



YTU inherits our outstanding science, technology and culture; pioneering open access to academic research, technology and arts. Being one of the most well-known universities of Turkey, it is conducive to the achievement of the goal of the development and welfare of the society.

YTU offers a range of programmes at undergraduate and graduate levels, ranging from engineering disciplines to humanities and social sciences. It also provides opportunities for qualified students and academicians to participate in exchange programmes.

YTU is one of the leading government institutions situated in three campuses in İstanbul. It is the 3rd oldest university in Turkey with its history dating back to 1911. It is regarded as one of the best universities in the country as well. The university's mission is to promote development and cooperation at the national and international level by providing outstanding professional knowledge and skills in the educational fields.

Today YTU has 10 Faculties most of which are related to engineering, 2 Graduate Schools, 2 Vocational Schools and a School of Foreign Languages and more than 25,000 students.

International Students

The internationalization of YTU has been placed at the centre of the strategy and day to day functioning of YTU at students and faculty level. YTU offers you the best experience during your study at YTU and your stay in İstanbul.

International students of YTU in all programs benefit from an international experience, either by doing a semester exchange or a double degree in any of our partner schools abroad, or by doing an international work placement. With increasing number of international students coming to YTU to study from abroad, it is our pleasure to welcome you and to help you to get integrated into life at YTU and in İstanbul.

YTU looks forward to welcoming you.

Research

YTU aims to be engaged with projects that stand for extra benefit in a peaceful ambiance led by a scientific approach with the company of all our internal and external stakeholders. Furthermore, we aim to set up a modern university which can challenge international universities in scientific, social and cultural aspects through the awareness that service to the university provides a service to the world.

Through this real process, YTU aims to catch up with the universal standards in quality of research. In recent years we have been endeavoring to become a modern university through our laboratories, research centers and Technopark. In this context, we strongly believe that we will doubtlessly contribute to the development of the country by approaching social problems and trying to find solutions to them.

For information about Research and Application Centres at YTU please visit www.apry.yildiz.edu.tr/category

Technopark

Yıldız Technology Development Zone-Technopark (Science and Technology Park) launched its operations in January 2010. Certified by the Ministry of Industry, the Yıldız TechnoPark Project is designed on an area of 103.000 m² inside the Davutpaşa Campus of Yıldız Technical University with a total area of 1.300.000 m².

The YTU Technological Development Zone aims to contribute to the improvement of the level of industry, science and technology in our country by providing technology transfer to companies and participation in research projects.

Yıldız Technopark is now hosting 2000 qualified research and development (R&D) engineers with more than 100 R&D firms operating at various fields such as software development, information technology R&D, telecommunication solutions, industrial products, molecular technology, health sector R&D, industrial products R&D, etc.

Inside the Technopark, there are 7 Research and Development Centers (A1, B1, C1, D1, ECZACIBAŞI, NUKLEON, KARE METAL) that have 28.000 m² indoor space, including public spaces like various recreation areas, service areas, etc. The Technopark has leased a new building on an area of approximately 26.000 m² inside İkitelli Organized Industry Zone, which marks another significant step forward.

Yıldız Technopark is on the road to become a recognized Technology Development Zone abroad after the "Good-Will Agreement" signed with Warwick University WMG Manufacturing Group and the R&D Certification Programme initiated afterwards.

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What Can I Study at YTU?

Bachelor's Programmes

Faculty of Electrical and Electronics Engineering

- Department of Computer Engineering
- Department of Electrical Engineering
- Department of Electronics and Communication Engineering
- Department of Control and Automation Engineering

Faculty of Naval Architecture and Maritime Studies

- Department of Naval Architecture Engineering
- Department of Marine Engineering Operations

Faculty of Mechanical Engineering

- Department of Industrial Engineering
- Department of Mechanical Engineering
- Department of Mechatronics Engineering

Faculty of Architecture

- Department of Architecture
- Department of City and Regional Planning

Faculty of Economics and Administrative Sciences

- Department of Economics
- Department of Business Administration
- Department of Political Science and International Relations

Vocational School of National Palaces and Historical Buildings

Department of Technical Programs



Faculty of Education

- Department of Educational Sciences
- Department of Computer Education and Instructional Technologies (CEIT)
- Department of Foreign Languages Education
- Department of Elementary Education
- Department of Turkish Education

Faculty of Science and Letters

- Department of Western Languages and Literatures
- Department of Molecular Biology and Genetics
- Department of Physics
- Department of Statistics
- Department of Chemistry
- Department of Mathematics
- Department of Philosophy
- Department of Turkish Language and Literature
- Department of Humanities and Social Sciences

Faculty of Civil Engineering

- Department of Civil Engineering
- Department of Environmental Engineering
- Department of Geomatics Engineering

Faculty of Chemical and Metallurgical Engineering

- Department of Chemical Engineering
- Department of Mathematical Engineering
- Department of Metallurgical and Materials Engineering
- Department of Bioengineering
- Department of Food Engineering

Faculty of Art and Design

- Department of Art
- Department of Communication Design
- Department of Music and Performing Arts

School of Foreign Languages

- Department of Basic English
- Department of Modern Languages

School of Vocational Studies

- Department of Technical Programs
- Department of Economics and Administrative Programs

Master's Degree and PhD Programmes

Graduate School of Natural and Applied Sciences

For programs with Thesis and Non-Thesis programs please refer to www.fbe.yildiz.edu.tr/category_ana_liste.php

Graduate School of Social Sciences

For information about Departments and Programs given please visit www.sbe.yildiz.edu.tr/anabilim-dallari



Admission and Financial Aid

Yildiz accepts overseas students from diverse backgrounds and prepares them for an active role in the global society of the future. You can either apply to undergraduate or graduate programmes in order to obtain a diploma/degree or to an exchange programme (Erasmus or via bilateral agreement) in order to study at YTU for one or two academic semesters. If there is no Erasmus or bilateral agreement between your university and YTU you still have a good chance to come to YTU. You also have the option to apply as a free mover.



