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## TERTIARY EDUCATION (UNIVERSITIES AND TECHNOLOGICAL INSTITUTIONS) END OF ACADEMIC YEAR 2023/2024

The Hellenic Statistical Authority (ELSTAT) announces data on Tertiary Education (Universities and Technological Institutions) for the end of academic year 2022/2023. Based on the survey data on Tertiary Education:

- The number of **enrolled undergraduate students** in all tertiary education institutions in the academic year 2023/2024 increased by 1.3% in comparison to 2022/2023 (Table 1).
- **Teaching staff** in all tertiary education institutions in the academic year 2023/2024 decreased by 4.3% in comparison to 2022/2023 (Table 2).
- The number of graduates from undergraduate programmes in the academic year 2023/2024 increased by 0.1% in comparison to 2022/2023 (Table 3).
- Enrolled postgraduate students in the academic year 2023/2024 increased by 0.8% in comparison to 2022/2023 (Table 4).
- **Postgraduate students that graduated** in the academic year 2023/2024 decreased by 5.9% in comparison to 2022/2023 (Table 5).
- Enrolled doctorate students in the academic year 2023/2024 increased by 3.5% in comparison to 2022/2023 (Table 6).
- **Doctoral students that graduated** in the academic year 2023/2024 increased by 4.8% in comparison to 2022/2023 (Table 7).

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Table 1. Enrolled undergraduate students by gender and educational institution

		Total			Males			Females	
Educational Institutions	2022/		Cl	2022/		Ch	2022/		Ch
Educational institutions	2022/ 2023	2023/ 2024	Change %	2022/ 2023	2023/ 2024	Change %	2022/ 2023	2023/ 2024	Change %
Total	734,379	743,892	1.3	382,560	390,901	2.2	351,819	352,991	0.3
University Education	585,976	607,326	3.6	288,343	302,388	4.9	297,633	304,938	2.5
National & Kapodistrian University of Athens	88,629	93,270	5.2	37,348	40,661	8.9	51,281	52,609	2.6
University of the Aegean	19,570	19,712	0.7	9,078	9,149	0.8	10,492	10,563	0.7
University of Thessaly	25,532	28,040	9.8	12,510	13,941	11.4	13,022	14,099	8.3
Aristotle University of Thessaloniki	78,634	78,343	-0.4	36,110	36,067	-0.1	42,524	42,276	-0.6
Democritus University of Thrace <sup>1</sup>	26,590	33,173	24.8	12,367	16,139	30.5	14,223	17,034	19.8
Ionian University	7,800	7,958	2.0	3,447	3,662	6.2	4,353	4,296	-1.3
University of Ioannina	28,015	28,109	0.3	11,836	12,215	3.2	16,179	15,894	-1.8
University of Crete	20,541	20,280	-1.3	8,149	8,026	-1.5	12,392	12,254	-1.1
University of Patras	40,609	41,236	1.5	21,775	22,019	1.1	18,834	19,217	2.0
Athens University of Economics and Business	21,711	21,818	0.5	13,302	13,355	0.4	8,409	8,463	0.6
Panteion University of Social & Political Sciences	20,982	21,905	4.4	8,049	8,373	4.0	12,933	13,532	4.6
University of Piraeus	26,850	27,445	2.2	17,016	17,392	2.2	9,834	10,053	2.2
University of Macedonia	14,535	14,687	1.0	7,670	7,756	1.1	6,865	6,931	1.0
Agricultural University of Athens	7,112	7,395	4.0	3,703	3,823	3.2	3,409	3,572	4.8
Athens School of Fine Arts	2,500	2,582	3.3	819	831	1.5	1,681	1,751	4.2
Harokopio University	3,558	3,725	4.7	1,887	2,011	6.6	1,671	1,714	2.6
University of Peloponnese	16,183	18,560	14.7	8,493	9,561	12.6	7,690	8,999	17.0
University of Western Macedonia	12,976	14,369	10.7	6,435	7,121	10.7	6,541	7,248	10.8
Hellenic Open University <sup>2</sup>	18,253	14,943	-18.1	8,671	7,361	-15.1	9,582	7,582	-20.9
International Hellenic University <sup>1</sup>	20,201	18,902	-6.4	9,528	8,400	-11.8	10,673	10,502	-1.6
University of West Attica	58,838	59,865	1.7	33,349	34,016	2.0	25,489	25,849	1.4
Hellenic Mediterranean University <sup>3</sup>	5,801	6,634	14.4	3,089	3,598	16.5	2,712	3,036	11.9
Technical University of Crete	6,861	6,856	-0.1	4,548	4,510	-0.8	2,313	2,346	1.4
National Technical University of Athens <sup>3</sup>	13,695	17,519	27.9	9,164	12,401	35.3	4,531	5,118	13.0

