

# ISTANBUL GELISIM UNIVERSITY



Abdulkadir Gayretli

Chairman of the Board of Trustees

## CHAIRMAN'S MESSAGE

The steps we have taken at Istanbul Gelisim University towards internationalization and the goal of becoming a worldwide university have had a significant impact. In the evaluation which determined the best universities in Asia (also known as the Oscars of higher education) and in which only 7 universities from around the world have been chosen, IGU is the only university from Turkey to have reached the finals with the 'Best Internationalization Strategy' in the Times Higher Education Asia (THE) 2019 Awards. At our campus in Istanbul, Turkey's and the world's financial/commercial center, we offer you a safe and qualified student life.

## **VISION**

The International Students Office carries out different national and international activities, which aim to reach every international student wishing to enroll in our university, and establishes partnerships with higher education institutions all around the World.

## MISSION

The International Students Office has been carrying the admissions and activities of international students at Istanbul Gelisim University since January 2018. Since then, the university has carried out many national and international activities; such as Promotional Fairs, Internationalization Activities, Advertising Networks and the IGU International Student Exam (IGUYÖS)

# What are the privileges of studying at university in Turkey? What is the importance of an internationally valid diploma? Which profession is more suitable for me?

#### THE WORLD GOES AROUND

# Crazy Questions in Your Head

In a world that is changing with pandemic, digital technologies, and cultural transformation, the path to your goals is fraught with of questions

You need to explore, **learn, move forward,** and make sure the path to your goals is safe.

You are about to take your first step into the university life that we believe will unearth your potential in your education and career journey. Are you ready to play an active role in your own future and your country's with international students from all over the world at Istanbul Gelisim University?

Let's get it started!

# WHAT ARE THE PRIVILEGES OF STUDYING AT A UNIVERSITY IN TURKEY?

# Academic

- Printed Publication and Online Resources
- International Accreditations
- Number of Turkish and Foreign Professors
- National and International Achievements
- Laboratories
- Number of Patents
- Double and minor major opportunities
- Erasmus Exchange Program
- Support of Foreign Languages (repeated twice)
- Support of Foreign Languages
- Benefits for Students

# Social

- Student Clubs
- Free Time Social Activities
- Continuing Education Center
   Activities and Certificate Programs
- Job and Internship Opportunities
- Transportation & Location

# Always

# MULTIDIRECTIONAL IMPROVEMENT



*36.227*Student

39.954 Alumni 5.500
International Student





Gelisim is both a target and a goal. Gelisim is a Huma Bird. It is not the strength of its wings, but the Huma bird's ability to fly non-stop that makes it soar to the highest altitudes. Istanbul Gelisim Vocational School was founded in 2008 with the goal of pushing the limits every day, creating something better for its students and the institution than the day before. In 2011, the institution made a significant transformation and became Istanbul Gelisim University.

