



Islamic Azad University, Najafabad Branch (IAUN):

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Isfahan, the city of art and cyan domes: Isfahan is a historical city in the center of Iran and is the third largest city of the country after Tehran and Mashhad. It is located 406 kilometers (252 miles) south of Tehran, and is the capital of Isfahan Province. Isfahan is an important city as it is located at the intersection of the two principal north-south and east-west routes that traverse Iran. Isfahan flourished from 1050 to 1722, articularly in the 16th and 17th centuries under the Safavid dynasty when it became the capital of Persia for the second time in its history under Shah Abbas the Great. Even today the city retains much of its past glory. Isfahan is famous for its Perso-Islamic architecture, grand boulevards, covered bridges, palaces, tiled mosques, and minarets. Isfahan also has many historical buildings, monuments, paintings and artifacts. The fame of Isfahan led to the Persian pun and proverb "Esfahār nesf-e- jahān ast": Isfahan is half of the world. The Naghsh-e Jahan Square in Isfahan is one of the largest city squares in the world and UNESCO has designated it a World Heritage Site. On December 11, 2015, Isfahan and Rasht as the first cities of Iran were designated as new members of the UNESCO Creative Cities Network. Isfahan was registered because of its creative 'Crafts' and Folk Art'. By joining the Network, cities commit to collaborate and develop partnerships with a view to promote creativity and cultural industries, to share best practices, to strengthen participation in cultural life, and to integrate culture in economic and social development strategies and plans. Some magnificent and beautiful monuments in Isfahan include Menar Jonban, Si-o-Seh Pol or bridge of 33 arches, Khaju Bridge, Shahrestan Bridge, Naghsh-e Jahan Square, Chehel Sotoun (The Palace of Forty Columns), Ali Qapu (The Royal Palace). Najafabad, the city of science, faith, and martyrdom: Najafabad, as one of the most populated cities of Isfahan province, is located 25 kilometers west of Isfahan and is increasingly becoming a part of the Isfahan metropolitan city. The designer and architect of the city was Sheikh Baha'i, the famous Islamic scholar, philosopher, architect, and mathematician who lived in the late 16th

and early 17th centuries in Safavid Iran.

Najafabad was one of the leading cities in the victory of Iran Islamic Revolution and today is known as the city of science, faith, and martyrdom. Some of the tourist attractions of Najafabad are The Seven Towers of Kharoun (Arg-e Sheikh Baha'i), Safa Pigeon House Towers, Great Oil Mill, Zamanian Oil Mill, and historical houses.



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The Islamic Azad University, Najafabad Branch (IAUN) is an independent comprehensive branch of the Islamic Azad University, located in Najafabad, Isfahan, Iran. IAUN, established in 1985, is the biggest higher education institute in Isfahan province. With a total area of 1277 hectares, IAUN has about one million square meters of developmental space area, including educational, administrative, sports and green space areas as well as 9,094,000 square meters of garden and farmland. Having access to 16 square meters of educational space area per person, IAUN has gained the first rank of land and building ownership among all branches of the Islamic Azad University.

IAUN, as one of the scientific poles of the country, boasts of 35 years of service educating 23,000 university students in 55 educational departments in Bachelor's, Master's and PhD programs. Since its founding, IAUN has trained more than 86000 students in different fields of science. In IAUN, 450 full-time professors are engaged in teaching and research. The most prominent research achievements of IAUN are about 6800 indexed articles, more than 300 published books, and 1300 national and international registered patents.

Currently, IAUN enjoying 10 approved faculties, 11 science and technology centers, one research institute, 92 specialized workplace, 118 up-to-date educational-research laboratories and 6 creditable scientific-research journals, is a big scientific, cultural and artistic city and is considered as an independent comprehensive branch of Islamic Azad University in Iran. The IAUN is home to the largest academic library in Iran, in a 34000 square meters space, with over 300.000 volumes of books, journals, theses, and dissertations in print and electronic formats.