Table 1. Enrolled undergraduate students by gender and educational institution (continued)

		Total			Males			Females	
Educational Institutions	2022/ 2023	2023/ 2024	Change %	2022/ 2023	2023/ 2024	Change %	2022/ 2023	2023/ 2024	Change %
Technological Education	139,972	126,880	-9.4	87,514	80,720	-7.8	52,458	46,160	-12.0
TEI⁴	136,087	123,166	-9.5	84,613	77,968	-7.9	51,474	45,198	-12.2
ASPETE	3,885	3,714	-4.4	2,901	2,752	-5.1	984	962	-2.2
Vocational Education	6,617	7,074	6.9	5,358	5,681	6.0	1,259	1,393	10.6
Merchant Marine Academies	5,839	6,317	8.2	5,034	5,397	7.2	805	920	14.3
Higher Schools for Services	619	605	-2.3	245	219	-10.6	374	386	3.2
Artistic Schools	159	152	-4.4	79	65	-17.7	80	87	8.8
Ecclesiastical Education	1,814	2,612	44.0	1,345	2,112	57.0	469	500	6.6
Ecclesiastical Academies	1,814	2,612	44.0	1,345	2,112	57.0	469	500	6.6

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Seven Departments from the International Hellenic University now belong to the Democritus University of Thrace

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The changes from year to year are due to its operating regulations

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Variations are due to changes in the admission cutoff score

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> In the academic years 2022/2023 and 2023/2024 enrolled students of TEI are those that entered Tertiary Education before the academic year 2019/2020 and continue their studies under the TEI curriculum to graduate from the Technological Education Sector.

Graph 1. Enrolled undergraduate students by educational institution, end of academic years 2022/2023 and 2023/2024