For admission requirements and conditions about bachelor's and master's degree programmes please contact Foreign Students Office. For the Erasmus exchange programme please contact the EU Office; and for an exchange programme through bilateral agreement and free mover please contact the Office of International Relations.



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Foreign Students Office

The duty of the Foreign Students Office is to help students who come from abroad to our university by YÖGS (Entrance Examination for Foreign Students by YTU), TCS (Turkish Republics, Turkish and Relative Communities Examination), YÇS (Higher Education Entrance Examination for Children of Those Who Work Abroad) and other examinations held by YOK (Higher Education Council) or YTU (Yildiz Technical University), or from the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus (TRNC) and through Islamic Development Bank (IsDB), to arrange and manage Foreign Students Entrance Examination, to help the students in academic activities throughout their education.

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EU Erasmus Office

Within the context of the YTU Erasmus Programme 2007 – 2013, the student and staff mobility has generally been provided above the national average for Turkey. We try to make our students and our academic staff benefit educationally, linguistically and culturally from the experience of learning in other European countries. The support given for the institutionalization of Erasmus student and staff mobility by YTU EU Office is highly appreciated by our European partners, and that would lead to fruitful collaborations with EU universities. All our departments are in contact with several distinguished European universities to establish Erasmus Agreements in various domains. Furthermore, conferences, seminars, lectures, career opportunities, internships, and LLP Project announcements are organized in order to inform students and academic staff about the Erasmus Programme and its activities. Eventually, EU Office aims to raise the consciousness of Turkish youth of the various aspects of the European integration and "European citizenship".

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International Relations Office

Yildiz Technical University Office of International Relations (IRO) is a subdivision of the Rectorate of Yildiz Technical University (YTU). YTU has placed internationalization at the center of its strategy. Accordingly, the IRO was formed with the intention to integrate YTU into today's globalized world, opening its doors to all academicians and students aiming to explore and discover the world. The IRO encourages and ensures the continuity of the YTU's international policy in accordance with guidelines set out by the Rector's Office and in consultation with its faculty partners (strategy). It deals mainly with scientific bilateral agreements. Its overall objective is to strengthen academic activity, student exchange, international networks, joint programs and business administration.

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Bilateral Student Exchange with Foreign Institutes of Higher Education

You can find our partner universities with which we signed academic collaboration agreements/protocols at www.iro.yildiz.edu.tr.

Free Mover

If you would like to study at YTU as a short term or non-degree student, even though your university and Yildiz Technical University do not have an agreement, you can apply to YTU as a free mover. This means that the question of academic recognition needs to be settled beforehand in order to make sure that academic recognition is covered.

Before coming to YTU as a free mover you will also need to contact your coordinator at your home institution about your acceptance as a free mover and forward us a written confirmation that your home institution agrees with your free mover status. You can find application form at www.iro.yildiz.edu.tr.

For further details please contact Office of International Relations.

Fellowships for International Students

Turkish Government provides more than 800 scholarships to foreign students from various countries in accordance with the bilateral agreements and Cultural Exchange programmes. Some of the scholarships are provided to some countries as a good will gesture. These scholarships cover undergraduate, graduate programmes and summer Turkish language courses. For further details please refer to www.meb.gov.tr (Republic of Turkey Ministry of National Education).



YILDIZ TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY ACADEMIC STAFF MAY 2012

TITLE	TOTAL
Professor	219
Associate Professor	140
Assistant Professor	407
Lecturer	168
Instructor	91
Research Assistant	517
Expert	49
Education & Instructional Coordinator	2
TOTAL	1593

STUDENT GENDER and ENROLLMENT (Spring 2011) - Undergraduate

		F	M	GRAND TOTAL
VOCATIONAL	DAYTIME (1st)	807	1.038	1.845
	EVENING (2nd)	133	455	588
TOTAL		940	1.493	2.433
UNDERGRADUATE	DAYTIME (1st)	5.648	9.336	14.984
	EVENING (2nd)	1.292	4.426	5.718
TOTAL		6.940	13.762	20.702

Graduate

		F	M	TOTAL		
GRADUATE	Graduate School of Natural and Applied Sciences	GRADUATE (M.Sc.)	DAYTIME (1st)	909	1.409	2.318
			EVENING (2nd)	22	71	93
		TOTAL	931	1.480	2.411	
	GRADUATE (PhD)	DAYTIME (1st)	318	621	939	
		EVENING (2nd)	0	0	0	
		TOTAL	318	621	939	
TOTAL		1.249	2.101	3.350		
TOTAL OF GRADUATE	Graduate School of Social Sciences	GRADUATE (M.Sc.)	DAYTIME (1st)	334	286	620
			EVENING (2nd)	89	80	169
		TOTAL	423	366	789	
	GRADUATE (PhD)	DAYTIME (1st)	66	83	149	
		EVENING (2nd)	0	0	0	
		TOTAL	66	83	149	
TOTAL		489	449	938		
TOTAL OF GRADUATE	GRADUATE (M.Sc.)	DAYTIME (1st)	1.243	1.695	2.938	
		EVENING (2nd)	111	151	262	
	TOTAL		1.354	1.846	3.200	
	GRADUATE (PhD)	DAYTIME (1st)	384	704	1.088	
EVENING (2nd)		0	0	0		
TOTAL		384	704	1.088		
TOTAL		1.738	2.550	4.288		



YILDIZ TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY

Yildiz Technical University (YTU) whose vision is to be a leading institution of international standing represents a unique milieu of education, research and culture in Turkey.