Islamic Azad University, Najafabad Branch (IAUN) An Independent Comprehensive Branch of IAU Civil Infrastructure

Total Land Area: 12.779.199 m2

Buildings: 353.000 m² Libraries: 19.190 m2

Research Centers: 26.800 m2

Conference Halls: 11 halls with an area of 5011 m2 and

a capacity of 3620 people

Open Student Parking Lots: 79.400 m2 Indoor Student Parking Lots: 5.000 m2

On Campus Restaurants: 5 restaurants with an area of 12.000 m² Sports Facilities: 5 sports halls with an area of 10.700 m² Outdoor Sports Fields: 2 fields with an area of 50.150 m2 Dormitories: 9 dormitories with an area of 31.830 m2 Laboratories: 13 labs with an area of 18.330 m2 Workshops: 14 workshops with an area of 10.200 m2 Computer Sites: 6 sites with an area of 3.356 m2 SAMA Affiliated Schools: 6 schools with an area of 10.044 m2

Green Space: 1.880.000 m2 Landscaped Area: 1.450.000 m2

Office Buildings: 21 buildings with an area of 39.817 m2 Educational Buildings: 28 buildings with an area of 128.667 m2 Cultural buildings: 4 buildings with an area of 9.355 m²

Mosques: 4 mosques with an area of 2.929 m2

Other Buildings: 53 buildings with an area of 55.002 m2 Total Number of Buildings: 164 buildings with an area of 353.000 m2



Today, knowledge and experience transfer from one generation to another has gone beyond the countries' boundaries in a way that international scientific and cultural communications are inevitable for achieving the countries' goals.

In the world of science and technology globalization, admission of foreign students and elites at the university leads to active participation in science development, facilitates technology transfer, and enriches education and research process. According to major policies of Islamic Azad University (IAU), Najafabad Branch as an independent comprehensive branch of IAU, is ready to admit foreign professors, elites and students in different educational programs and provide short-term courses and sabbatical opportunities in different majors of engineering, medicine, science and humanities.

Currently, this university as one of the scientific poles in Iran is host to about 200 foreign students, and as IAUN expands its collaboration with other scientific centers, we hope to witness the progress of knowledge.

Office for Foreign Students Admission and Consultation

In this regard, the Office for International Affairs and Non-Iranian Students at IAUN as trustee of international scientific, educational and research cooperation development intends to provide appropriate background for comprehensive relationships with international universities and science centers and admission of students from other countries. Some activities of this office to maintain respect and dignity of foreign students include facilitating effective communication between foreign students and admission university staff, monitoring foreign students' enrollment issues, getting foreign students' authentication documents, holding debriefing sessions, removing probable obstacles in education process from admission to graduation and issuing the degree, accelerating educational procedures, providing financial grants and appropriate facilities, holding domestic scientific tours, and administering cultural programs.



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IAUN Honors and Rankings

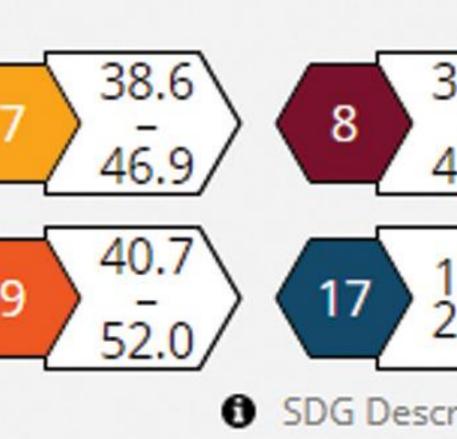
- Islamic Azad University, Najafabad Branch (IAUN): An Independent Comprehensive Branch of IAU
- The best branch of the Islamic Azad University in Iran based on National Festival of Scholars (Farhikhtegan)
- Deing among the most influential universities in the world according to the Times Higher Education (THE) World University Rankings (2021)
- IAUN was ranked number 5 among 58 Iranian universities according to the Times Higher Education (THE) World University Rankings (2022)
- The best university in Iran in terms of three indicators: number of citations, top-cited publication, and professional publications based on U-multirank university ranking system