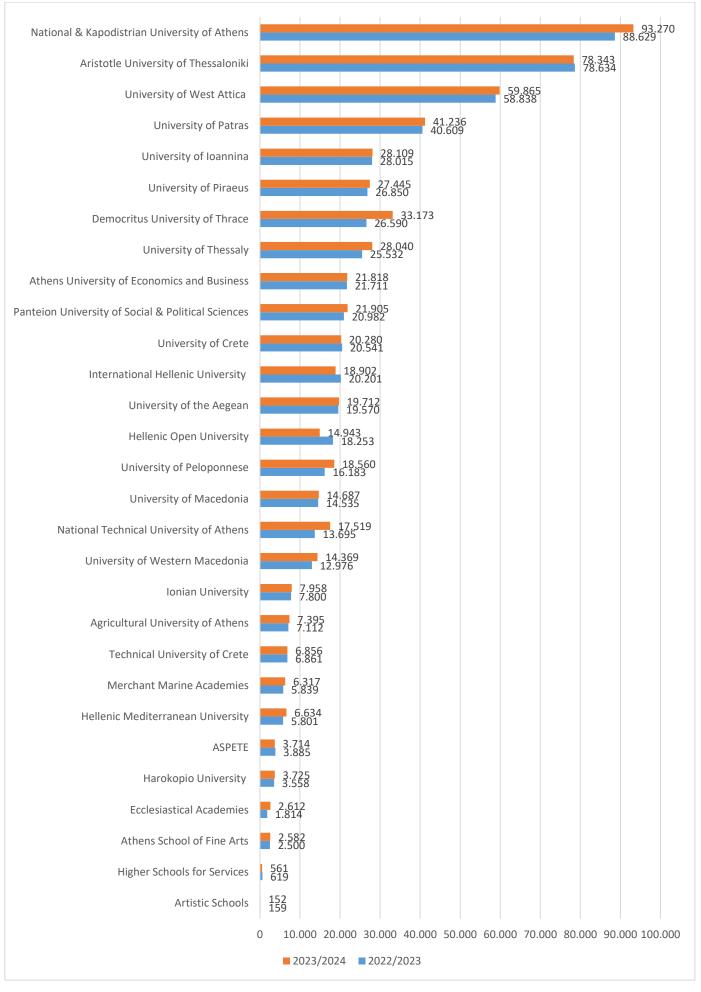


Table 2. Teaching staff by gender and educational institution

		Total			Males			Females	
Educational Institutions	2022/ 2023	2023/ 2024	Change %	2022/ 2023	2023/ 2024	Change %	2022/ 2023	2023/ 2024	Change %
Total	20,240	19,372	-4.3	12,611	12,158	-3.6	7,629	7,214	-5.4
University Education	19,719	18,841	-4.5	12,253	11,803	-3.7	7,466	7,038	-5.7
National & Kapodistrian University of Athens	2,324	2,276	-2.1	1,364	1,346	-1.3	960	930	-3.1
University of the Aegean	474	458	-3.4	314	306	-2.5	160	152	-5.0
University of Thessaly	1,345	1,324	-1.6	804	798	-0.7	541	526	-2.8
Aristotle University of Thessaloniki	2,876	2,931	1.9	1,743	1,773	1.7	1,133	1,158	2.2
Democritus University of Thrace <sup>2</sup>	755	906	20.0	499	604	21.0	256	302	18.0
Ionian University	284	297	4.6	184	187	1.6	100	110	10.0
University of Ioannina	832	770	-7.5	524	493	-5.9	308	277	-10.1
University of Crete	633	655	3.5	409	429	4.9	224	226	0.9
University of Patras	1,054	1,004	-4.7	708	665	-6.1	346	339	-2.0
Athens University of Economics and Business	291	253	-13.1	202	180	-10.9	89	73	-18.0
Panteion University of Social & Political Sciences	252	248	-1.6	146	142	-2.7	106	106	0.0
University of Piraeus	262	268	2.3	192	195	1.6	70	73	4.3
University of Macedonia	345	364	5.5	225	249	10.7	120	115	-4.2
Agricultural University of Athens	310	318	2.6	197	196	-0.5	113	122	8.0
Athens School of Fine Arts	84	87	3.6	46	48	4.3	38	39	2.6
Harokopio University	123	122	-0.8	61	57	-6.6	62	65	4.8
University of Peloponnese	458	441	-3.7	287	271	-5.6	171	170	-0.6
University of Western Macedonia	583	547	-6.2	372	348	-6.5	211	199	-5.7
Hellenic Open University <sup>1</sup>	2,753	2,320	-15.7	1,726	1,476	-14.5	1,027	844	-17.8
International Hellenic University <sup>2</sup>	939	687	-26.8	592	421	-28.9	347	266	-23.3
University of West Attica	1,398	1,260	-9.9	719	696	-3.2	679	564	-16.9
Hellenic Mediterranean University	366	385	5.2	243	257	5.8	123	128	4.1
Technical University of Crete	273	223	-18.3	194	160	-17.5	79	63	-20.3
National Technical University of Athens	705	697	-1.1	502	506	0.8	203	191	-5.9

Table 2. Teaching staff by gender and educational institution (continued)

		Total			Males		Females			
Educational Institutions	2022/ 2023	2023/ 2024	Change %	2022/2 023	2023/ 2024	Change %	2022/2 023	2023/2 024	Change %	
Technological Education <sup>3</sup>	78	82	5.1	73	66	-9.6	5	16	220.0	
ASPETE	78	82	5.1	73	66	-9.6	5	16	220.0	
Vocational Education	380	387	1.8	240	244	1.7	140	143	2.1	
Merchant Marine Academies	263	271	3.0	191	196	2.6	72	75	4.2	
Higher Schools for Services	27	27	0.0	10	8	-20.0	17	19	11.8	
Artistic Schools	90	89	-1.1	39	40	2.6	51	49	-3.9	
Ecclesiastical Education	63	62	-1.6	45	45	0.0	18	17	-5.6	
Ecclesiastical Academies	63	62	-1.6	45	45	0.0	18	17	-5.6	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>The teaching staff of the Hellenic Open University includes many part-time collaborating educational staff, in addition to the permanent staff

