

Country-Specific Info 2018

Austria

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

21

A. University coverage



U-Multirank's 2018 edition presents data on 21 Austrian higher education institutions, thereof 5 universities of applied sciences (Fachhochschulen).

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

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

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

B. Austria's higher education performance in U-Multirank

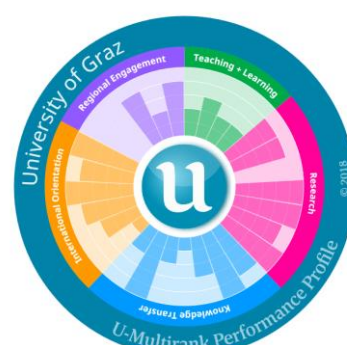
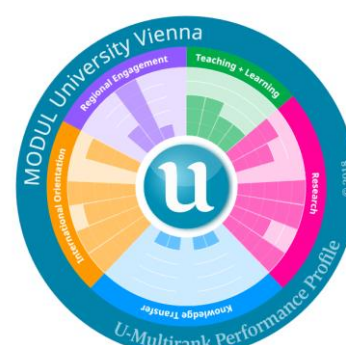
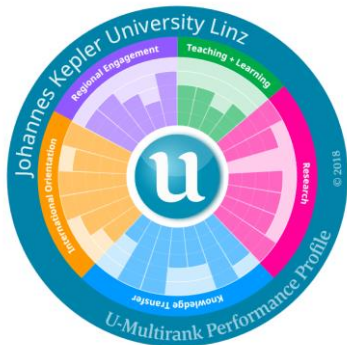
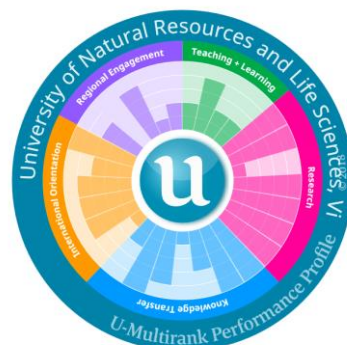
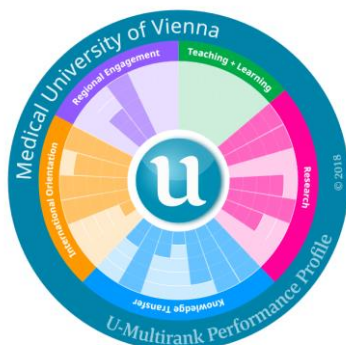
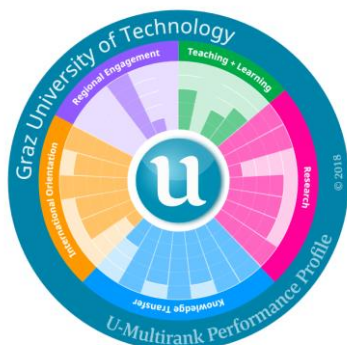


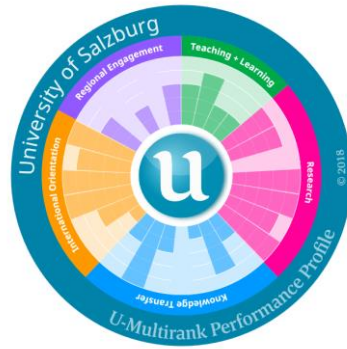
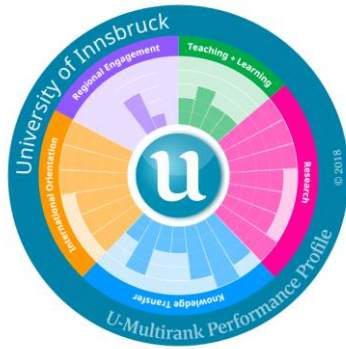
1. In U-Multirank, Austria's higher education institutions perform strongest in the Research and International Orientation dimensions. While some institutions are strong in Regional Engagement, others do not share this focus.
2. Six Austrian institutions are among the global top 25 universities performing in U-Multirank's 2018 edition in one of the following indicators: Student Mobility, Co-publications with Industry, Joint International Publications and Top-cited Publications.
3. Seven Austrian universities have a strong research impact, as shown in their global top group position in the percentage of Top-cited Publications.
4. The specialised University of Natural Resources and Life Sciences Vienna are very strong regarding Research Impact and in Co-operation with External Partners, both from industry and international sources.

