KEY FIGURES

Low student-faculty ratio (12 to 1)

Over 96% of the classes are taught in English

More than 240 partners globally

12 Research Centers, 3 Research and Education Forums

Founded in 1993, currently 41st in the Times Higher Education Ranking (100 under 50)

97% of our faculty have advanced degrees from top-tier US and European institutions

More than 500 publications in the most prestigious international journals (2022-2023)

24/7 Open Library - 220,000 printed, 45,000 audiovisual source, more than 92,000 eBook, more than 64,000 e-journals

Scholarships available for high caliber graduate students

409 outsourced active research projects

77 laboratories
INTERNATIONAL SPECIAL PROGRAMS AT KOÇ

GLOBAL SUMMER ACADEMY

5-week Program for Undergraduate Students

Created to optimize flexibility in program structure, the Global Summer Academy (GSA) is the cornerstone of the International Summer at Koç experience. It is designed to offer a unique and multidimensional experience to international students enriched with special learning opportunities including courses, seminars, workshops and study trips with renowned academicians and experts, and optional cultural activities such as city tours and performances.

Global Summer Academy is presented under 4 different themes:
- Sustainable Development
- Emerging Markets
- Turkish Politics & Culture
- Peace and Human Rights

GRADUATE SUMMER SEMINARS

1-2 week Seminars for Graduate and PhD Students

This program features lectures and field trips given by area experts, with outstanding accommodation, dining, and amenities options available to participants. Students are awarded 1.5 credits by attending each seminar. Some of the seminars organized last summer are:
- Turkish Society and Culture Through Film
- Islamic Law and the Dilemma of Modernity
- Turkish Foreign Policy for Global Leaders

JOINT SHORT TERM PROGRAMS

Stanford University - “Stanford at Koç in Istanbul” Overseas Studies Program
Nanyang Technological University - Prelude to the Middle East
University of South Carolina - Business in Turkey
University of Nebraska, Lincoln – Turkey: Critical Issues
Michigan State University - Political-economic and Sociocultural Change in Modern Turkey

SPECIAL SUMMER PROGRAMS

Doing Business in the Middle East & Turkey

A focused analysis of Turkish and Middle Eastern Law & Entrepreneurship

Taught by leading professors from Santa Clara Law School (USA), Koç University (Turkey) and fellow colleagues from around the world, the program aims to equip students with the legal and entrepreneurial knowledge necessary to leverage the dynamic energy of emerging markets in the region.
UNDERGRADUATE DEGREES

COLLEGE OF ADMINISTRATIVE SCIENCES & ECONOMICS
Business Administration
Economics
International Relations

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING
Chemical & Biological Engineering
Computer Engineering
Electrical & Electronics Engineering
Industrial Engineering
Mechanical Engineering

COLLEGE OF SOCIAL SCIENCES & HUMANITIES
Archeology & Art History
English & Comparative Literature
Media & Visual Arts
History
Philosophy
Psychology
Sociology

COLLEGE OF SCIENCES
Chemistry
Physics
Mathematics
Molecular Biology & Genetics

SCHOOL OF LAW
Law

SCHOOL OF MEDICINE
Medicine

SCHOOL OF NURSING
Nursing

GRADUATE DEGREES

GRADUATE SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING & SCIENCES
Ph.D. in Chemical & Biological Engineering
Ph.D. in Computational Sciences & Engineering
Ph.D. in Computer Science & Engineering
Ph.D. in Electrical & Electronics Engineering
Ph.D. in Industrial Engineering & Operations Management
Ph.D. in Materials Science & Engineering
Ph.D. in Mathematics
Ph.D. in Mechanical Engineering
Ph.D. in Physics
Ph.D. in Molecular Biology & Genetics
M.Sc. in Chemical & Biological Engineering
M.Sc. in Computational Sciences & Engineering
M.Sc. in Computer Sciences & Engineering
M.Sc. in Electrical & Electronics Engineering
M.Sc. in Industrial Engineering
M.Sc. in Materials Science & Engineering
M.Sc. in Mathematics
M.Sc. in Mechanical Engineering
M.Sc. in Molecular Biology & Genetics
M.Sc. in Optoelectronic & Photonic Engineering
M.Sc. in Physics
M.Sc. in Biomedical Sciences & Engineering