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Seven Departments from the International Hellenic University now belong to the Democritus University of Thrace

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> The teaching staff of the abolished TEI departments are recorded in the corresponding university departments where they were integrated

Table 3. Enrolled undergraduate students that graduated by gender and educational institution

		Total			Males			Females	
Educational Institutions	2022/ 2023	2023/ 2024	Change %	2022/ 2023	2023/ 2024	Change %	2022/ 2023	2023/ 2024	Change %
Total	57,242	57,273	0.1	24,047	23,733	-1.3	33,195	33,540	1.0
University Education	46,078	48,931	6.2	17,753	18,489	4.1	28,325	30,442	7.5
National & Kapodistrian University of Athens	6,248	6,456	3.3	1,986	2,002	0.8	4,262	4,454	4.5
University of the Aegean	1,410	1,353	-4.0	513	469	-8.6	897	884	-1.4
University of Thessaly	2,497	2,776	11.2	923	966	4.7	1,574	1,810	15.0
Aristotle University of Thessaloniki	6,465	6,160	-4.7	2,294	2,253	-1.8	4,171	3,907	-6.3
Democritus University of Thrace	2,664	3,212	20.6	1,083	1,215	12.2	1,581	1,997	26.3
Ionian University <sup>1</sup>	391	520	33.0	138	195	41.3	253	325	28.5
University of Ioannina	2,648	2,550	-3.7	766	684	-10.7	1,882	1,866	-0.9
University of Crete	1,831	1,788	-2.3	573	583	1.7	1,258	1,205	-4.2
University of Patras	3,694	3,641	-1.4	1,481	1,469	-0.8	2,213	2,172	-1.9
Athens University of Economics and Business	1,386	1,468	5.9	766	828	8.1	620	640	3.2
Panteion University of Social & Political Sciences <sup>1</sup>	1,618	2,186	35.1	432	594	37.5	1,186	1,592	34.2
University of Piraeus	1,696	2,207	30.1	924	1,187	28.5	772	1,020	32.1
University of Macedonia	1,732	1,818	5.0	778	806	3.6	954	1,012	6.1
Agricultural University of Athens	573	556	-3.0	236	218	-7.6	337	338	0.3
Athens School of Fine Arts	134	87	-35.1	38	34	-10.5	96	53	-44.8
Harokopio University <sup>1</sup>	231	324	40.3	97	143	47.4	134	181	35.1
University of Peloponnese	968	1,106	14.3	363	415	14.3	605	691	14.2
University of Western Macedonia <sup>1</sup>	771	1,188	54.1	235	421	79.1	536	767	43.1
Hellenic Open University	1,857	1,577	-15.1	770	644	-16.4	1,087	933	-14.2
International Hellenic University	1,477	1,541	4.3	436	405	-7.1	1,041	1,136	9.1
University of West Attica	3,963	4,448	12.2	1,800	1,792	-0.4	2,163	2,656	22.8
Hellenic Mediterranean University <sup>2</sup>	125	304	143.2	29	65	124.1	96	239	149.0
Technical University of Crete	385	458	19.0	236	289	22.5	149	169	13.4
National Technical University of Athens	1,314	1,207	-8.1	856	812	-5.1	458	395	-13.8

Table 3. Enrolled undergraduate students that graduated by gender and educational institution (continued)