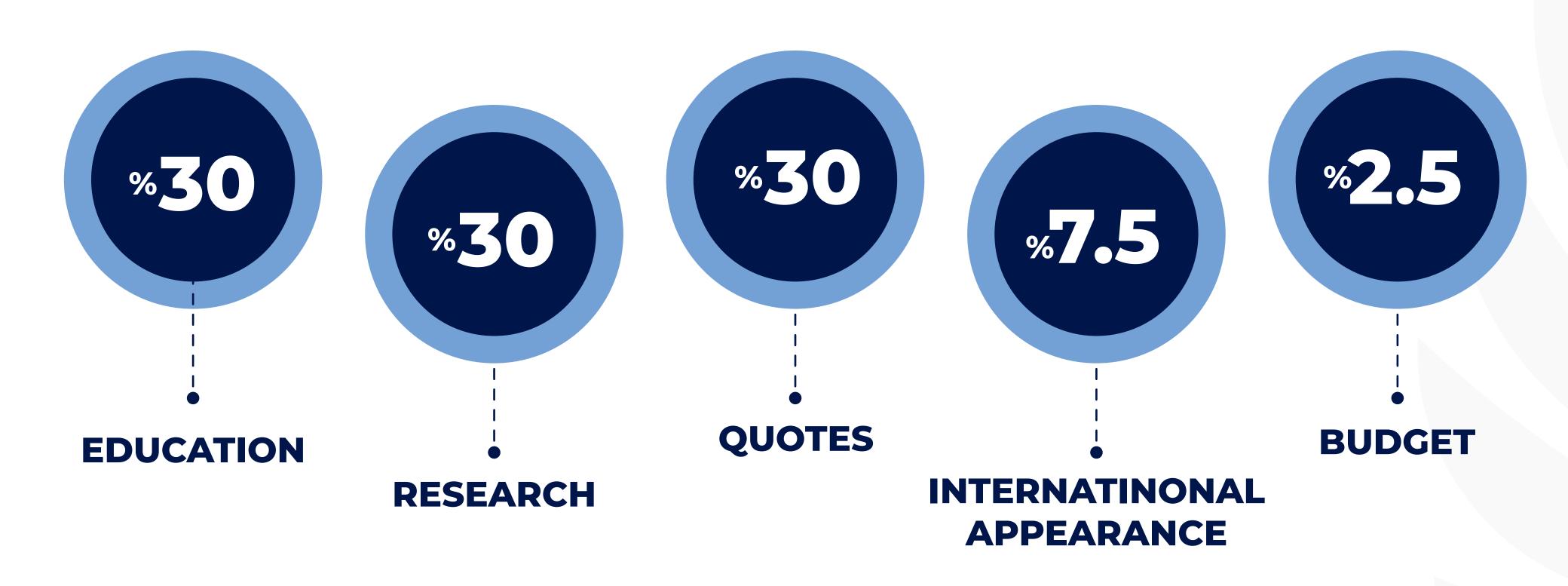


# IMPROVEMENT OF JOURNEY Our Achievements

#### ACCORDING TO TIMES HIGHER EDUCATION 2022 REPORT

#### IN TURKEY

We increased our success in THE list where we ranked 24th in 2021 and rose to 16th place.





The prestigious international higher education rating agency THE (Times Higher Education), known as the Oscar of Higher Education, is among the top 100 universities in the world that provide the best quality education in the University Impact Ranking (Impact Ranking 2020), which aims to measure the contributions of universities to the sustainable development of societies.





# 37TH IN QS EECA

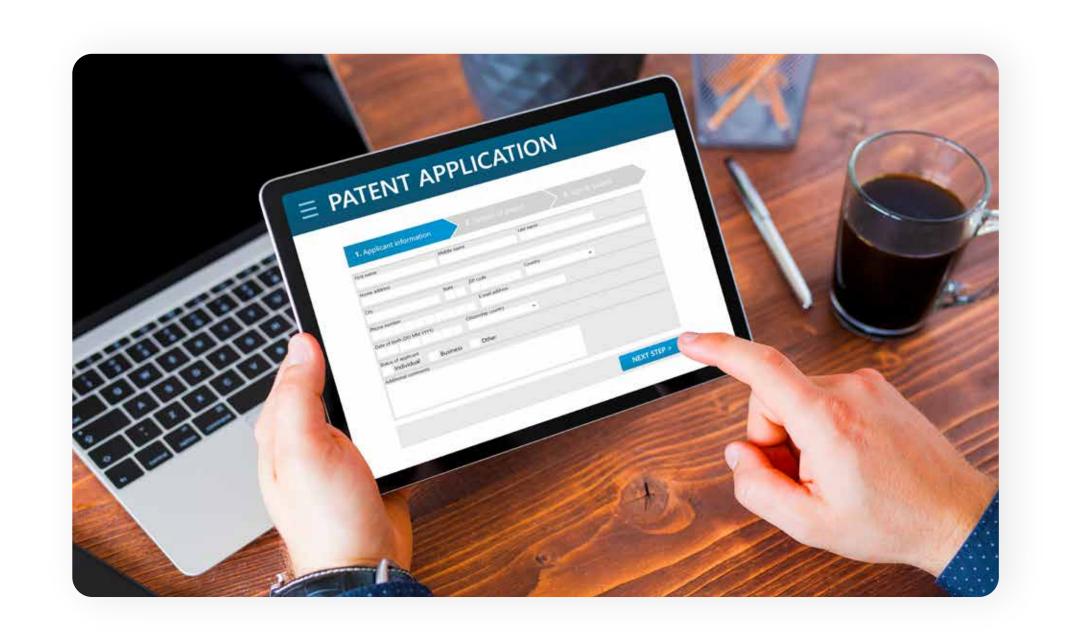
We were one of the top 350 universities in the 2021 report of the higher education rating agency QS's World University Rankings.



#### 500. WORLD UNIVERSITY

We ranked 500th among 4,126 universities in the SCIMAGO 2021 World University Rankings.







#### TURKIYE PATENT WINNER

With our Technology Transfer Office, we became the university that applied for the most patents in Turkey according to the first half of 2022.



#### FIRST SUSTAINABILITY LESSON

We teach sustainability as a compulsory course and prepare students for the world of the future with the principle of Ecological, Economic and Social Sustainability.



# 4 ACADEMICIANS ON THE LIST OF THE WORLD'S MOST INFLUENTIAL SCIENTISTS

Stanford University in the United States included four of our academicians on its list of the world's most influential scientists. The "World Top 2% Scientists" list ranks the world's most influential scientists using a scientific impact index.



**Asst. Prof. Dr. Shehzad Ashraf**Faculty of Architecture and Engineering



Asst. Prof. Dr Andrew Alola
Faculty of Economics, Administrative and
Social Sciences



Prof. Dr. Kemal Türker
Faculty of Dentistry



Asst. Prof. Dr Festus Bekun
Faculty of Economics, Administrative and
Social Sciences

# 65 INTERNATIONALLY ACCREDITED PROGRAMS

As a result of quality assurance audits, our 65 programs have been accredited by AQAS, AHPGS, PEARSON, ABET organizations. We are as the first and only university in Turkey with the most internationally accredited programs, our emphasis on globalization in education provides privilege all over the world



**AQAS:** It is the institution evaluating more than 5,000 programs around the world. It has accredited educational programs of which more than 90 German universities are members.



