The statistics of unibz

FACTS & FIGURES

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University

1997 year of foundation
4 teaching languages (English, German, Italian and Ladin)
5 faculties
3 research centres (Competence Centre for Regional History, Competence Centre Tourism and Mobility and Competence Centre for School Inclusion)
3 campuses

Funding

92,6 mln. € budget in 2020
85.8% from the Autonomous Province of Bozen-Bolzano
10.3% externally funded and other sources
3.9% tuition fees

People

4,295 students of whom
63 are senior students
70 are Studium Generale students
141 tenured professors and researchers of whom
33% are female
52 years is the average age of tenured academic staff
620 contract professors
272 administration and technical staff of whom
37% are male and
31% are part-time

International profile

33% tenured professors and researchers of international origin
15.8% of students of international origin [national average 3.7%]

Teaching

12 Bachelors
14 Masters, of which
1 European Master
1 5-year Master
2 2nd Cycle Masters
7 PhD programmes
1 Studium Generale
1052 internship agreements with companies and institutions

Figures from AlmaLaurea

73.1% graduate within the prescribed course duration [national average is 55.7%]
3.7 years is the average time needed to graduate [national average is 4.2 years]
76.2% of graduates undertake an internship [national average is 59.9%]
74.4% of graduates are in employment within one year after graduation [national average is 53.5%]
33.2% of graduates have spent some time on exchanges abroad during their studies [national average is 12.5%]
**Research**

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<td>European</td>
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<td>International</td>
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<td>National</td>
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<td>Regional</td>
<td>7</td>
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<td>Research contracts</td>
<td>54</td>
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<td>Internal</td>
<td>198</td>
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<td>Research projects completed</td>
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<td>European</td>
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<td>Research contracts</td>
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<td>Internal</td>
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<td>Million Euro external funding</td>
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<td>of contracts with third parties</td>
<td>57%</td>
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<td>Contract researchers, of whom</td>
<td>299</td>
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<td>Assistant researchers</td>
<td>160</td>
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<td>Are from abroad</td>
<td>87</td>
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**International Relations**

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<td>Erasmus+ Agreements</td>
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<td>Agreements</td>
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<td>International study programmes</td>
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<td>Double or combined degree</td>
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<td>Nationalities of students</td>
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<td>Study places at other</td>
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<td>Euregio collaboration agreement</td>
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<td>Universities of Bozen-Bolzano, Innsbruck and Trento</td>
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**Service**

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<td>Recognition procedures</td>
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<td>Foreign qualifications</td>
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<td>PCs and Macs available</td>
<td>367</td>
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<td>for students, of which</td>
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<td>Cloudbooks for mobile classrooms</td>
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<td>for personal loan</td>
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<td>IT-services in the Cloud</td>
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<td>Technical and design workshops</td>
<td>45</td>
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<td>and laboratories</td>
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<td>Local grants awarded</td>
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<td>Students in 2019</td>
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<td>Mailboxes in Office365</td>
<td>~9000</td>
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<td>Year of the ISO9001 certification</td>
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<td>Student associations</td>
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<td>BITZ unibz fablab</td>
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**Technology Transfer**

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<td>Spinoff at NOI Techpark</td>
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<td>Unibz Trademarks (2 granted, 1 filed)</td>
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<td>Patents (6 granted by unibz researchers, 1 filed by unibz)</td>
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<td>Laboratories (9 active and 4 in planning):</td>
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<td>Green Labs</td>
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<td>Engineering Labs</td>
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<td>Centre for Family Business Management</td>
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<td>Agricultural Sciences Lab</td>
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**FACTS & FIGURES**

**Education**
Brixen-Bressanone campus (1,746 students)

**Bachelor in**
- Communication Sciences and Culture
- Social Education
- Social Work

**5-year Master in**
- Primary Education

**Master in**
- Applied Linguistics
- Innovation and Research for Social Work and Social Education
- Musicology
- PhD Programme in
  - General Pedagogy, Social Pedagogy, General Didactics and Disciplinary Didactics Specialisation Courses
  - Professional Training Course and Placement
  - Training Course – 24 ECTS
  - Specialization Course for the Teaching of Children with Special Educational Needs
  - Antropolad: Ladin Culture & Alpine Anthropology
  - Teaching English at Primary School
  - Teaching of Children with Special Needs
- Erasmus+ Projects
- Fit Back – The European Network for Development of Physical Fitness Monitoring Systems
- ITM – A European Comparison of Teaching Material – Criteria for its Development and Evaluation
- CO.RE.D – Collaborative Re-Design with Schools

**Research areas**
Permanent Education – Processes and Projects of Education and Development with a Focus on South Tyrol; IN-IN Education: INnovative and INclusive Education; Psychology and wellbeing promotion in educational contexts; Languages and multilingualism in South Tyrol; Aesthetic experiences and communication; Educational Contexts, Disciplines and their Teaching in the Nursery and Primary School; Socio cultural worlds: Institutions, Welfare, Social Professions, Environment and Population.

