



Aspiring to Become an International Reference Point in Education and Research

# SABANCI UNIVERSITY

**182<sup>nd</sup>** at Times Higher Education **World University Rankings**  
and **15<sup>th</sup>** at **BRICS & Emerging Economies Rankings 2015**

## GRADUATES

7433 diplomas; 4985 of which are from undergraduate programs, 2448 of which are from graduate programs, have been conferred at Sabancı University, since year 2000. To date, 78% of Sabancı graduates have already started working and another 16% continued their education at graduate and postgraduate levels. Some 88% of Sabancı University graduates were employed within one year of graduation.

Sabancı University graduates continue their postgraduate studies at some of the world's leading universities, including Carnegie Mellon University, University of California, Politecnico di Milano, Boston University, Harvard University, Brown University, Stanford University and University of Massachusetts.

Akbank, Unilever, Accenture, Turkcell, Procter & Gamble, Ford, Garanti Bank, Yapı Kredi and Deloitte & Touche are some of the companies that employ Sabancı University graduates.

## A CAMPUS THAT LIVES AND BREATHES

The Sabancı University campus has everything to meet the needs of its students. It has many amenities, such as the Performing Arts Center, a sports center, a health center, a supermarket and a movie theater. Sabancı University has the highest dormitory capacity to total students ratio among universities in Turkey.

Total diploma number:  
**7.433**



Employment rate of our graduates in one year:  
**%88**



**%78** of our graduates are in professional life



**%16** continue graduate education



**123** graduates founded their own business



**%19** are abroad

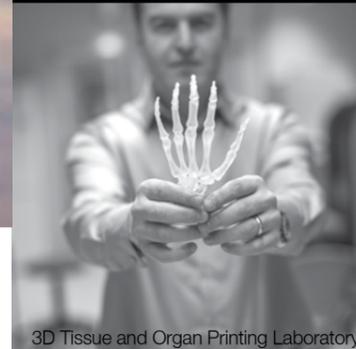
**%48** in North America **%44** in Europe



**234** graduates continue their education in Sabancı University,

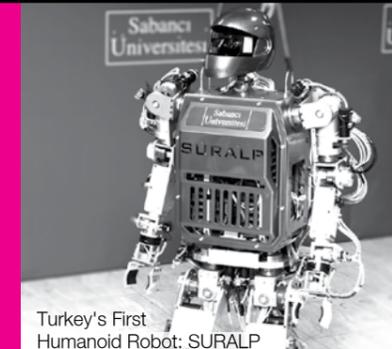
**50** graduates work in Sabancı University.

**%8** other countries

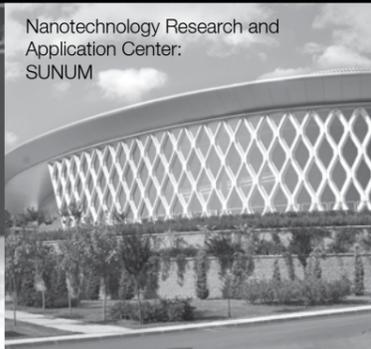


3D Tissue and Organ Printing Laboratory

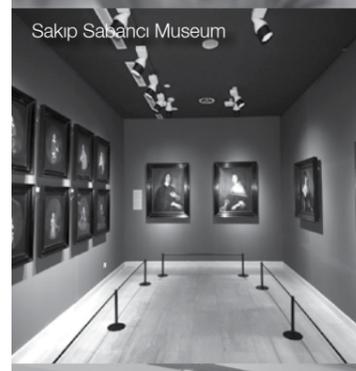
Fostering a culture of **innovation** in research



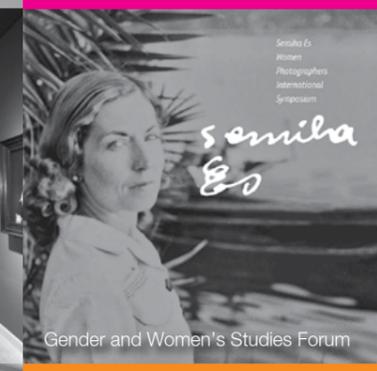
Turkey's First Humanoid Robot: SURALP



Nanotechnology Research and Application Center: SUNUM



Sakıp Sabancı Museum



Gender and Women's Studies Forum

Devoted to the **integration** with the society



Istanbul Policy Center



Sabancı School of Management

Leading **strategic alliances** with global partners, in the region



Nearly 200 International Collaborations



MIT Sloan School of Business's Strategic Partner

**Sabancı University** is a modern world university with a unique model and interdisciplinary academic programs, state of the art technology and infrastructure, in Istanbul, Turkey.

**Join our faculty** and be part of this exciting journey!

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## SABANCI UNIVERSITY

The Sabancı Group established a “world university” led by the Sabancı Foundation in 1994. Instead of choosing a university as a template or replicating existing examples and institutions, a new, unique university was designed during its founding. It opened its doors to students in 1999 and has since set an example for many other universities.