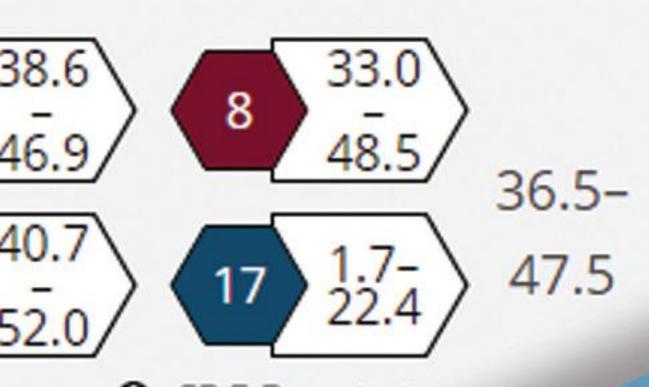
IAUN was ranked among the best universities in Iran in the field of engineering sciences (8th rank) and physics (2nd rank) based on the Times Thematic World University Rankings (2022)

THE (Times Higher Education) has released 2021 socio-economic impact rankings of the universities and based on this ranking, 27 Iranian universities including IAUN, were included in the list of 1.115 effective universities in the world. IAUN was reported in the range between 801 to 1000. IAUN was ranked 5th in Goal 16 (Peace, Justice and Strong Institutions) and 7th in Goals 1 (No Poverty) and 11 (Sustainable Cities and Communities) among 27 Iranian universities in this ranking.

IAUN, as the only branch of the Islamic Azad University among the top universities in Iran according to the THE World University Rankings, with the highest score in the citation criterion (98.3) was ranked fifth in Iran. In THE World University Rankings, more than 1600 top universities in the world from 99 countries are ranked, and the IAUN was ranked 501600- in the world in its first appearance in this ranking.

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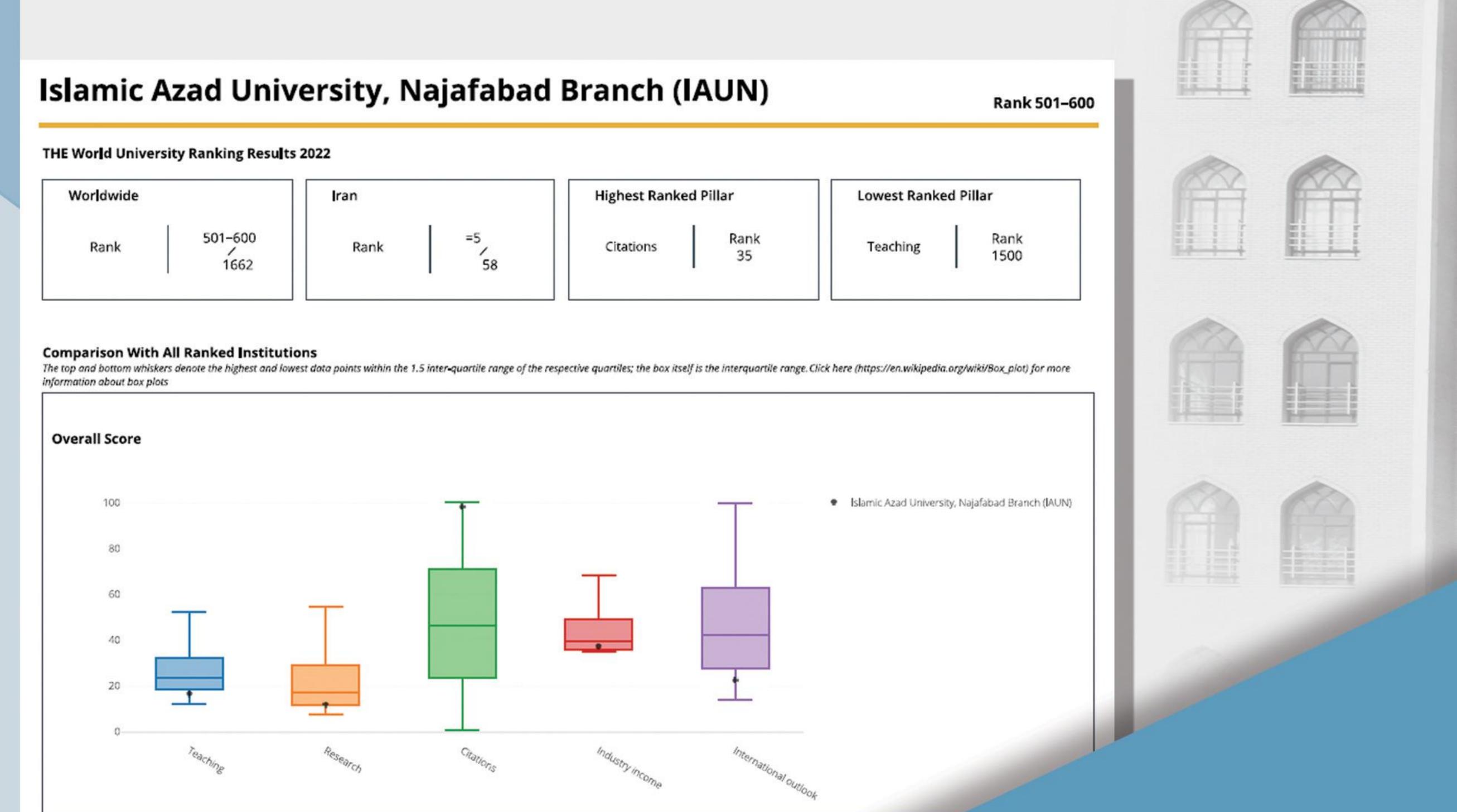