**Economics and Management**
Bozen-Bolzano & Bruneck-Brunico (1,223 students)

**Bachelor in**
- Economics and Management
- Economics and Social Sciences
- Informatics and Management of Digital Business

**Master in**
- Accounting and Finance
- Entrepreneurship and Innovation
- Public Policies and Administration
- PhD Programme in
  - Management and Economics

**Bruneck-Brunico**

**Bachelor in**
- Tourism, Sport and Event Management

**Research areas**
Innovation, Entrepreneurship and Management; Tourism, Marketing and Regional Development; Financial Markets and Regulation; Law, Economics and Institutions; Quantitative Methods and Economic Modeling; Family Business Management Platform; Human Dignity and Human Rights Platform (in collaboration with the Faculty of Education, the universities of Innsbruck, Salzburg and Trento, the "Accademia di studi italo-tedeschi di Merano/ Akademie deutsch-italienischer Studien Meran").

**Research**
34 projects and over 2 million Euro of external funding for research activities in 2019.

**Computer Science**
Bozen-Bolzano campus (300 students)

**Bachelor in**
- Computer Science
- Informatics and Management of Digital Business

**Master in**
- Computational Data Science
- Software Engineering for Information Systems (also international curriculum)
- PhD Programme in
  - Computer Science

**Research areas**

**Acknowledgements**

Quality Label for teaching awarded by EQANIE, the European Quality Assurance Network for Informatics Education. Quality Certification for teaching awarded by GRIN, the Italian association of professors of informatics.

**Research**
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**Design and Art**
Bozen–Bolzano campus (314 students)

Bachelor in
- Design and Art

Master in
- Eco-Social Design
- Design for Children: Objects, Spaces, Processes and Experiences

12 new workshops for:
- Assembling Pool and Surface Treatment, Carpentry, Computer, Cutting and Binding, Digital Modelling, Materials and Technologies, Metal, Photography, Plastics, Print, Printpool, Video.

The workshops provide our students with optimal conditions for learning, experimenting, materialising and implementing their ideas.

BITZ unibz FabLab, a digital modelling workshop open to all the citizens. Currently there are 857 members.

**Research areas**
Design and Art are fields of exploration. Research is inter- and trans-disciplinary across three clusters:
- **make** – exploring innovative approaches to the idea-tion of artefacts and spaces;
- **trans-form** – exploring design, art and social practices addressing political and eco-social issues; and
- **enable** – design and art competences, material culture, and human development.

**Science and Technology**
Bozen–Bolzano campus (850 students)

Bachelor in
- Agricultural and Agro-environmental Sciences
- Industrial and Mechanical Engineering
- Wood Engineering

2nd Cycle Master in
- Sustainable Management of Geo-hydrological Risk in Mountain Environments
- Building, Energy and Environment – CasaClima

Master in
- Environmental Management of Mountain Areas
- Energy Engineering
- Food Sciences for Innovation and Authenticity
- Horticultural Science (IMaHS)
- Industrial Mechanical Engineering
- Viticulture, Enology and Wine Marketing

PhD programmes in
- Mountain Environment and Agriculture
- Sustainable Energy and Technologies
- Food Engineering and Biotechnology
- Advanced-Systems Engineering

**Research areas**
Agricultural Sciences; Energy Resources and Energy Efficiency; Food Sciences; Fundamental Sciences for Innovative Applications; Management and Technologies for Mountain Environments; Industrial Engineering and Automation; Smart Systems Technologies and Engineering.

The Faculty, which focuses its research on the issues of energy saving, alpine technologies, innovation in industry, food production and technology, is currently working on 140 research projects with a total value of 16.3 million Euros (of which 30% is externally financed).

**Language Centre**
Bozen–Bolzano campus

- 3,200 course participants
- 206 language courses offered
- 11,388 hours of taught
- 4 international certificates
- 5,319 language exams administered
- 3,147 reading and listening exam modules
- 2,882 oral exam modules and
- 3,084 writing exam modules

Courses in 8 languages (English, German, Italian, French, Spanish, Russian, Chinese and Arabic)

Pre-sessional courses; International Language Certificate preparation courses; One-on-one language advising; Courses for admin and academic staff; Courses for beginners up to level C1.

**Library**

- 291,913 books and audiovisual media
- 199,745 e-books
- 117,036 e-journals & e-resources
- 261 e-collections
- 768,612 downloads
- 602,941 library visits
- 470 hours of teaching & consulting
- 3 campus libraries
- 966 seats

The library registers more than half a million visits every year, thanks to modern facilities, extensive opening hours and a user-oriented policy.