (UIC)	United States of America
339	Indian Institute of Technology Roorkee (IITR)	India
339	Shandong University	China (Mainland)
341	Xiamen University	China (Mainland)
342	University of Oulu	Finland
343	Southern University of Science and Technology (SUSTech)	China (Mainland)
343	University of Pisa	Italy
345	National Taiwan University of Science and Technology (Taiwan Tech)	Taiwan
345	Pontificia Universidad Católica del Perú (PUCP)	Peru
347	Cairo University	Egypt
347	Tilburg University	Netherlands
347	University of Coimbra	Portugal
350	Technion - Israel Institute of Technology	Israel
350	Universität Innsbruck	Austria
350	University of Münster	Germany
350	University of Tsukuba	Japan
354	Quaid-i-azam University	Pakistan
355	Nankai University	China (Mainland)
355	National Technical University of Athens	Greece
355	Università degli Studi di Roma - Tor Vergata	Italy
358	George Washington University	United States of America
358	Mahidol University	Thailand
358	University of Victoria	Canada
358	Virginia Polytechnic Institute (Virginia Tech)	United States of America
362	University of Chinese Academy of Sciences (UCAS)	China (Mainland)

362	University of Pretoria	South Africa
362	University of Tartu	Estonia
362	University of the Philippines	Philippines
366	University of Turku	Finland
367	RUDN University	Russian Federation
367	Sciences Po Paris	France
367	Universiti Brunei Darussalam (UBD)	Brunei Darussalam
370	Daegu Gyeongbuk Institute of Science and Technology (DGIST)	Republic of Korea
371	Bogazici University	Türkiye
371	National University of Sciences And Technology (NUST) Islamabad	Pakistan
371	Pontificia Universidad Javeriana	Colombia
374	Oxford Brookes University	United Kingdom
375	Saint Petersburg State University	Russian Federation
375	Sharif University of Technology	Iran (Islamic Republic of)
377	South China University of Technology	China (Mainland)
378	University of Saskatchewan	Canada
379	University of Liege	Belgium
379	University of Naples - Federico II	Italy
381	The American University in Cairo	Egypt
381	University of East Anglia (UEA)	United Kingdom
381	University of Luxembourg	Luxembourg
384	Northeastern University	United States of America
385	Brunel University of London	United Kingdom
385	Gwangju Institute of Science and Technology (GIST)	Republic of Korea
387	Flinders University	Australia
388	Beihang University (former BUAA)	China (Mainland)
388	Birkbeck College, University of London	United Kingdom
390	National and Kapodistrian University of Athens	Greece
391	Abu Dhabi University	United Arab Emirates
392	Sejong University	Republic of Korea
392	Southeast University, China	China (Mainland)
392	Universitat Politècnica de Catalunya	Spain
395	Aston University	United Kingdom
395	Ruhr-Universität Bochum	Germany
397	Lappeenranta-Lahti University of Technology LUT	Finland
397	University of Kent	United Kingdom
399	IPB University (aka Bogor Agricultural University)	Indonesia
400	Western Sydney University	Australia
401	Umeå University	Sweden
401	University of Granada	Spain
401	University of Limerick	Ireland
404	Sabancı University	Türkiye
404	University of Florence	Italy
406	Institut National des Sciences Appliquées de Lyon (INSA)	France
407	Lincoln University	New Zealand
408	University of Turin	Italy
409	Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore	Italy
410	Auckland University of Technology	New Zealand
410	Dublin City University	Ireland
410	Sunway University	Malaysia
410	University at Buffalo SUNY	United States of America
410	University of Southern Queensland	Australia
415	Bilkent University	Türkiye
416	Czech Technical University In Prague	Czechia
416	Julius-Maximilians-Universität Würzburg	Germany
416	Universität Mannheim	Germany
419	University of Aveiro	Portugal
420	National Taipei University of Technology	Taiwan
420	Université de Strasbourg	France