SCIMAGO INSTITUTIONS RANKINGS

Year	International Ranking	National Ranking	
2018	680	29	4
2019	734	展展 第 44 解 解 解	5
2020	766	53	8
2021	781	54	5



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Research Centers

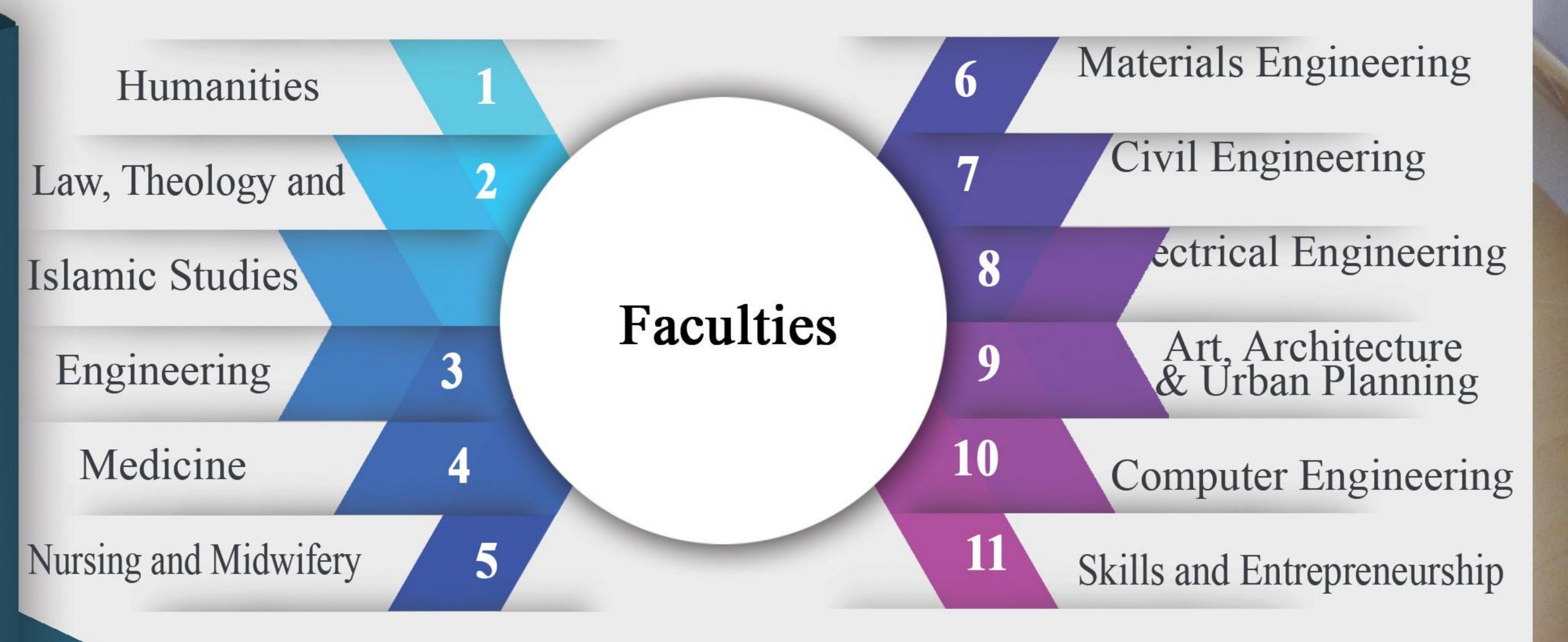
Tourism Research Center Advanced Materials Smart Microgrid Sports Medicine Research Center Nursing and Midwifery Sciences Development Digital Processing and Machine Vision Research Centers of IAUN Modern Manufacturing Technologies Big Data Human Environment and Clinical Research Development Sustainable Development New Horizons Research Aerospace and Energy Conversion