C. Universities with the highest overall number of 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](#).

Austrian universities with the highest overall number of top scores	Total 'A' scores 2018	Total 'A' scores 2017
Graz University of Technology	10 =	10
Medical University of Vienna	10 ↑	9
University of Natural Resources and Life Sciences, Vienna (BOKU)	10 ↑	8
Johannes Kepler University Linz	8 ↑	9
MODUL University Vienna	8 ↑	5
University of Graz	8 ↓	9
University of Innsbruck	8 ↓	9
University of Salzburg	8 ↑	6
WU Vienna University of Economics and Business	8 ↑	7





Our unique sunburst charts give a clear picture of the university's overall performance profile across all dimensions and set of indicators (the longer the bar, the higher the score; missing bars indicate missing data).

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PERFORMANCE INDICATORS

TEACHING & LEARNING	1 Bachelor graduation rate
	2 Masters graduation rate
	3 Graduating on time (Bachelors)
	4 Graduating on time (Masters)
RESEARCH	5 External research income
	6 Research publications (size-normalized)
	7 Art related output
	8 Citation rate
	9 Topcited publications
	10 Interdisciplinary publications
	11 Post-doc positions
KNOWLEDGE TRANSFER	12 Income from private sources
	13 Co-publications with industrial partners
	14 Patents awarded (size-normalized)
	15 Industry co-patents
	16 Spin-offs
	17 Publications cited in patents
	18 Income from continuous professional development
	19 Foreign language bachelor programmes
INTERNATIONAL ORIENTATION	20 Foreign language master programmes
	21 Student mobility
	22 International academic staff
	23 International doctorate degrees
REGIONAL ENGAGEMENT	24 International joint publications
	25 Bachelor graduates working in the region
	26 Student internships in the region

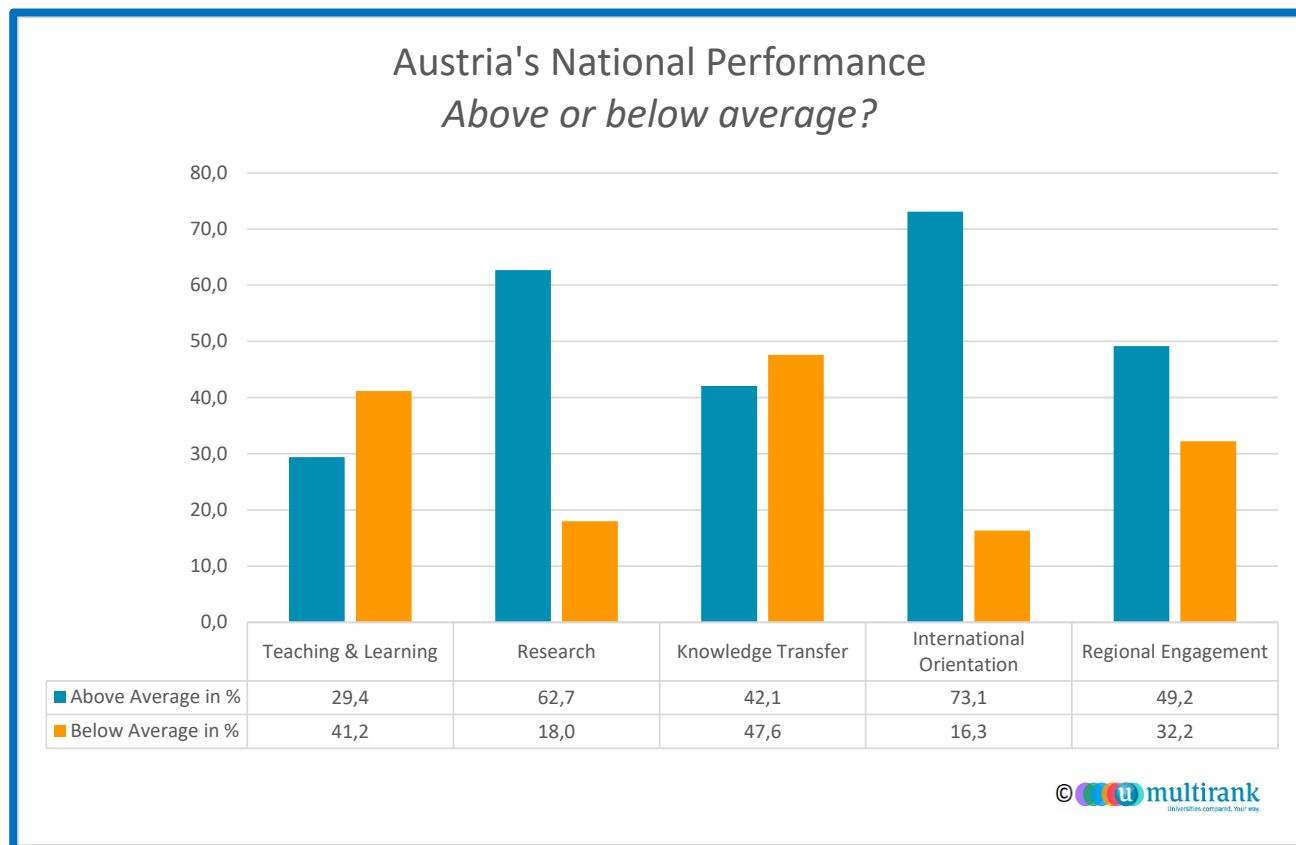
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D. National performance: above or below average?