**AHPGS:** : The German organization conducts the accreditation of training in health and social sciences. It has completed the accreditation of more than 1,200 programs in more than 120 countries.



**PEARSON:** Based in the UK, Pearson is internationally accredited for education programs in the field of English education, especially for foreign students.



**ABET:** : The ''Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology'' inspects engineering faculties.



# Turkey's Most Recognized University in Other Countries

IGU is recognized in



# IN 4 DIFFERENT CATEGORIES AVIATION ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS

We have received awards in 4 different categories by the "Aviation Achievement Awards", which register the success and excellence in the aviation industry.



#### Flight Dispatchers Awards

Gelisim Vocational School Flight Operations Management Program



#### Aircraft Technology Department Award

Istanbul Gelisim Vocational School Aircraft Technology Program



# Department of Aeronautical Engineering

Istanbul Gelisim Vocational School Aircraft Technology Program



#### Airframe Engine Maintenance Department Award

Faculty of Applied Sciences Aircraft
Maintenance and Repair Department&
Faculty of Engineering and Architecture
Department of Aeronautical Engineering

#### **OUR ACHIEVMENTS**



#### ASCE Lifelines 2021-2022

The article "Effects of Ground Strain and Pipeline Orientation on Pipeline Damage During Earthquakes", contributed by Lect. Muhammet Ceylan, was presented at ASCE-UCLA Lifelines Conference, one of the largest conferences in the world, 2021-2022.



#### **Hezel News**

Caner Tıkız, a student at the Department of Radio, Television and Cinema of the Faculty of Economics, Administrative and Social Sciences, came third in the Television Program category with "Hezel News".



#### **Best Academic Researcher**

Construction Technologies Program Inst. See.
Muhammet Ceylan's report "Effects of Ground Strain and Pipeline Orientation on Pipeline Damage During Earthquakes" was presented at the 2021-2022
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#### **Competition of Future Communicators**

Faculty of Fine Arts and İİBF Radio, Television and Cinema Department students won the Podcast category in the TRT Communicators of the Future Competition, where 1360 participants from 121 universities competed.



#### DIRECTORATE GENERAL OF CIVIL AVIATION

# RECOGNIZED SCHOOL CERTIFICATION

While the higher education institution in Turkey has the "Recognized School" certificate, we have the certification as "Recognized School" within the scope of "Aircraft Engine Maintenance Department" at the undergraduate program level and "Aircraft Technology Program" at the associate degree level.



# PHYSICAL EDUCATION AND SPORTS SCHOOL AWARDS



2019
Istanbul Gelisim University
Futsal Team Istanbul Championship



2019Turkish university sportsWomen's Basketball Championship



2019Turkish university sportsMen's Basketball Championship



2019
Turkish university sports
Men's Volleyball Championship



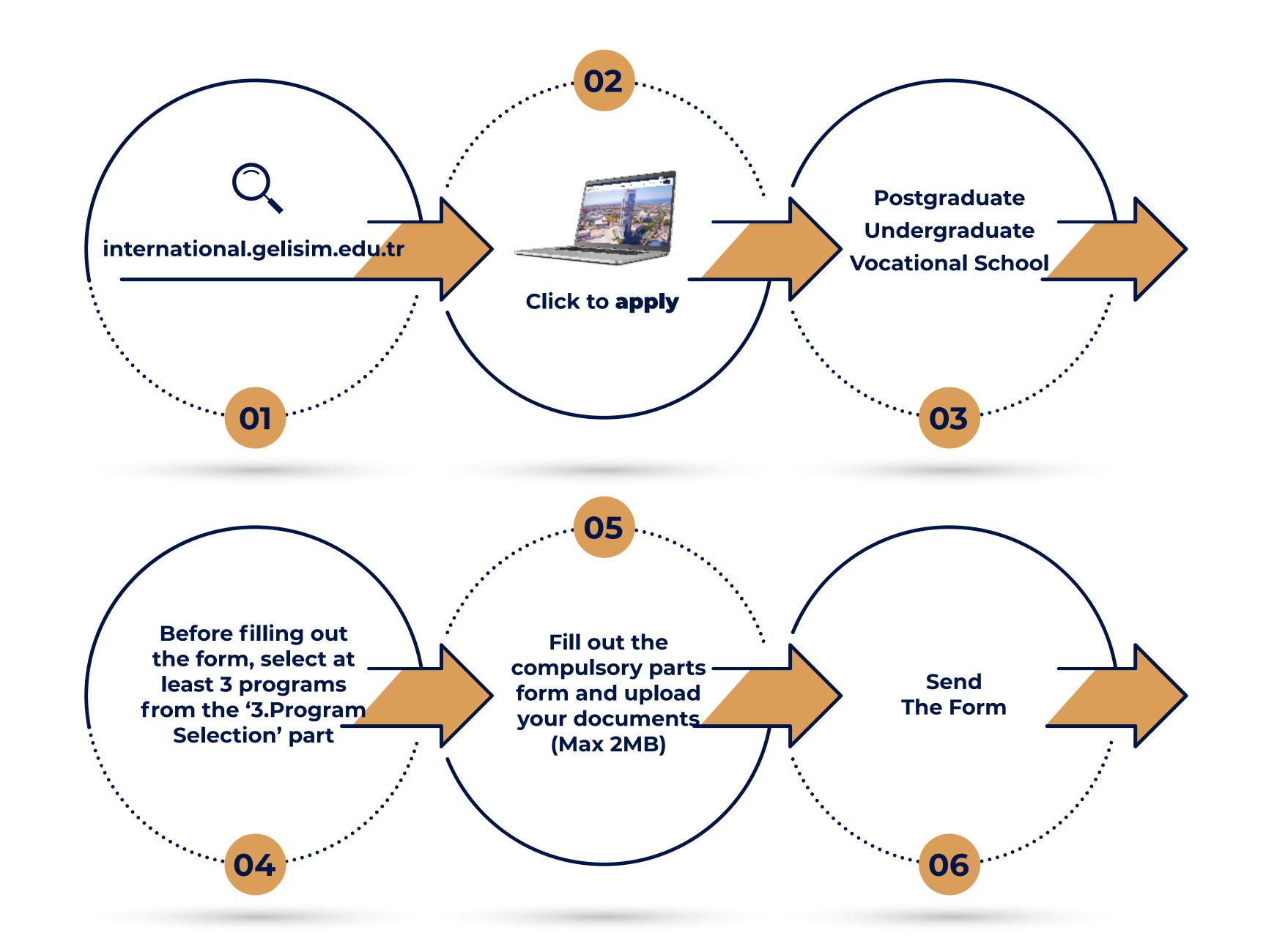
2019
Turkish university sports
women's volleyball championship



