

## Country-Specific Info 2018

### Spain

Total number of higher education institutions (universities) included in U-Multirank

75

#### A. University coverage



U-Multirank's 2018 edition presents data on 75 Spanish higher education institutions.

**New this year:** U-Multirank has created a new 'Study in...' section highlighting study destinations for students. To explore 'Study in Spain', follow this [link](#).

For the full list of all universities from Spain included in U-Multirank, please follow this [link](#).

\*Please note the list is sorted in alphabetical order by countries and then university names.

#### B. Spain's higher education performance in U-Multirank

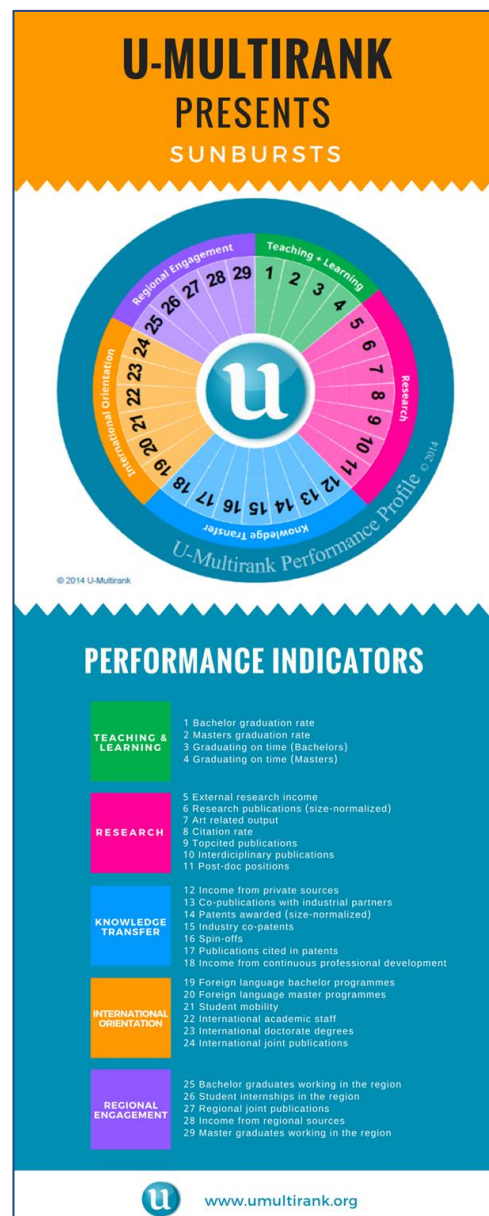
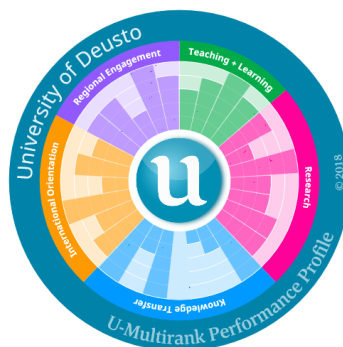
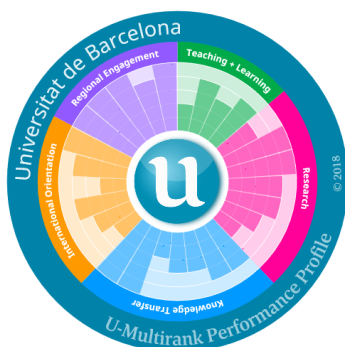
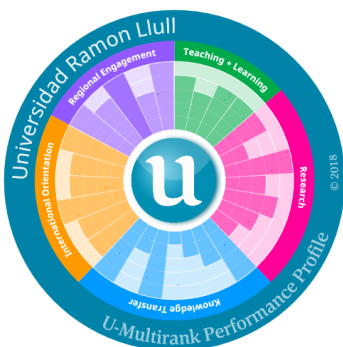
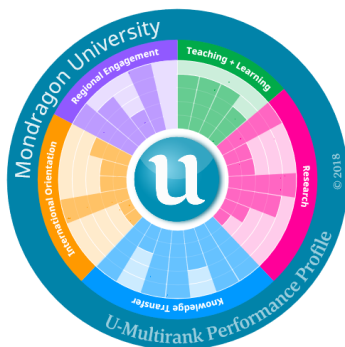
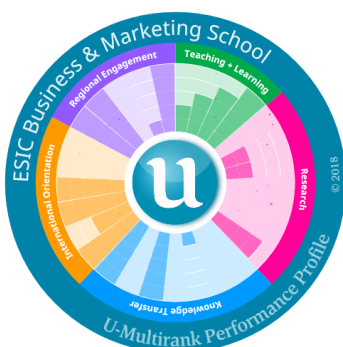
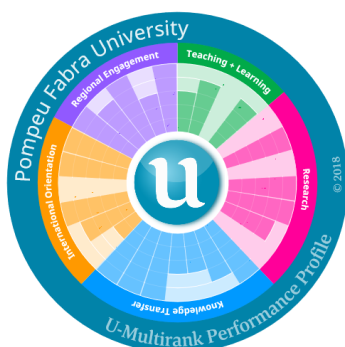


