

World universities ready for the rankings

Times Higher Education (THE) Impact Ranking 2021, the world university ranking agency, received more than 1200 applications this year. In the ranking based on the Sustainable Development Goals of the United Nations, the contributions of universities to the sustainable development of societies are measured.

Times Higher Education (THE), the prestigious international higher education ranking organization known as the Oscar of higher education, announced that it received more than 1,200 applications from 98 countries for the 'Impact Ranking 2021', which aims to measure the contribution of universities to the sustainable development of societies.

TURKEY IS THE 4TH IN APPLICATIONS

In the statement, which stated that the participation in the ranking has increased, the country with the highest number of applications was Russia with 86 applications. Japan ranks 2nd with 85 applications. India ranks 3rd with 57 applications, Turkey 4th with 54 applicants.

GAYRETLİ: "WE ARE FIRST IN TURKEY"

Speaking about the statement that the 'Quality Education' category, which is the only target that universities need to provide data to be included in the general ranking, received the highest number of applications, Abdülkadir Gayretli, Chairman of the Board of Trustees of Istanbul Gelisim University, reminded that they left many universities behind and managed to get in between top 100 universities of the World under the title "Quality Education". Gayretli added: "We ranked 1st among 34 participating universities from Turkey under the title 'Quality Education'"

"ACHIEVEMENTS MOTIVATE US"

Stating that the evaluations by Times Higher Education (THE), a London-based higher education rating agency, are very valuable for higher education institutions, Abdülkadir Gayretli said: "With the encouragement of Prof. Dr. Yekta Saraç, the President of the Council of Higher Education, we continue our work in the name of internationalization. Our achievements in the world rankings also motivate us in this regard."

Istanbul Gelisim University opened its doors to high school students

Istanbul Gelisim University (IGU) has implemented the program called "Open Door Courses". The university announced that the lectures held within the university, faculties and schools opened their doors to high school students. With the program, it is aimed for high school students to experience the education given at the university during the university preparation process and to be motivated while preparing for YKS.

More than 20 different course contents are offered to high school students who are curious about university education and want to take their place on the online platform in the university lecture halls and classrooms. It is possible to participate in the "Open Door Courses" program, both individually and institutionally, on the university's website.

Speaking about the "Open Door Lessons" program, IGU Board of Trustees Chairman Abdülkadir Gayretli said, "We organize a special event in order to help high school students learn about the quality of education at Istanbul Gelişim University and most importantly, determine the areas suitable for them. Dear students, it will make us happy you to see the lessons on our campus up close. For this purpose, we want you to be our guest by opening the doors of the courses held within our faculties and schools."

The courses to be given within the scope of the program are listed as follows:

“Deontoloji ve Etik (Deontology and Ethics), Protetik Diş Tedavisi (Prosthodontics), Tüketici Davranışları (Consumer Behavior), E-Commerce, E-Ticaret (E-Commerce), Emotions And Understanding Of The Social World, Political Behavior, Consumer Behavior, Introduction To Philosophy- Why Philosophy?, Reklamcılıkta Fotoğraf Uygulamaları (Photography Applications in Advertising), Yaratıcı Yazarlık (Creative Writing), Career Planning In Aviation, Kişilerarası İletişim (Interpersonal Communication), Liderlik (Leadership), Ağ Teknolojileri (Network Technologies), Alçak Gerilim Sistemleri (Low Voltage Systems), Building Materials, Concrete Technologies, Deprem Mühendisliğine Giriş (Introduction to Earthquake Engineering), Görsel Programlama (Visual Programming), Haberleşme Sistemleri (Communication Systems), Highway Engineering, İnternet Programlama (Internet Programming), Karayolu Mühendisliği (Highway Engineering), Mimari Tasarım II (Architectural Design II), Nanoteknoloji

(Nanotechnology), Physics II, Şifreleme (Encryption), Uçak Mühendisliği ve Tasarım (Aeronautical Engineering and Design), History of Architecture, Introduction to Earthquake Engineering, Steel Structures, Gastroturizm (Gastrotourism), İnsan Hakları ve Sosyal Hizmet (Human Rights and Social Work), Web Sitesi Tasarımı (Website Design), Hydrology.”

They will contribute to the education of girls with the exhibition

Exhibition titled “Gel Gözüm Gör İstanbul’u” (See the beauty of Istanbul), developed as a social responsibility project, has been opened to access digitally. The aim of the exhibition is to reveal the unprecedented places of Istanbul, to empathize with their surroundings, to combine students' interest and work in a project focus, and to contribute to the education of girls.