Center in Architecture

Approved Faculties International Indexed Articles

Currently, IAUN enjoying 11 approved faculties, 11 science and technology centers, one research institute, 92 specialized workplace, 118 up-to-date educational-research laboratories and 6 creditable scientific-research journals, is a big scientific, cultural and artistic city. Number of Students: 21.930 students studying in 212 majors (64 PhD programs, 105 MA/MSc programs, 49 continuous BA/BSc programs, 23 non-continuous BA/BSc programs, 20 continuous associate programs, 14 non-continuous associate programs, and one MD program. Number of full-time academic staff: 408

National scientometrics of IAUN National Ranking Articles 3796 Citations 52376 H-Index **HS-Index** Citation per article Self-citation International Articles (%) International



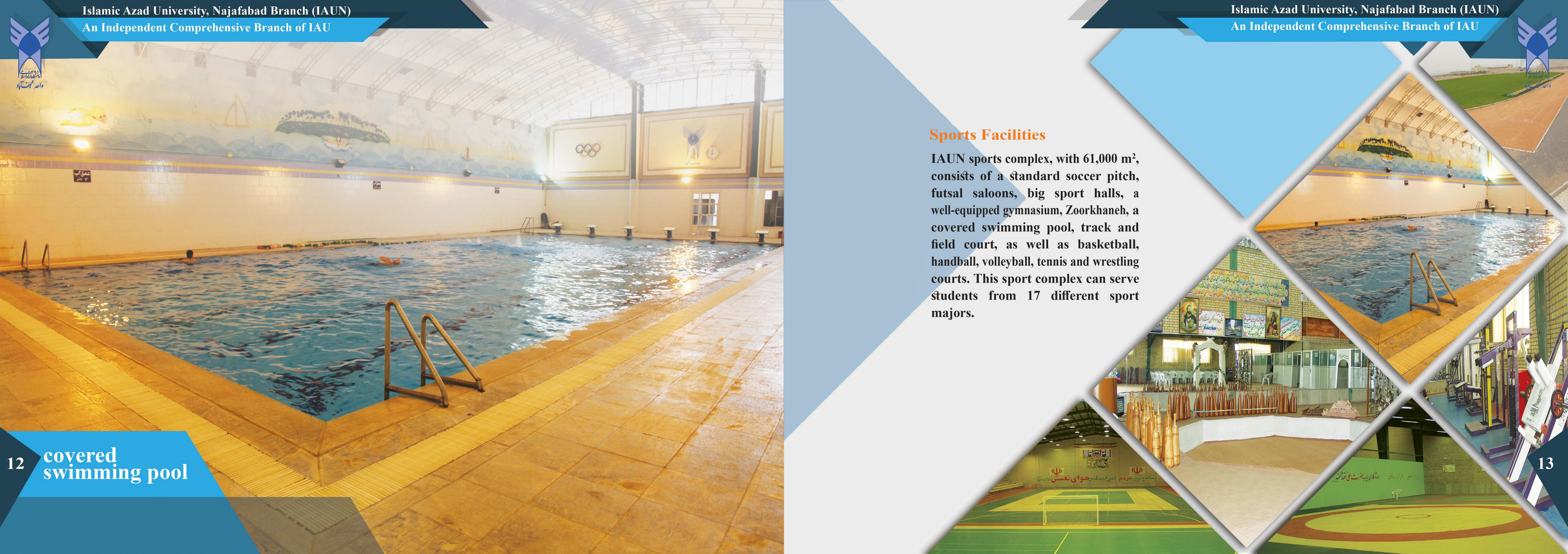
Currently, there are 12 research centers in IAUN. They aim to:

- Develop and apply knowledge in specialized scientific fields
- Conduct basic and applied research to meet the needs of the society
- Train specialized researchers
- Earn money through industry projects and services
- Cooperate with other research centers and governmental departments

International Indexed Articles

Articles







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Libraries

IAUN has a large central library, a specialized medical school library, and faculty-based libraries.