		Total			Males			Females	
Educational Institutions	2022/ 2023	2023/ 2024	Change %	2022/ 2023	2023/ 2024	Change %	2022/ 2023	2023/ 2024	Change %
Technological Education	10,124	7,296	-27.9	5,478	4,404	-19.6	4,646	2,892	-37.8
TEI <sup>3</sup>	9,900	7,052	-28.8	5,301	4,243	-20.0	4,599	2,809	-38.9
ASPETE	224	244	8.9	177	161	-9.0	47	83	76.6
Vocational Education	955	966	1.2	749	771	2.9	206	195	-5.3
Merchant Marine Academies	765	785	2.6	670	693	3.4	95	92	-3.2
Higher Schools for Services	138	130	-5.8	51	51	0.0	87	79	-9.2
Artistic Schools	52	51	-1.9	28	27	-3.6	24	24	0.0
Ecclesiastical Education	85	80	-5.9	67	69	3.0	18	11	-38.9
Ecclesiastical Academies	85	80	-5.9	67	69	3.0	18	11	-38.9

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The increase is due to students' expedition to the completion of their studies before the implementation of the legislation on student dismissals (expulsions)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Academic departments established in 2020. First graduates in 2024

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Students that graduated from the Technological Sector after following the TEI curriculum in the academic years 2022/2023 and 2023/2024

Table 4. Enrolled postgraduate students by gender and educational institution

		Total			Males			Females	
Educational Institutions	2022/ 2023	2023/ 2024	Change %	2022/ 2023	2023/ 2024	Change %	2022/ 2023	2023/ 2024	Change %
University Education	105,978	106,812	0.8	39,759	39,583	-0.4	66,219	67,229	1.5
National & Kapodistrian University of Athens	18,718	20,250	8.2	7,223	7,609	5.3	11,495	12,641	10.0
University of the Aegean	2,897	2,796	-3.5	1,074	989	-7.9	1,823	1,807	-0.9
University of Thessaly	4,791	4,917	2.6	1,775	1,750	-1.4	3,016	3,167	5.0
Aristotle University of Thessaloniki	10,601	11,036	4.1	4,212	4,275	1.5	6,389	6,761	5.8
Democritus University of Thrace	5,065	5,665	11.8	1,691	2,046	21.0	3,374	3,619	7.3
Ionian University	1,031	1,090	5.7	308	313	1.6	723	777	7.5
University of Ioannina <sup>1</sup>	1,485	1,233	-17.0	552	471	-14.7	933	762	-18.3
University of Crete <sup>1</sup>	2,306	2,003	-13.1	679	657	-3.2	1,627	1,346	-17.3
University of Patras	2,137	2,368	10.8	865	928	7.3	1,272	1,440	13.2
Athens University of Economics and Business	2,881	2,887	0.2	1,442	1,448	0.4	1,439	1,439	0.0
Panteion University of Social & Political Sciences	882	918	4.1	399	417	4.5	483	501	3.7
University of Piraeus	4,991	4,870	-2.4	2,492	2,301	-7.7	2,499	2,569	2.8
University of Macedonia	3,445	3,466	0.6	1,471	1,292	-12.2	1,974	2,174	10.1
Agricultural University of Athens	706	688	-2.5	284	269	-5.3	422	419	-0.7
Athens School of Fine Arts	110	117	6.4	38	48	26.3	72	69	-4.2
Harokopio University	830	768	-7.5	305	292	-4.3	525	476	-9.3
University of Peloponnese	2,477	2,593	4.7	933	887	-4.9	1,544	1,706	10.5
University of Western Macedonia <sup>1</sup>	3,362	4,051	20.5	1,155	1,335	15.6	2,207	2,716	23.1
Hellenic Open University	24,237	24,010	-0.9	7,385	7,399	0.2	16,852	16,611	-1.4
International Hellenic University <sup>1</sup>	5,519	3,476	-37.0	1,999	1,334	-33.3	3,520	2,142	-39.1
University of West Attica	4,518	4,794	6.1	1,777	1,963	10.5	2,741	2,831	3.3
Hellenic Mediterranean University	920	913	-0.8	538	496	-7.8	382	417	9.2
Technical University of Crete	479	426	-11.1	251	226	-10.0	228	200	-12.3
National Technical University of Athens	1,590	1,477	-7.1	911	838	-8.0	679	639	-5.9

 $<sup>^{1}</sup>$  The changes are due to the creation (increase) or discontinuation (decrease) of the corresponding postgraduate departments

Graph 2. Enrolled postgraduate students by educational institution, end of academic years 2022/2023 and 2023/2024