Developed as a social responsibility project under the coordination of Asst. Prof. Dr. Radife Akyıldız Ongar from the Department of Radio, Television and Cinema of Istanbul Gelisim University (IGU) Faculty of Fine Arts, with the assistants of Res. Asst. Eda Çekemci and Res. Asst. Okan Kırbaç, Exhibition titled “Gel Gözüm Gör İstanbul’u” (See the beauty of Istanbul) was opened digitally.

In addition to the 3rd and 4th grade students of the Radio, Television and Cinema Department, the Istanbul-themed photographs shot by Asst. Prof. Dr. Radife Akyıldız Ongar and Asst. Prof. Dr. Ali Kemal Çipe are featured, and an impressive and aesthetic panorama of the city is presented.

Project coordinator Asst. Prof. Dr. Radife Akyıldız Ongar informed that the photographs in the exhibition will be shared with the Association for Supporting Contemporary Life (ÇYDD) at the end of the exhibition and stated that they set out with the aim of using the proceeds from the sale of more than 70 photographs in the education and activities of girls.

Expressing her happiness and pride for the realization of the project, Ongar concluded her speech as follows:

“It is gratifying that the project, which we started to work on in September 2020, was completed at the end of the six-month working period. In this project, we tried to see Istanbul through the eyes of young people. We had to choose from a large number of photos. I would like to thank all of our 3rd and 4th grade students who contributed to the project and I am proud of each and every one of them. They created original works by working under the conditions allowed by the pandemic period. My students who work devotedly and make film studies also have a special place. Their careful and valuable work has honored us. I wish them to maintain this sensitivity in their future studies. I embrace them all with love.”

Another work in the exhibition, the Istanbul promotional video of Atakan Berkey Güler, a 4th grade student at the Department of Radio, Television and Cinema, can also be watched online.

Students commemorate 18 March with a group exhibition

Istanbul Gelisim University (IGU) students commemorate the 18 March Martyrs' Day and the 106th anniversary of the Çanakkale Naval Victory with a digital group exhibition.

Organized under the coordination of Istanbul Gelisim University Fine Arts Faculty Graphic Design Department Lecturer İrem Fulya Özkan, 18 March Martyrs' Memorial Day and Çanakkale Naval Victory digital group exhibition consisting of student projects met with art lovers.

Stating that the Çanakkale Naval Victory of 18 March changed the course of history and proved the Turkish nation's passion for independence to the whole world, IGU Fine Arts Faculty Dean Prof. Dr. Şükran Güzin Ilıcak Aydınalp said: “We wanted to commemorate our martyrs, veterans and all unnamed heroes who made this land our homeland. It was also an important project in terms of young generations to feel the sense of unity and solidarity.”

The students who took part in the exhibition called 'Abstract Typography' are as follows:

“Aysemen Erdoğan, Ayşe Aksu, Ayten Baran, Fatma Nur Yürük, Gülben Alkan, Melek Gülşen, Rümeyza Hilal Tonbul, Sude Gavrilov, Sude Solak, Şeyma Ünlü, Tuğçe Çakır, Yeşim Adam, Zeynep Fırat, Zilan Bozan, Zümrüt Aydın”

Middle East Symposium will be held for the 6th time this year

The International Middle East Symposium will be organized for the 6th time this year by Istanbul Gelisim University (IGU). Providing information about the symposium in which many local and foreign scientists will come together, Assoc. Prof. Dr. Yavuz Çillier said: “We aim to reveal the changes in the socio-political structure in the region by examining the reasons for the changes in the region from a political, social, historical, economic and cultural perspective.”

Many local and foreign scientists will come together on Tuesday, May 18 within the scope of the "Change in the Middle East with its Socio-Political Aspects" symposium. Giving information about the symposium organized by Istanbul Gelisim University Department of Political Science and International Relations, Istanbul Gelisim University Political Research Center (IGUSAM) and Turkish - Arab Economic and Strategic Cooperation Association (TASCA), Assoc. Prof. Dr. Yavuz Çillier said: " It has been at the center of international politics for a long time due to the ethnic and sect-based conflicts between the countries in the region and the terrorism and refugee crises arising from the political vacuum created by these conflicts. All struggles, conflicts and crises are causing the Middle East region to undergo political, economic and social change continuously. In order to make correct analysis of the socio-political changes in the region, studies that carefully examine the dynamics of the region are needed.”

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The topics of the symposium were listed as follows:

“Migration and Integration, Politics and Economy, Media, Society and Politics, Regional Gender Movements, Terrorism and Civil Society, Nation State and Political System, Youth Movements, Regional Power Struggles and Security Policies, Religion and Politics, International Organizations and Non-State Organizations, Society and Culture, Interaction Between Middle East Countries and Global Powers.”