Central Library

- With an area of more than 30,000 m² in 8 floors
- 2 general study halls and 3 specialized study halls
- A conference hall
- 224.717 volumes of Persian and Latin printed books
- 8.200 volumes of e-books
- 15.134 master theses and doctoral dissertations
- 18.863 volumes of national and international printed journals
- Access to a variety of national and international databases
 Specialized medical school library
- With an area of 510 m²
- 2 equipped study halls
- 24.279 volumes of Persian and Latin printed books
- Access to national and international medical databases

Andisheh Study Hall

For the convenience of students in accessing the study halls, in addition to the study halls of each library, there is a public study hall named Andisheh with an area of 600 m² in the center of the university. The library members are 24.456 exactly equal to number of students and the staff.





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Non-continuous Undergraduate Programs

- Electrical Technology Engineering (Power Engineering)
- Control Technology Engineering (Instrumentation) Continuous Undergraduate Programs
- Sports Engineering
- Electrical Engineering
- Medical Engineering

Master Programs

- Geophysics (Seismology)
- Engineering • Physics (Condensed Matter Physics)
- Electrical Engineering (Digital Electronic Systems)
- Electrical Engineering (Power Systems)
- Electrical Engineering (Telecommunication Networks)
- Electrical Engineering (Secure Telecommunication & Encryption

Faculty of

Electrical

- Electrical Engineering (Electrical Transport Systems)
- Electrical Engineering (Power Electronics & Electrical Mach
- Electrical Engineering (Telecommunication System)
- Electrical Engineering (Nanoelectronic Devices)
- Medical Engineering (Bioelectric)
- Electrical Engineering (Control)
- Electrical Engineering (Electronic Integrated Circuits)
- Renewable Energy Engineering
- Energy Systems Engineering (Energy & Environment)
- Systems Engineering Energy (Energy Systems)
- Energy Systems Engineering (Energy Technology)
- Electrical Engineering (Optical Telecommunications)
- Electrical Engineering (Planning and Management of Electric Power Systems)
- Electrical Engineering (Field and Wave Telecommunications) PhD Programs
- Geophysics (Seismology)
- Physics (Optics and Laser Physics)
- Electrical Engineering (Electronics)
- Electrical Engineering (Telecommunications)
- Electrical Engineering (Power)
- Electrical Engineering (Control)
 - Medical Engineering (Bioelectric)

Faculty of Humanities

Master Programs

- Teaching English as a Foreign Language (TEFL)
- Persian Language and Literature
- Geography and Tourism Planning
- Geography and Spatial Planning of Tourism Complexes
- Geography and Urban Planning
- Geography and Land Use Planning
- Geography and Environmental Hazards
- Housing Planning and Urban Reconstruction
- Meteorology (Climate Change)
- Meteorology (Environmental Meteorology)
- Arabic Literature
- Sports Management (Marketing Management in Sport)
- Sports Management (Strategic Management in Sports Organizations)
- Sports Physiology (Sports Nutrition)
- Sports Physiology (Physiology of Physical Activity and Health)
- History (History of Ancient Iran)
- History (General History of the World)
- History (History of Islam)
- History (History of Islamic Iran)
- History of the Islamic Revolution
- Accounting
- Business Management (E_Commerce)
- Business Management (Marketing)
- Business Management (International Business)
- Industrial Management (Performance Management)
- Industrial Management (Operations Research)
- Industrial Management (Production and Operations)
- Business Management (Technology)
- Business Management (Operations and Supply Chain)