#### INTERNATIONAL STUDENT OFFICE

#### **Admission & Opportunities**

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#### SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Istanbul Gelisim University offers various scholarship opportunities to international students according to the criteria set by it. These scholarships, as a result of the Foreign Student Exam (YÖS) held within the school, can be obtained by students who achieve success according to the high school graduation grades of the students who obtain an International Diploma or on in the form of free double major opportunities on the condition that their general score average in the first year of higher education is not lower than 2.72



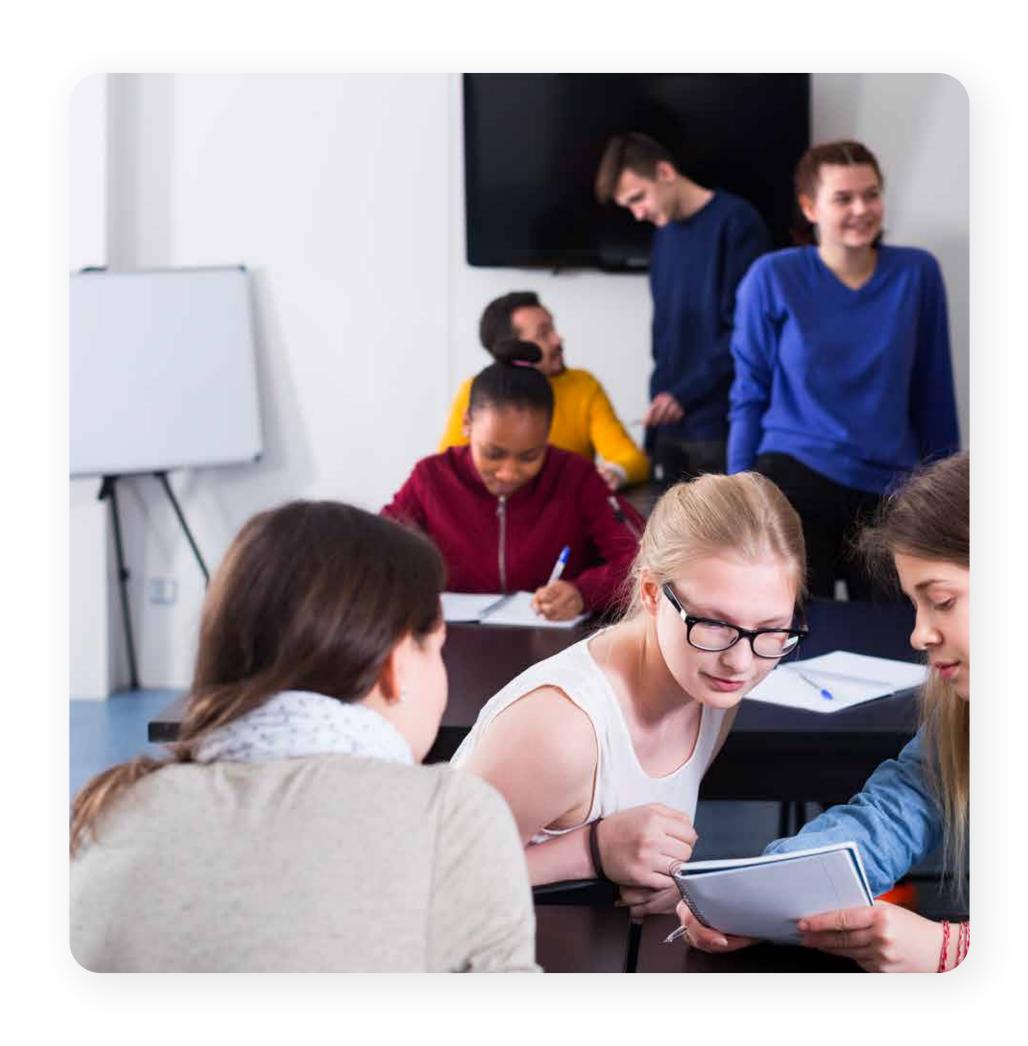






## IGU IS ALWAYS WITH YOU!

We stand with our students as they study and prepare for life while taking jobs after graduation that will benefit society and the country.





#### DOUBLE MAJOR & MINOR

A program called: double majors enables a student to concurrently pursue studies in two undergraduate or associate degree departments. Istanbul Gelisim University offers a double major program to its students free of charge. Students who enter the 20% success rate in the undergraduate/associate degree program and have a major program GPA of 2.72 out of 4.00 are eligible to enroll for free in the second major diploma program.

Minor Program: Refers to the program that allows a student enrolled in a diploma program to receive a non-degree replacement document (minor certificate) by taking a limited number of courses for a specific subject within the scope of another diploma program within the same higher education institution, provided that he/she meets the prescribed conditions.

#### I HAVE A PROJECT

While providing technical support to the projects that may happen as a result of the tools of academicians and students at the university in the field of patent and utility models, the Technology and Transfer Office plays an active role in the field of R&D.



Walking Stick for the Visually Impaired People



Babayiğit ve Çarpışma Sistemi



**Eczamatik** 



Flying Car



## LIBRARIES

#socialdevelopment We serve more than 1,100 people.







# **INNOVATIVE LESSONS**

**#socialdevelopment** principle, our university aims to provide its students with innovative courses and all information about their professional and personal goals.

# PRIVILEGES OF BEING GELISIM STUDENT

# More



Competent and well-equipped education advantage in intercultural academic environment

Feeling yourself in the warm environment

Certification with free minor programs possibility according to your interests

Special academic action plan for students with career map

Free "Weekend School" program for English department students

Academic education in a university intertwined with the city and integrated with the name of the city

Foreign language scholarship for students who score at least 70 on the YÖKDİL exam

Taking an active role in research projects and completing a project without graduating

"First Foundation Pack" support for graduate students who start their own business

Taking part in national and international organizations in cooperation with student clubs

Taking online courses with Skype from academicians who are experts in their fields in the UK



To provide international education opportunities to the students while having the most accredited departments in Turkey



To realize national and international organizations through student clubs,



To be able to receive practical training in our laboratories equipped with high technology,



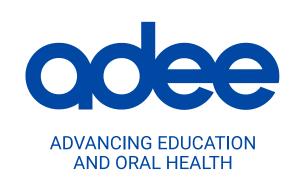
Studying in Istanbul, considered one of the most important commercial cities connecting the Asian and European continents



- Oral, Dental and Maxillofacial Surgery
- Radilogy
- Endodontics
- Orthodontics

- Periodontology
- Prosthetic Dentistry
- Restorative Dentistry
- Pediatric Dentistry









- International Trade and Finance
- Management Information Systems
- Political Science and International Relations
- International Trade and Management
- Political Science and Public Administration
- New Media and Communication Systems
- English Language and Literature
- Economics and Finance

- Aviation Management
- Public Relations and Publicity
- Advertising
- Logistics Management
- Radio, Television and Cinema
- Psychology
- Business Administration



Visit our website for detailed information.



AGENTUR FÜR QUALITÄTSSICHERUNG DURCH AKKREDITIERUNG VON





- Communication and Design
- Interior Architecture and Environmental Design
- Interior Architecture
- Graphic Design

- Interior Architecture and Environmental Design (ingilizce)
- Gastronomy and Culinary Arts
- Radio, Television and Cinema