1. U-Multirank covers almost 100 per cent of all Spanish universities.
2. Spanish universities show a strong regional focus regarding joint publications, internships and graduate employment.
3. At the same time, Spanish universities perform strongly in Student Mobility, a unique indicator to U-Multirank measuring not only incoming, but also outgoing student mobility.
4. Ties with industry are strong – Spanish universities receive much of their income from continuous professional development; many graduates of Spanish universities found their own companies.
5. Pompeu Fabra University (13), ESIC Business & Marketing School (11), Mondragon University (11), Universidad Ramon Llull (11), University of Barcelona (10), and University of Deusto (10) have the highest number of top scores.

## C. Universities with the highest number of overall top scores

In this section we highlight the five universities receiving the highest number of 'A' (very good) scores on the institutional level for the respective country (*in the event of ties, more universities will be shown*). **Using our unique sunburst chart, a clear picture is shown of the university's overall performance (the longer the bar, the higher the score).** Although the number of 'A' scores shows top performance for the respective university, it does not imply one university is the 'best' in the country, as each university profile highlights different strengths. A key guard is provided for the sunburst chart. For a list of definitions and calculations of indicators, see our [Indicator Book](#).

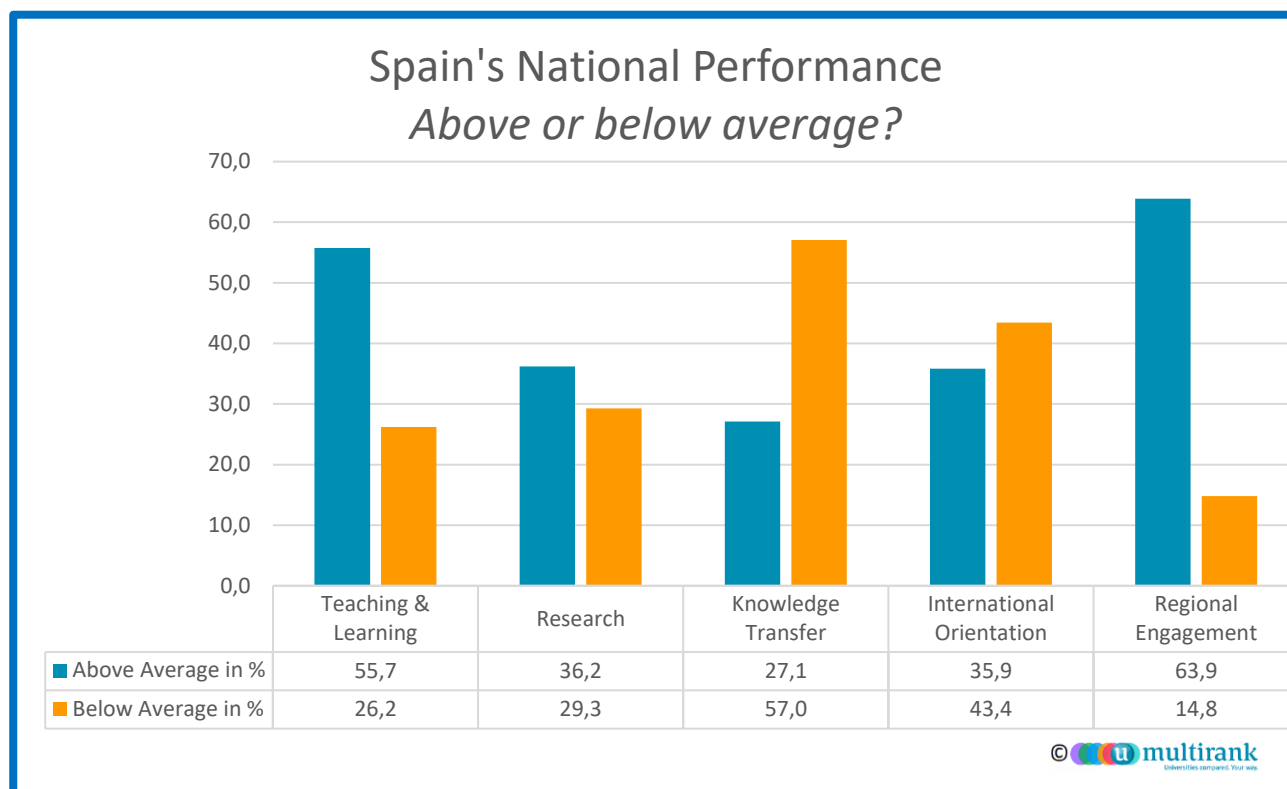
Spanish universities with the highest number of overall top scores in 2018	Total 'A' scores 2018	Total 'A' scores 2017
<b>Pompeu Fabra University</b>	<b>13 ↓</b>	<b>20</b>
<b>ESIC Business &amp; Marketing School</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>NEW</b>
<b>Mondragon University</b>	<b>11 ↓</b>	<b>13</b>
<b>Universidad Ramon Llull</b>	<b>11 ↑</b>	<b>10</b>
<b>Universitat de Barcelona</b>	<b>10 ↑</b>	<b>9</b>
<b>University of Deusto</b>	<b>10 =</b>	<b>10</b>