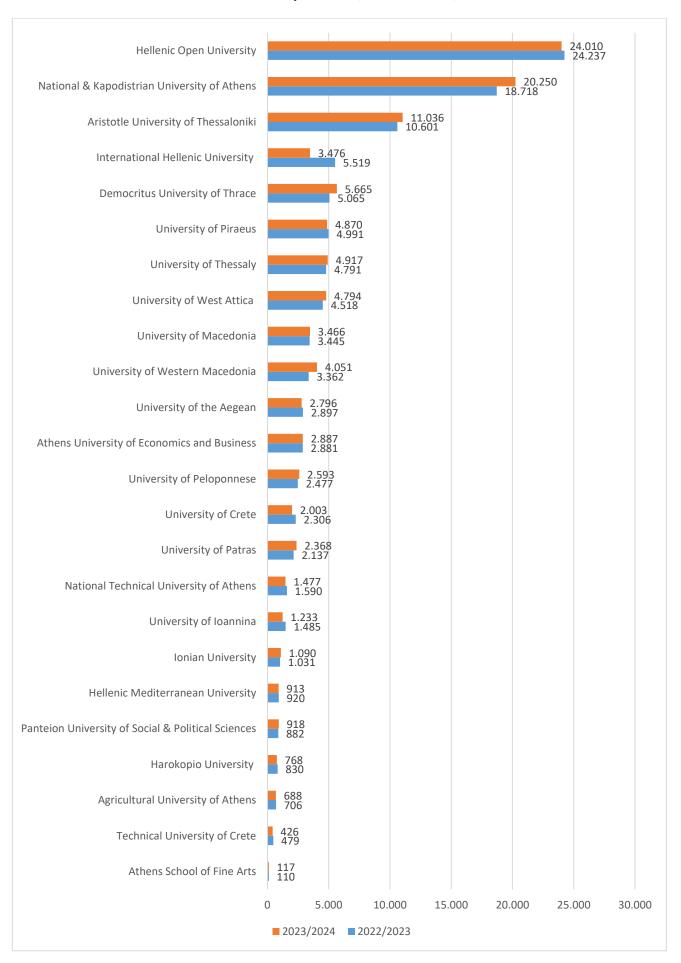


Table 5. Postgraduate students that graduated by gender and educational institution

		Total			Males			Females	
Educational Institutions	2022/ 2023	2023/ 2024	Change %	2022/ 2023	2023/ 2024	Change %	2022/ 2023	2023/ 2024	Change %
University Education	28,588	26,911	-5.9	9,884	9,571	-3.2	18,704	17,340	-7.3
National & Kapodistrian University of Athens	4,206	3,985	-5.3	1,458	1,447	-0.8	2,748	2,538	-7.6
University of the Aegean <sup>1</sup>	979	803	-18.0	326	305	-6.4	653	498	-23.7
University of Thessaly	1,490	1,526	2.4	535	559	4.5	955	967	1.3
Aristotle University of Thessaloniki	2,933	2,710	-7.6	1,091	1,015	-7.0	1,842	1,695	-8.0
Democritus University of Thrace	1,590	1,620	1.9	460	505	9.8	1,130	1,115	-1.3
Ionian University	198	205	3.5	61	72	18.0	137	133	-2.9
University of Ioannina	359	328	-8.6	116	113	-2.6	243	215	-11.5
University of Crete <sup>1</sup>	680	553	-18.7	193	178	-7.8	487	375	-23.0
University of Patras <sup>1</sup>	644	870	35.1	246	312	26.8	398	558	40.2
Athens University of Economics and Business	1,201	1,049	-12.7	583	522	-10.5	618	527	-14.7
Panteion University of Social & Political Sciences <sup>1</sup>	254	308	21.3	104	141	35.6	150	167	11.3
University of Piraeus	1,304	1,212	-7.1	625	575	-8.0	679	637	-6.2
University of Macedonia <sup>1</sup>	1,096	921	-16.0	476	389	-18.3	620	532	-14.2
Agricultural University of Athens	220	198	-10.0	77	71	-7.8	143	127	-11.2
Athens School of Fine Arts <sup>1</sup>	26	17	-34.6	12	3	-75.0	14	14	0.0
Harokopio University	229	210	-8.3	73	75	2.7	156	135	-13.5
University of Peloponnese <sup>1</sup>	874	731	-16.4	309	249	-19.4	565	482	-14.7
University of Western Macedonia	800	1,055	31.9	266	343	28.9	534	712	33.3
Hellenic Open University	5,515	5,381	-2.4	1,383	1,413	2.2	4,132	3,968	-4.0
International Hellenic University <sup>1</sup>	1,756	1,258	-28.4	588	439	-25.3	1,168	819	-29.9
University of West Attica	1,567	1,270	-19.0	540	481	-10.9	1,027	789	-23.2
Hellenic Mediterranean University <sup>1</sup>	171	132	-22.8	96	74	-22.9	75	58	-22.7
Technical University of Crete	82	90	9.8	40	45	12.5	42	45	7.1
National Technical University of Athens	414	479	15.7	226	245	8.4	188	234	24.5