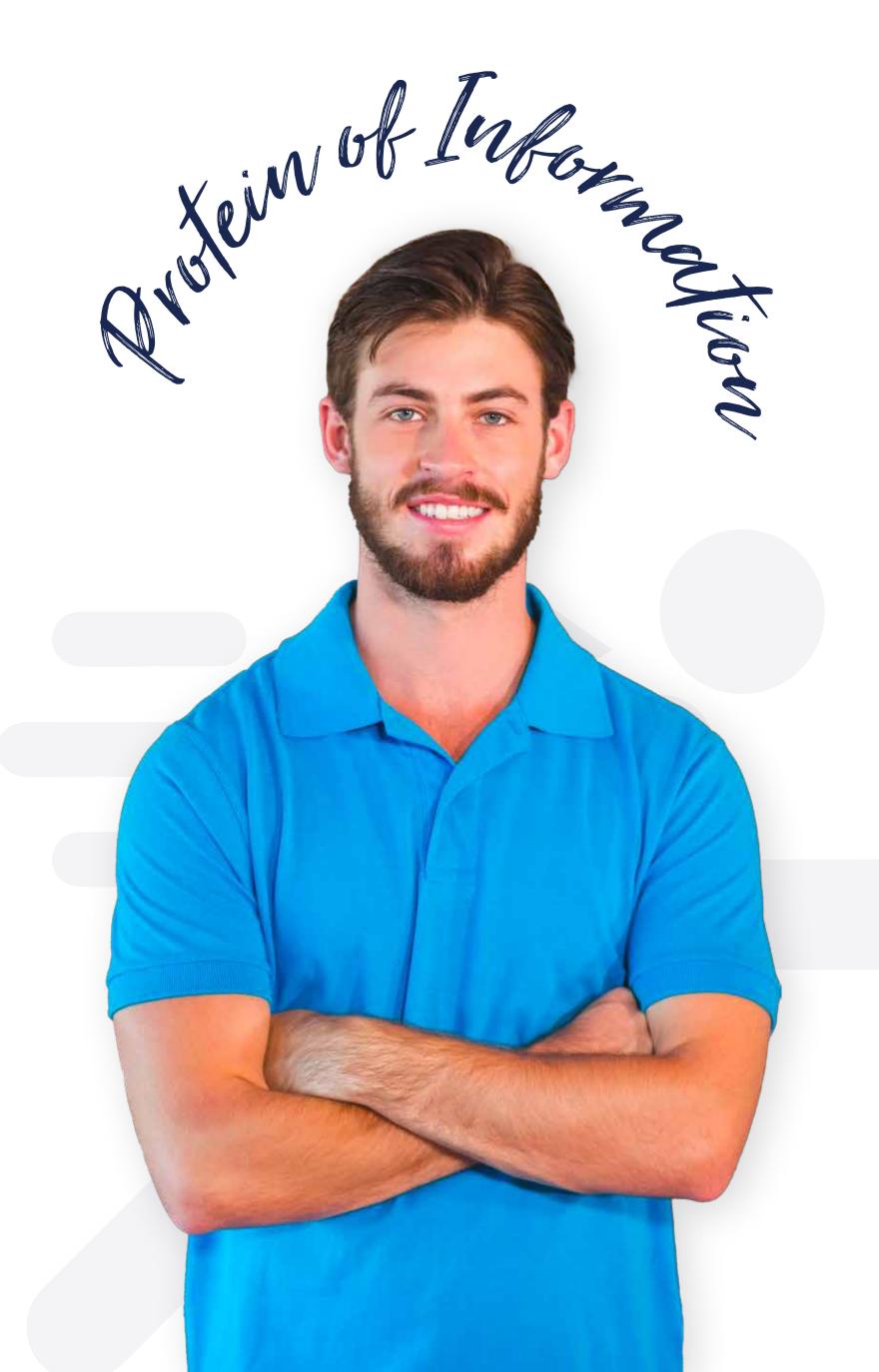
- Coaching Education
- Coaching Training (English)

- Recreation
- Sports Management
- Exercise and Sports
   Sciences in Persons
   with Disabilities











- Banking and Insurance
- Gastronomy and Culinary Arts
- Public Relations and Advertising
- Management Information Systems
- Aviation Management

- Aircraft Maintenance and Repair
- Electronic Commerce and Management
- Aviation Electrical and Electronics
- Translation and Interpreting (English)
- Television Journalism and Programming





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- Oral and Dental Health
- Operating Room Services
- Biomedical Device Technology
- Child Development
- Dental Prothesis Technology
- Dialysis

- Laboratory Technology
- Audiometry
- Opticinary
- Orthopedic Prosthesis and Orthosis
- Autopsy Assistant
- Pathology Laboratory
- Techniques Padology







## "About the Department"

There is foreign language department, the School of Foreign Languages and an English preparatory program under that department. The program provides foreign language instructions for students who will be studying in English departments. The English Preparatory Program provides education up to the B2 level according to the European Common Application Text for Languages (CEFR).









- Justice
- Culinary
- Banking and Insurance
- Information Security and Technology
- Computer Assisted Design and Animation
- Computer Programming
- Computer Technology

- Information Security and Technology
- Electrical and Electronics Technology
- Food Technology
- Graphic Design
- Public Relations and Publicity
- Air Logistics
- Interior Design
- Human Resources Management











- Nutrition and Dietetics
- Child Development
- Language and Speech Therapy
- Ergotheraphy
- Physiotherapy and Rehabilitation

- Healthcare Management
- Nursing
- Audiology
- Perfusion
- Social Services









- Psychology of Addiction
- Nutrition and Dietetics
- Economics and Finance
- Electrical and Electronics
   Engineering
- Physiotherapy and Rehabilitation

- Aviation Management
- Visual Communication And Design
- Safety Studies
- Public Relations and Promotion
- Aviation Management
- Gastronomy









- Computer Engineering
- Industrial Engineering
- Mechatronics Engineering
- Architecture (English-Turkish)
- Aeronautical Engineering (English

- Aeronautical Engineering
- Electrical and Electronics
- Civil Engineering
- Software Engineering





Engineering Accreditation Commission







## **Innovation Center**

**#We believe** in the power of innovation for a sustainable future and we continue to develop in the fields of biochemistry, biomass, translational, and bioenergy with our 7 different research laboratories.