422	Universitat Politècnica de Valencia	Spain
423	Murdoch University	Australia
423	Tampere University	Finland
423	Università degli Studi di Pavia	Italy
423	Washington State University	United States of America
427	Graz University of Technology	Austria
428	Aix-Marseille University	France
428	University of Dundee	United Kingdom
430	Masaryk University	Czechia
430	Universitat de Valencia	Spain
430	Université de Montpellier	France
433	East China Normal University	China (Mainland)
433	Leibniz Universität Hannover	Germany
435	National Taiwan Normal University	Taiwan
436	Prince Mohammad Bin Fahd University	Saudi Arabia
436	Universitat Ramon Llull	Spain
438	IE University	Spain
439	National Sun Yat-sen University	Taiwan
440	Ajman University	United Arab Emirates
440	James Cook University	Australia
440	Macau University of Science and Technology	Macao SAR, China
440	National Research University Higher School of Economics (HSE, Moscow)	Russian Federation
440	Universität Konstanz	Germany
440	University of California, Riverside	United States of America
446	Vilnius University	Lithuania
447	Belarusian State University	Belarus
448	Universität Bayreuth	Germany
449	Iowa State University	United States of America
450	Kazan Federal University	Russian Federation
450	Universidade Estadual Paulista "Júlio de Mesquita Filho" (UNESP)	Brazil
452	Johannes Gutenberg Universität Mainz	Germany
452	Shenzhen University	China (Mainland)
452	Stony Brook University	United States of America

452	University of Cyprus	Cyprus
456	Amirkabir University of Technology	Iran (Islamic Republic of)
456	University of Essex	United Kingdom
458	Colorado State University	United States of America
458	Universidad Nacional de La Plata	Argentina
458	University of California, Santa Cruz	United States of America
461	Jordan University of Science & Technology	Jordan
461	Novosibirsk State University	Russian Federation
461	Royal Holloway University of London	United Kingdom
461	Università Vita-Salute San Raffaele	Italy
465	Anna University	India
465	Concordia University	Canada
465	Shanghai University	China (Mainland)
465	University of Kansas	United States of America
469	Ben Gurion University of The Negev	Israel
469	Laval University	Canada
469	Tashkent Institute of Irrigation and Agricultural Mechanization Engineers - National Research University (TIAME-NRU)	Uzbekistan
469	Universidad de Sevilla	Spain
473	Jilin University	China (Mainland)
473	Johannes Kepler University Linz	Austria
473	Pusan National University	Republic of Korea
473	Università della Svizzera Italiana	Switzerland
477	Moscow Institute of Physics and Technology State University	Russian Federation
477	Universität Potsdam	Germany
479	Chung-Ang University	Republic of Korea
480	Hiroshima University	Japan
480	University of Science and Technology Beijing	China (Mainland)
482	Dalian University of Technology	China (Mainland)
482	Duy Tan University	Viet Nam
482	Kobe University	Japan
485	Aristotle University of Thessaloniki	Greece
485	University of Trento	Italy
487	Edith Cowan University	Australia
487	Technische Universität Bergakademie Freiberg	Germany
487	Warsaw University of Technology	Poland
490	Universidad de Santiago de Chile - USACH	Chile
491	Central South University	China (Mainland)
491	Imam Abdulrahman Bin Faisal University (formerly University of Dammam)	Saudi Arabia
491	Universiti Utara Malaysia (UUM)	Malaysia
494	Université de Bordeaux	France
494	University of Canberra	Australia
496	Iran University of Science and Technology	Iran (Islamic Republic of)
496	Justus-Liebig-Universität Gießen	Germany
498	University of Jyväskylä	Finland
499	Central Queensland University Australia (CQUniversity)	Australia
499	Northwestern Polytechnical University	China (Mainland)
499	Tomsk State University	Russian Federation
499	Universidad de Costa Rica	Costa Rica