Non-continuous Undergraduate Programs

- Teaching English as a Foreign Language(TEFL)
- Religious and Arabic Education
- Primary Education
- Teacher Training of Physical Education and Sports Sciences
- Accounting
- Industrial Management
- Business Management

Continuous Undergraduate Programs

- Accounting
- Psychology
- Persian Language and Literature
- Arabic Language and Literature
- English Language Teaching
- English/Persian Translation
- Business Management
- Industrial Management
- Financial Management
- Banking Management
- Small Business Management
- Sports Sciences
- Tourism
- Geography
- Family Studies
- History

Faculty of Humanities

PhD Programs

- Persian Language and Literature
- Persian Language and Literature (Lyrical Literature)
- Political Geography
- Geography and Urban Planning
- Geography and Rural Planning
- Meteorology
- Arabic Language and Literature
- Sports Management
- Sports Physiology
- History (History of Islam)
- History (History of Iran after Islam)
- History (History of Iran before Islam)
- Sports Sociolog
- Health Psychology
- Psychology
- Financial Management (Financial Engineering)
- Industrial Production and Operations Management
- Public Management (Human Resources Management)
- Media Managemen
- Information Technology Management (Smart Business)
- Information Technology Management (Services Management and Information Technology Development)
- Accounting
- Teaching English as a Foreign Language (TEFL)

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- Systems Engineering Energy (Energy and Environment)
- Energy Systems Engineering (Energy Systems)
- Energy Systems Engineering (Energy Technology)
- Renewable Energy Engineering

PhD Programs

- Mechanical Engineering (Applied Design)
- Mechanical Engineering (Energy Conversion)
- Medical Engineering (Biomechanics)
- Industrial Engineering (Optimization Systems)
- Industrial Engineering (Quality and Productivity)
- Industrial Engineering (Logistics and Supply Chain)

culty of Engineering

Continuous Undergraduate Programs

- Mechanical Engineering
- Industrial Engineering
- Manufacturing Engineering

Non-continuous Undergraduate Programs

Mechanical Technology Engineering (Heating and

Faculty of Law, Theology and Islamic Studies

Continuous Undergraduate Programs

- Islamic Philosophy and Wisdom
- Judicial Sciences
- Jurisprudence and Fundamentals of Law Non-continuous Undergraduate Programs
- Legal Expert (Registration Law) Master Programs
- Sociology of the Islamic Revolution
- Quranic and Hadith Sciences
- Jurisprudence and Fundamentals of Islamic Law
- Recognition of Imam Khomeini's Thoughts
- History of Islamic Culture and Civilization
- International Law
- Criminal Law and Criminology
- Private Law
- Public Law
- International Trade Law

PhD Programs

- Quranic and Hadith Sciences
- Jurisprudence and Fundamentals of Islamic Law
- Religions and Mysticism
- Islamic Mysticism and the Thoughts of Imam Khomeini (R.I.P.)
- Theology, Philosophy of Religion and New Theological Issues
- Philosophy and Islamic Theology
- Public Law
- Criminal Law and Criminology
 - Public International Law
 - Private law

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Civil Engineering

Faculty of Materials Engineering

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- Applied Chemistry
- Chemical Engineering
- Nuclear Engineering
- Materials and Metallurgy Engineering
- Food Industry Sciences and Engineering
- Environmental Sciences and Engineering
- Cellular-Molecular Biology

Master Programs

- Medical Engineering (Texture)
- Medical Engineering (Biomaterials)
- Materials Engineering (Identification and Selection of Materials)
- Materials Engineering (Ceramics)
- Materials Engineering (Corrosion and Protection of Materials)
- Materials Engineering (Casting)
- Metallurgical and Materials Engineering
- Nanotechnology (Nanomaterials)
- Chemistry (Organic Chemistry)
- Chemical Engineering (Environment)
- Health, Safety and Environmental Engineering (HSE)
- Energy Systems Engineering (Energy and Environment)

PhD Programs

- Metallurgical and Materials Engineering
- Food Industry Engineering (Food Technology)
- Medical Engineering (Biomaterials)
- Chemistry (Physical Chemistry)
- Chemistry (Organic Chemistry)
- Chemical Engineering



Non-continuous Undergraduate Programs

• Civil Executive Engineering

Geotechnical Civil Engineering