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> After the end of the COVID-19 pandemic, an increase in the number of graduates was observed during 2022-2023

Table 6. Enrolled doctoral students by gender and educational institution

		Total			Males			Females	
Educational Institutions	2022/ 2023	2023/ 2024	Change %	2022/ 2023	2023/ 2024	Change %	2022/ 2023	2023/ 2024	Change %
University Education	32,525	33,663	3.5	16,817	17,384	3.4	15,708	16,279	3.6
National & Kapodistrian University of Athens	9,058	9,420	4.0	4,422	4,646	5.1	4,636	4,774	3.0
University of the Aegean	872	941	7.9	437	450	3.0	435	491	12.9
University of Thessaly	1,598	1,753	9.7	782	845	8.1	816	908	11.3
Aristotle University of Thessaloniki	4,857	4,884	0.6	2,427	2,483	2.3	2,430	2,401	-1.2
Democritus University of Thrace	1,720	1,906	10.8	871	972	11.6	849	934	10.0
Ionian University	530	716	35.1	263	346	31.6	267	370	38.6
University of Ioannina	1,805	1,779	-1.4	830	831	0.1	975	948	-2.8
University of Crete	1,155	1,199	3.8	556	583	4.9	599	616	2.8
University of Patras	1,970	2,261	14.8	1,017	1,268	24.7	953	993	4.2
Athens University of Economics and Business	246	233	-5.3	151	148	-2.0	95	85	-10.5
Panteion University of Social & Political Sciences	1,031	1,033	0.2	496	487	-1.8	535	546	2.1
University of Piraeus	490	474	-3.3	318	310	-2.5	172	164	-4.7
University of Macedonia	501	529	5.6	274	287	4.7	227	242	6.6
Agricultural University of Athens	349	387	10.9	165	172	4.2	184	215	16.8
Athens School of Fine Arts	76	83	9.2	26	25	-3.8	50	58	16.0
Harokopio University	252	275	9.1	119	134	12.6	133	141	6.0
University of Peloponnese	714	779	9.1	358	389	8.7	356	390	9.6
University of Western Macedonia	386	462	19.7	230	252	9.6	156	210	34.6
Hellenic Open University	167	186	11.4	77	86	11.7	90	100	11.1
International Hellenic University	355	324	-8.7	223	181	-18.8	132	143	8.3
University of West Attica	794	844	6.3	379	413	9.0	415	431	3.9
Hellenic Mediterranean University	125	154	23.2	67	90	34.3	58	64	10.3
Technical University of Crete	259	255	-1.5	154	151	-1.9	105	104	-1.0
National Technical University of Athens	3,215	2,786	-13.3	2,175	1,835	-15.6	1,040	951	-8.6

Table 7. Doctoral students completed their studies by gender and educational institution

