



University of Zadar



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History

- In 1396 the Dominican general institution of higher education, called UNIVERSITAS IADERTINA, has been founded in Zadar as the first institution of higher education in Croatia
- In 1956, on that basis, the Faculty of Arts in Zadar was founded, at first as a part of the University of Zagreb, and later as a part of the University of Split
- In July 2002 the Law of Instituting the University of Zadar was passed by Croatian National Parliament and the University of Zadar was registered on January 29, 2003





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Structure

University Zadar is an integrated university consisting of:

- 22 departments
 - Archaeology
 - Agriculture and Mediterranean Aquaculture
 - Classical Philology
 - Croatian and Slavic Studies
 - Economics
 - English Language and Literature
 - Ethnology and cultural Anthropology
 - French and Iberoromanic Studies
 - Geography
 - German Language and Literature
 - Health studies
 - History
 - History of Art
 - Information and Communication Sciences
 - Italian Language and Literature
 - Librarianship
 - Pedagogy
 - Philosophy
 - Psychology
 - Sociology
 - Teachers and Preschool Educators
 - Trafic and Maritime studies
- 6 university centers
 - Adriatic Onomastic Research Center
 - Advisory center for students
 - Center for Foreign Languages
 - University library
 - Students' Center
 - Center for Students' Sports



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People

In the academic year 2009/2010 at the University of Zadar there are:

- 5130 students
 - 3050 undergraduate
 - 712 graduate
 - 1368 enrolled before Bologna process
- 324 academic staff members
 - 126 Ph.D.
 - 57 M.Phil
- 70 visiting professors
- 128 administrative and technical staff members

Structure of the academic staff :

- Professors emeriti (6)
- Full professors (29)
- Associate professors (22)
- Assistant professors (49)
- Senior assistants (15)
- Assistants (136)
- Senior lecturers (28)
- Lecturers (19)
- Senior Foreign Language instructors (10)
- Foreign Language instructors (15)



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Projects



- University of Zadar has recently launched **Arhipelagos**; research and educational project that aims to disperse knowledge and educational models to Zadar surroundings, especially the Zadar archipelago, by dislocating some of the higher education and research activities to these areas.
- University of Zadar participates in three INTERREG III A projects:
 - Viaggiatori dell'Adriatico
 - Eredità culturali dell'Adriatico: conoscenza, tutela e valorizzazione
 - D. A. M. A. C. – TAC LINE
- University of Zadar is or has been the **coordinator** of two TEMPUS Joint European Projects (JEP):
 - European studies: Languages and Cultures in Contact
 - Underwater Science and Technologies



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Projects

University of Zadar is or has been a **partner or leader** in many other projects:

TEMPUS - Joint European Projects (JEP) and Structural And Complementary Measures (SCM)

- Champions of Entrepreneurship (CHENTRE) ● GrundsMoving Ahead with Bologna Process in Croatia (BOPROCRO) ● Capacity Building for Research in Croatia ● Establishment of Public Relations Offices at Croatian Universities (PRO-CRO) ● Learning for Europe – Curriculum development and counselling in education ● Establishing Interdisciplinary curricula and Centre for post-graduate studies and research in Cognitive Sciences in Croatia ● Developing University Counselling and Advisory Services (DUCAS) ● Example of excellence for Joint (Degree) Programme Development in South-Eastern Europe (JoinSEE) ● Opening University towards Society (OPUS), Towards Equitable and Transparent Access to Higher Education in Croatia (ACCESS)...



FP6 & FP 7

- Languages in Network of European Excellence (LINEE) ● Advanced Thematic Network in European Women's Studies (ATHENA3) ● Appliances and Networks for Intimate Communication (APPLIANETS) ● Natural Language Technologies for Future Schools (NLT4FS) ● Adriatic Research Initiative for Advanced Maritime Heritage Studies (ADRIAS) ● Member States' Ethnic Minorities in Western Balkans: Exploring Boundaries, Identities and Integration ● Applied Technology for Language-Aided CMS (ATLAS) ...





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Post graduate studies

- Before the introduction of the Bologna process there has been a number of post-graduate studies at the University of Zadar (mainly in humanities) leading to either a PhD degree or a degree equivalent to M.Phil, and most of them are still “active”.



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Post graduate studies

- Since the introduction of the Bologna process three new post-graduate doctoral studies have started:

- One completely at the University of Zadar

Archaeology of Eastern Adriatic (10 students)

- One organized by the University of Zadar in collaboration with University of Osijek, University of Ljubljana, Rutgers university and UCLA

Knowledge society and Information Transfer (20 students)

- One organized by the University of Rijeka in collaboration with University of Split, University of Zadar, University of Dubrovnik, Croatian Hydrographical Institute, Croatian Navy

Maritime studies (50 students)



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