## Technology Center

**#technologicaldevelopmentwe** work in the basic science and engineering fields that are connected at every stage and pave the way for the emergence of value-added products in the fields where biotechnology intersects with electronics.



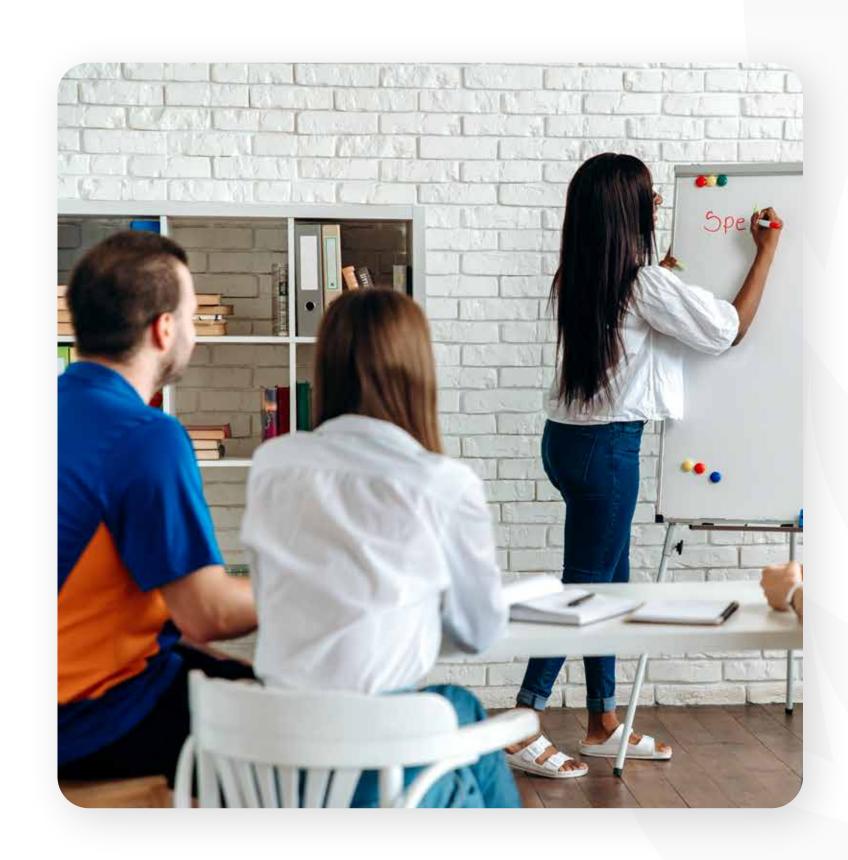
### Explore, Learn, Have Fun

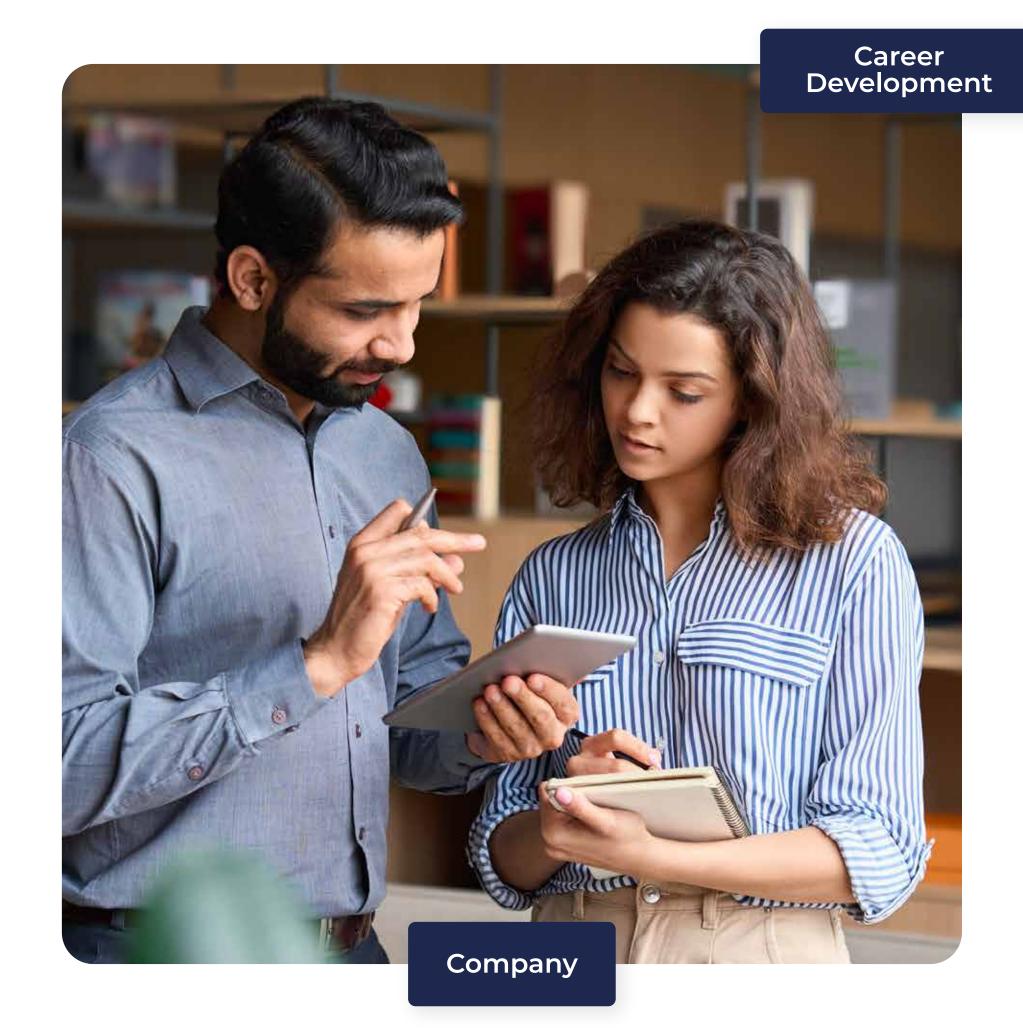
### STUDENT CLUBS

In order to make the time spent at the university valuable and interesting, student clubs conduct activities that will contribute to the personal development of students for health, sports, culture, and other social needs.

## What Do Student Clubs Contribute?

- One of the most effective uses of your time according to your interests
- ✓ With your education, you will increase your knowledge in the socio cultural field, gain experience to reveal and evaluate your potential
- Engage in activities that will support your mental and physical development work, keep your motivation high in addition to regular and disciplined work, develop directionally in all areas, not one-way in one area
- ✓ Gaining new areas where you can discover yourself
- ✓ Transforming academic processes into personal characteristics in your social life
- ✓ To develop the connections you will establish in the business world
- √ To interact with experienced company executives in the private sector







## INTERNSHIP IN IGU IS VERY EASY

The Journey of a career is an exciting and instructive path starting from the internship period to specialization. At Istanbul Gelisim University, students can do internships at the institutions they have arranged themselves or in places where agreements are made by the university

#### **ACADEMIC** CAREER

- Have an advanced level of English language.
- Learn the Turkish language.
- Search statistics programs.
- Aim for master and Ph.D. degrees.
- Read more and do research to deepen.
- By taking part in the studies of an article at the university, participate in the national conference.
- Maintain a high GPA while in university and get prepare for Ales and YDS exams.
- Take a role in a social responsibility project.
- Take part in student club activities of your department.



#### STARTING YOUR OWN BUSINESS





Search KOSGEB (Small and Medium Enterprises Development Organization) • and Technoparks and follow their announcements.

Improve your skills in social media management and digital marketing. •

Create more networks by participating in career days and fairs organized by Career Development Center.