## D. National performance: above or below average?

In this section we highlight the overall performance of Spanish universities on the institutional level per U-Multirank dimension. The below table shows the national breakdown of Spanish universities and how they stand across the spectrum of above average (receiving a score of 'A' (very good) or 'B' (good)), or below average (receiving a score of 'D' (below average) or 'E' (weak)). In doing so, U-Multirank offers a clear picture on the countries strengths, and areas for improvement.

Spanish higher education institutions perform strongest in U-Multirank's Teaching & Learning, Research and Regional Engagement dimensions.



## E. Global top 25 performers lists

In this section, U-Multirank presents the global Top 25 performers in a set of 9 indicators measuring different dimensions of performance. These lists highlight the 25 top-performing universities from around the world with the highest scores.

Spanish universities that have achieved a global Top 25 score are listed under the respective categories:

### Dimension Research

1. Research publications (absolute numbers)
2. Top-cited publications
3. Interdisciplinary publications

San Jorge University

### Dimension Knowledge Transfer

4. Co-publications with industrial partners
  5. Patents awarded (size-normalised)
  6. Income from continuous professional development
- *ESIC Business & Marketing School*
  - *Madrid Open University (MOU)*
  - *Universidad Nebrija*
  - *University of Navarra*

### Dimension International Orientation

7. Student mobility
8. International joint publications

### Dimension Regional Engagement

9. Regional joint publications
- *Catholic University of Valencia San Vicente Mártir*
  - *University Alfonso X El Sabio*

For the full lists, follow this [link](#).



## F. Annex

### Detailed results:

If you want to analyse further the performance of the universities in your country you can click the following links. The below links lead directly to the national results pages where we pre-filtered the universities in your country into one list (for the university as a whole and for the subject areas included in U-Multirank so far). You can use the table to produce national rankings (see image below), or for personalised interactive analyses with the data. If you're interested in tailor-made tables (institutional level, subject level, or with a specific focus in mind, such as internationalisation), please contact us, at [info@umultirank.org](mailto:info@umultirank.org). These links are also accessible via your country's 'Study in' page.

**Note: The links will be accessible, starting the day of the release at 10:30 CET.**

University		Teaching & Learning		Research		Knowledge Transfer		International Orientation		Regional Engagement	
Your selection: 75 universities		Bachelor graduation rate	Graduating on time (masters)	Citation rate	Research publications (size-normalised)	Co-publications with industrial partners	Patents awarded (size-normalised)	Student mobility	International joint publications	Bachelor graduates working in the region	Regional joint publications
Universitat Pompeu Fabra	ES	C	B	A	A	B	C	A	A	A	A
Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona	ES	D	B	B	A	B	C	A	B	A	A
Universitat de Barcelona	ES	D	B	B	A	B	C	B	A	A	A
Universidad de Navarra	ES	C	A	B	A	A	C	B	B	D	A
Universitat Ramon Llull	ES	B	B	C	D	C	D	A	A	A	A
Mondragón University	ES	B	C	A	D	A	C	A	C	A	D
Universidad Autónoma Madrid	ES	D	-	B	A	D	C	B	A	C	A
Universidad Antonio de Nebrija	ES	B	B	D	D	A	E	A	A	-	D
Universitat Internacional de Catalunya	ES	C	-	A	C	C	E	B	C	A	A
ESIC Business & Marketing School	ES	D	A	X	D	X	E	A	X	A	X

Image: Screenshot of national results based on institutional level

#### [Institutional Level Results](#)

#### [Subject Level Results – Dentistry \(new\)](#)

#### [Subject Level Results – Education \(new\)](#)

#### [Subject Level Results – Medicine \(update\)](#)

#### [Subject Level Results – Pharmacy \(new\)](#)

#### [Subject Level Results – Political Science \(new\)](#)

#### [Subject Level Results – Psychology \(updated\)](#)

#### [Subject Level Results – Social Work \(new\)](#)

#### [Subject Level Results – Sociology \(updated\)](#)

### Press materials:

[Advanced press release \(includes graphics and tables for download in Appendix\)](#)

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[Overview Infographic 2018](#)