GRADUATE SCHOOL OF SOCIAL SCIENCES & HUMANITIES
Ph.D. in Political Science & International Relations
Ph.D. in Psychology
Ph.D. in Archaeology & History of Art
Ph.D. in Economics
Ph.D. in Design, Technology & Society
MA in Archaeology & History of Art
MA in Comparative Studies in History & Society
MA in Design, Technology & Society
MA in Economics
MA in International Relations
MA in Psychology
MA in Museum Studies & Cultural Heritage Management
LLM in Private Law
LLM in Public Law

GRADUATE SCHOOL OF BUSINESS
Ph.D. in Business Administration
Master in International Management (CEMS)
Master in International Management (KOC)
MBA
Executive MBA
Modular MBA
MSc. in Finance

GRADUATE SCHOOL OF HEALTH SCIENCES
Ph.D. in Molecular Biology & Genetics
Ph.D. in Nursing (In Turkish)
MSc. in Medical Physiology
MSc. in Medical Microbiology
MSc. in Nursing (In Turkish)
MSc. in Reproductive Biology
MSc. in Critical Care Nursing
MSc. in Biomedical Sciences & Engineering
Koç University is recognized nationally and internationally as an excellent partner in terms of funding research projects in collaboration with national and international public and private institutions such as universities, European Commission, public agencies, research and development agencies, business associations and industrial corporations.

KEY FIGURES
- Close to 300 Publications in prestigious international journals (2012-2013)
- Among the top three universities in Turkey in terms of publications per faculty, citation record and recipients of The Scientific & Technological Research Council of Turkey (Turkish ‘NSF’) awards for researchers
- Over 400 Sponsored Research Projects (as of 2014)
- Over $50 Million in funding received for active research
- 95% of all full-time faculty hold doctoral degrees from leading universities in the United States and Europe, with the remaining 5% from top Turkish universities
- The Koç University Technology Transfer Office provides comprehensive support for faculty members for sponsored research and facilitates the transfer of research into commercial applications and launching new ventures

RESEARCH PROGRAMS
Koç University’s Graduate and Undergraduate Programs blend superior academics with required research experience. Students work alongside faculty members on research projects. These research activities enhance their creativity and abilities in a range of research fields. Other research focused activities include:
- SUMMER RESEARCH PROGRAM FOR UNDERGRADUATES: For motivated undergraduates who want to improve their research skills and plan to attend graduate school.
- POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM: Designed to support the scholarly development of all qualified candidates who are committed to university careers. At the same time the program provides an opportunity to K09 University faculty to work with postdoctoral fellows in research areas of mutual interest.

RESEARCH FORUMS AT KOÇ UNIVERSITY
- TÜSİAD – Koç University Economic Research Forum (EAF)
- Koç University Migros Retailing Education Forum - KUMPEM
- Koç University Social Impact Forum (KUSIF)

RESEARCH CENTERS AT KOÇ UNIVERSITY
Koç University’s research centers are a uniquely powerful dimension of the institution’s emphasis on research that conduct scientific and applied research, propose policies in various arenas and disseminate academic knowledge in social, economic and legal spheres.
- TÜPRAŞ Energy Center - KUTEM
- Research Center for Anatolian Civilizations (RCAC)
- Globalization and Democratic Governance (GLODEM)
- Koç University Research and Application Center for Gender and Women’s Studies (KOÇ-KAM)
- Migration Research Program at Koç University (MIReKoç)
- Dr. Nüser-Semahat Arsel International Trade Law Application and Research Center
- Social Policy Application and Research Center
- The Vehbi Koç and Ankara Research Center (VEKAM)
- Surface Technologies Research Center
- Suna-Inan Kırac Research Institute on Mediterranean Civilizations
INTERNATIONAL STUDENT LIFE

- Research Assistant program just for exchange students
- Comprehensive orientation program
- Istanbul tour
- Complete guidance in matriculation, immigration affairs
- 1 Koç student mentor for every 5 exchange students
- We train these mentors extensively, from safety to academic support of exchange students
- Opportunity to get involved in any of our student clubs, including our International Students’ Society, and our international service-learning group, KU Global Aid (http://globalaid.ku.edu.tr)
- Exchange students even have the opportunity to propose new ideas, in tandem with domestic students
- RA/RR program in dorms, where each KU Resident Assistant is matched with an exchange student, to have fun activities in the dorms (encouraging integration)
- Conversation circles with domestic and exchange students doing “language swap”
- Survival Turkish and Turkish language course for all exchange students
- Guaranteed housing on campus (matched with a domestic student)
- Tutoring and psychological support services available