Experience the founding club by taking part in the student club establishment. •

Take a role in a social responsibility project. •

### A CAREER IN PRIVATE SECTOR

- Get to know the career development center by meeting with the peer mentor of your departmentfrom the first semester of university.
- Busing LinkedIn to get business connections in your sector.
- Develop your competencies by participating in the Career
- Development Center's competency training.
- Create a network with important companies, brands, and officials of the sector by participating in career days and fairs held by Career Development Center.
- Take a role in a social responsibility project.
- Get work experience while you are a student by enrolling in the Talent Gate and National Internship Program which is provided by the Presidency of the republic of Türkiye HR Office.
- Take an active role in the student clubs by following the activities of student clubs, especially in your own department.



# DISCOVER YOURSELF WITH THE ERASMUS+ PROJECT

Istanbul Gelisim University(IGU) conducts numerous activities to provide its students with a visionary perspective and to help them learn about the world. Thanks to its exchange programs with more than 155 universities, IGU helps its students study abroad under the Erasmus+ program. In addition, IGU maintains academic cooperation with 33 universities abroad

## Students participating in the Erasmus+ Program

- Take the chance to meet different cultures.
- ✓ Learn the language and turns it into practice in their daily life.
- ✓ Students can discover new places by traveling.
- ✓ Students can gain a social environment from different countries.
- ✓ Students learn to take responsibility and motivate themselves with these experiences.
- ✓ Students can make their CVs more effective thanks to this program.





### Explore, Learn, Have Fun

### TRANSPORTATION AT IGU

Istanbul Gelişim University (IGU), established in 2008 in the turkish capital Istanbul, is a popular choice among students due to its convenient location. In this regard, IGU, which is located in a city like Istanbul, where almost all economic activities and large corporations are concentrated, attracts students from outside of the city. IGU, which has three campuses in Avcilar, is within a walking distance the metrobus line that connects the Asian and European continents and provides fast transportation in Istanbul. Students can easily get around thanks to the free shuttle buses that provide metro buses and transportation between campuses.



