

NELSON MANDELA
UNIVERSITY

Facts & Figures

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Nelson Mandela University

Nelson Mandela University is a new generation university distinguished by a wide range of study options and access routes open to students. The University has a vision, mission and set of values to take it a step closer to achieving its shared dream for the future.

Vision

To be a dynamic African university, recognised for its leadership in generating cutting-edge knowledge for a sustainable future.

Mission

To offer a diverse range of life-changing educational experiences for a better world.

Values

Our six core values serve as a compass for our actions and describe how we should behave in the world.



Diversity

Excellence

Ubuntu

Social justice
and equality

Integrity

Environmental
stewardship

Nelson Mandela University is a comprehensive university, offering both general and professionally orientated university programmes from the entrance level (certificate) through to research level (PhD).

We offer

481

programmes

across

7 FACULTIES

equip

29 000-PLUS

students for careers in more than **130**
broad fields.

6

of the campuses are in Nelson Mandela Bay

These campuses are in:

Summerstrand (four campuses) next to the ocean,

Bird Street in the heart of the city, and in

Missionvale

Our **North and South** campuses in **Summerstrand** are on a **840-hectare private nature reserve**. Situated on the Garden Route is Nelson Mandela University's George Campus at the foot of the Outeniqua Mountains.

ACADEMIC

Academic focus areas – which strategically direct the University's core business of learning and teaching, research and engagement – are the following:



Health & wellness

Economic & business development

(focusing on job creation & entrepreneurship)



Materials & process development
for industry and manufacturing

Emerging ICT for development



Environmental and natural resource management

Culture, communication & language



Leadership, governance, democracy and justice

Educational development in support of excellence
in learning, teaching and curriculum



Infrastructure and human settlement development

RESEARCH AND ENGAGEMENT

Nelson Mandela University has:

Research Chairs **10** **NRF-rated researchers** **94**

Research themes **6** **Research Entities** **30**

Centres **17** **Units** **8**

Institutes **5** **Technology Stations** **2**

Academic staff with Doctoral Degrees **299**

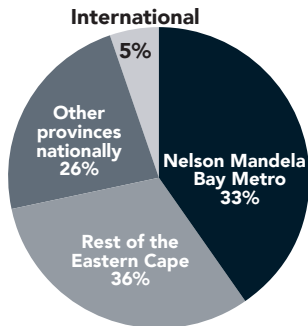
Nelson Mandela University's programmes, research and services are responsive to community needs.

The University has strong links with industry and businesses nationally and internationally, especially in Africa – and particularly within the automotive, tourism and pharmaceutical industries.

The University ranks among the top 10 South African universities, in terms of the number of researchers who have research ratings from the National Research Foundation (NRF).

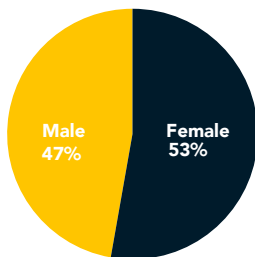
STUDENTS

Nelson Mandela University enrolled students by geographical origin

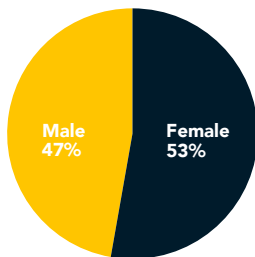


2019 enrolments by gender

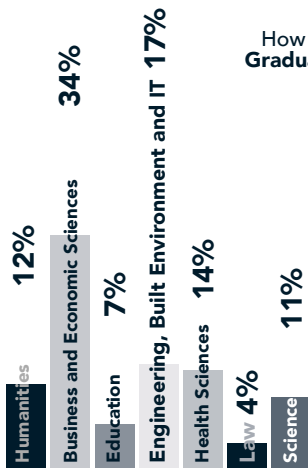
Undergraduate



Postgraduate



How we Graduate



	Male	Female
Undergraduate	12 072	13 441
Postgraduate	1 887	2 171
Total enrolled	13 959	15 612

INFRASTRUCTURE GROWTH

Over the past few years, Nelson Mandela University has experienced unprecedented infrastructure growth, in support of its learning, teaching, research, innovation, internationalisation and engagement.



2019 into 2020

- Solar farm - South Campus
- Return Effluent Phase 1 - South Campus
- Perimetre Fencing - 2nd Ave Campus
- Refurbishment for Medical School - Missionvale Campus
- Paleo Lab - South Campus
- Furntech multi-purpose venue - George Campus
- Residence: 198 beds - George Campus
- Reservoir - George Campus
- Perimetre Fencing - Missionvale Campus

2020 onwards

- Residences: 800 beds - North Campus (2021)
- Residence: 1000 beds - North Campus (2022)
- Phase 2 of Ocean Sciences Campus
- Upgrade of Law Faculty facilities - South Campus
- New campus entrances

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