		Total			Males			Females	
Educational Institutions	2022/ 2023	2023/ 2024	Change %	2022/ 2023	2023/ 2024	Change %	2022/ 2023	2023/ 2024	Change %
University Education	2,323	2,435	4.8	1,138	1,234	8.4	1,185	1,201	1.4
National & Kapodistrian University of Athens	468	532	13.7	210	254	21.0	258	278	7.8
University of the Aegean	69	72	4.3	41	40	-2.4	28	32	14.3
University of Thessaly <sup>1</sup>	99	124	25.3	48	61	27.1	51	63	23.5
Aristotle University of Thessaloniki	633	530	-16.3	280	245	-12.5	353	285	-19.3
Democritus University of Thrace <sup>1</sup>	80	106	32.5	46	51	10.9	34	55	61.8
Ionian University	31	31	0.0	14	17	21.4	17	14	-17.6
University of Ioannina	110	105	-4.5	48	52	8.3	62	53	-14.5
University of Crete <sup>1</sup>	111	142	27.9	50	79	58.0	61	63	3.3
University of Patras <sup>1</sup>	150	179	19.3	73	87	19.2	77	92	19.5
Athens University of Economics and Business	31	29	-6.5	17	19	11.8	14	10	-28.6
Panteion University of Social & Political Sciences	68	30	-55.9	36	11	-69.4	32	19	-40.6
University of Piraeus	32	32	0.0	12	24	100.0	20	8	-60.0
University of Macedonia <sup>1</sup>	30	37	23.3	16	22	37.5	14	15	7.1
Agricultural University of Athens	27	29	7.4	9	11	22.2	18	18	0.0
Athens School of Fine Arts	4	3	-25.0	2	0	-100.0	2	3	50.0
Harokopio University <sup>1</sup>	18	26	44.4	9	11	22.2	9	15	66.7
University of Peloponnese	44	48	9.1	21	21	0.0	23	27	17.4
University of Western Macedonia	102	82	-19.6	79	57	-27.8	23	25	8.7
Hellenic Open University <sup>1</sup>	7	12	71.4	2	6	200.0	5	6	20.0
International Hellenic University <sup>1</sup>	3	5	66.7	2	4	100.0	1	1	0.0
University of West Attica	20	47	135.0	9	22	144.4	11	25	127.3
Hellenic Mediterranean University	7	3	-57.1	4	0	-100.0	3	3	0.0
Technical University of Crete <sup>1</sup>	15	32	113.3	11	17	54.5	4	15	275.0
National Technical University of Athens	164	199	21.3	99	123	24.2	65	76	16.9

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The increase is due to students' expedition to the completion of their studies before the implementation of the legislation on student dismissals (expulsions)

## **EXPLANATORY NOTES**

**Survey on** Tertiary Education consists of two domains:

**Tertiary** i) University Sector including Universities, Polytechnic Schools, the Athens School **Education** of Fine Arts and

(Universities ii) the Technology

(Universities and and Technological Sector including the Technological Educational Institutes (TEI), the School of Pedagogical and Technological Education (ASPETE), the Academies of Merchant Shipping, Ecclesiastical Academies, Schools of Service and Artistic Schools).

According to Laws 4559/2018, 4589/2019 and 4610/2019 Technological Educational Institutions (TEI) were abolished and integrated into respective Departments of Universities. However, undergraduate students that entered TEI in the academic year 2018/2019 or in previous academic years had the right to graduate as Technological Education graduates attending classes from the TEI curriculum which was in place when they entered Tertiary Education. For this reason, in the academic years 2022/2023 and 2023/2024, despite the abolition of TEI, enrolled and graduate students of TEI still appear in the tables.

The current survey is conducted annually by all Member States of the European Union. The aim is to collect data on enrolled undergraduate, postgraduate and doctorate students, undergraduate and postgraduate students that graduated, as well as the number of the teaching staff.

**Legal Frame** Regulations 452/2008 of the European Parliament and the Council and 912/2013

of the Commission.

Unit of Reference Department of each Educational Institution.

Coverage Greece.

Reference Period End of academic year 2023/2024.

Annually.

Results

**Methodology** Tertiary Education survey is annual census survey and is conducted in all tertiary educational institutions of Greece. Data refers to the end of the academic year.

References More information, such as tables with the survey results, samples of questionnaires etc. on the survey of Tertiary Education can be found on the web page of ELSTAT at the link <a href="www.statistics.gr">www.statistics.gr</a> Statistics / Population and Social Conditions / Education and Training / Tertiary Education.