In this section we highlight the overall performance of Austrian universities on the institutional level per U-Multirank dimension. The below table shows the national breakdown of Austrian 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.

Austria's higher education institutions perform strongest in U-Multirank's Research and International Orientation dimensions. While some institution are strong on Regional Engagement, others do not much focus on this.



E. 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.

Austrian 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
 - *MODUL University Vienna*
3. Interdisciplinary publications

Dimension Knowledge Transfer

4. Co-publications with industrial partners
 - *Montanuniversität Leoben*
 - *Graz University of Technology*
 - *Carinthia University of Applied Sciences*
5. Patents awarded (size-normalised)
6. Income from continuous professional development

Dimension International Orientation:

7. Student mobility
 - *Kufstein Tyrol University of Applied Sciences*
8. International joint publications
 - *Carinthia University of Applied Sciences*

Dimension Regional Engagement

9. Regional joint publications

Here you can see the [full lists](#) of all global Top 25 performers.

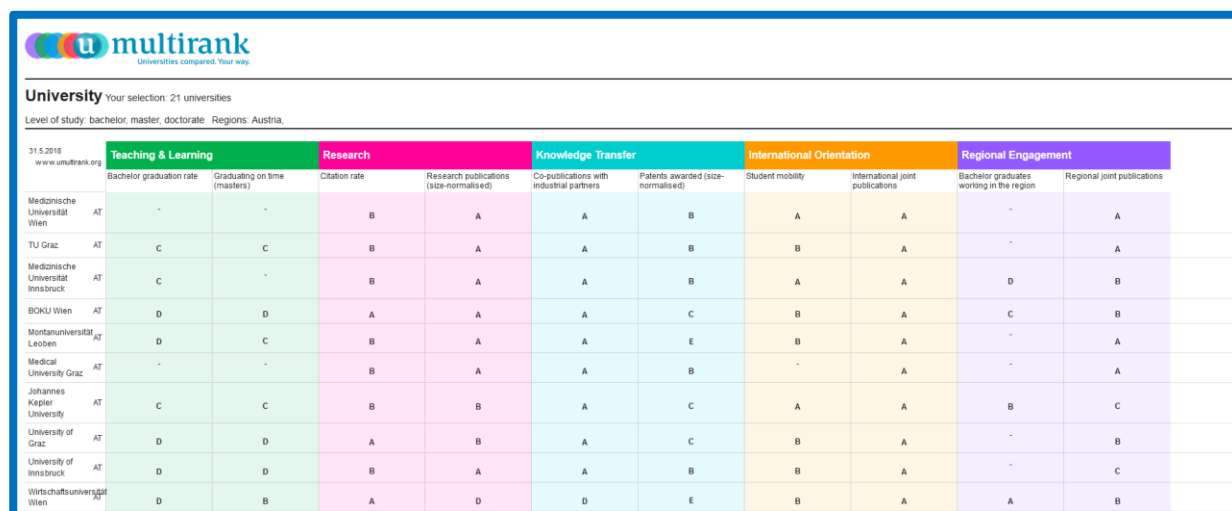


F. Appendix

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. 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: 21 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
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Medizinische Universität Wien	AT	-	-	B	A	A	B	A	A	-	A
TU Graz	AT	C	C	B	A	A	B	B	A	-	A
Medizinische Universität Innsbruck	AT	C	-	B	A	A	B	A	A	D	B
BOKU Wien	AT	D	D	A	A	A	C	B	A	C	B
Montanuniversität Leoben	AT	D	C	B	A	A	E	B	A	-	A
Medical University Graz	AT	-	-	B	A	A	B	-	A	-	A
Johannes Kepler University	AT	C	C	B	B	A	C	A	A	B	C
University of Graz	AT	D	D	A	B	A	C	B	A	-	B
University of Innsbruck	AT	D	D	B	A	A	B	B	A	-	C
Wirtschaftsuniversität Wien	AT	D	B	A	D	D	E	B	A	A	B

Image: Screenshot of national results based on institutional level

[Institutional Level Results](#)

[Subject Level Results – Education](#)

[Subject Level Results – Medicine](#)

[Subject Level Results – Nursing](#)

[Subject Level Results – Political Science](#)

[Subject Level Results – Psychology](#)

[Subject Level Results – Social Work](#)

[Subject Level Results – Sociology](#)

Press materials:

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

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[Overview Infographic 2018](#)