The main differentiator of Sabancı University is its unique educational system. Academic programs at Sabancı University are innovative and interdisciplinary. The conventional system of departments sometimes hinders an interdisciplinary approach and causes restricted specialization in any given field prematurely. For this reason, Sabancı University is not organized into academic departments.

The educational system of the University is based on the Common Foundations Development Year, which all students must complete regardless of their subsequent program choices. During this year, students develop a foundation of knowledge, critical reasoning and an interdisciplinary approach. In the second phase of Foundations Development, students are free to choose the introductory courses of their preferred diploma program from among 13 different programs.

**In October 2012, for the first time in Turkey, the Ministry of Science, Industry and Technology produced a University Entrepreneurship and Innovation Index.** Sabancı University ranked first among the most entrepreneurial and innovative universities in Turkey. In 2013, Sabancı University became the most entrepreneurial and innovative foundation university in Turkey. In the 2014 index, Sabancı was once again named the Most Entrepreneurial and Innovative Foundation University of Turkey. The University Entrepreneurship and Innovation Index includes five aspects: scientific and technological research competence; intellectual property pool; cooperation and interaction; culture of entrepreneurship and innovation; economic contribution and commercialization.

**In October 2014, Sabancı University had entered the Times Higher Education (THE) rankings in 182<sup>nd</sup> position,** becoming the Turkish university with the highest position upon first entry to the rankings, and was the only private Turkish university to be among the top 200 universities of the world.

Sabancı University also entered the **Times Higher Education (THE) BRICS & Emerging Economies Rankings in 15<sup>th</sup> position.**

The Times Higher Education BRICS & Emerging Economies Rankings uses a methodology that covers all core missions of a world-class university - teaching, research, knowledge transfer and international outlook – using 13 carefully calibrated performance indicators. In addition to core missions, the geopolitical positions and economic situations of their home countries also affect their ratings.

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## FACULTIES

There are three educational faculties at Sabancı University: the Faculty of Engineering and Natural Sciences (FENS), the Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences (FASS), and the Sabancı School of Management (SOM). All faculties offer undergraduate, graduate and postgraduate programs.

The **FENS** offers undergraduate programs in Computer Science and Engineering, Molecular Biology, Genetics and Bioengineering, Material Science and Nanoengineering, Mechatronics Engineering, Electronics Engineering and Manufacturing Systems/Industrial Engineering; and graduate programs in Energy Technologies and Management, Nanotechnology, Information Technology, Biological Sciences and Bioengineering, Electronics Engineering, Computer Science and Engineering, Mechatronics Engineering, Industrial Engineering, Materials Science and Engineering, Physics and Mathematics.

The programs of **FASS** include Economics, Visual Arts and Visual Communication Design, Cultural Studies, International Studies and Social and Political Sciences and Psychology at the undergraduate level; in addition to graduate programs in Economics, Visual Arts and Visual Communication Design, Public Policy Analysis, Political Science, Conflict Analysis and Resolution, Cultural Studies, History, Turkish Studies, European Studies and International Studies.

The **SOM** offers undergraduate, graduate and postgraduate degrees in Management and Executive Programs at the graduate level in Management and Finance. Starting in the 2011-2012 academic year, the Sabancı School of Management launched its MBA program, the MIT Sloan MSMS dual degree program. Sabancı School of Management and MIT-Zaragoza Logistics Center offer a dual degree option where candidates can earn a Sabancı MBA degree and a Zaragoza Master of Engineering degree (ZLOG) in Logistics and Supply Chain Management in two years. Sabancı University is the only cooperation partner of MIT Sloan in the Southeast Europe and Middle East regions, where Turkey is located. Sabancı University School of Management is also accredited by AACSB International, proof of its high global standards. Sabancı University School of Management ranked 42nd in Executive MBA Programs and 77th in faculty in the Financial Times 2012 ranking for Europe’s best management schools. Sabancı University School of Management’s Executive MBA program was included in Financial Times’ global ranking for “Top Executive MBA Programs” 2014. This is the first time the Sabancı University School of Management is ranked among the top 100 universities of the world in Executive MBA programs, making it another impressive achievement for the School of Management. Sabancı University School of Management will accept its first students in 2014 for MBA Program for Young Professionals.

**THE EXECUTIVE DEVELOPMENT UNIT (EDU)** offers executive development programs for professionals. The Brand Practice Platform, founded by Sabancı University and the Foundation of Advertising, was established to support the development of the brand economy in our country. The Brand Practice Graduate Program, the first and the most important product of this platform, accepted its first students in 2014.

## SABANCI UNIVERSITY NANOTECHNOLOGY RESEARCH and APPLICATION CENTER (SUNUM)

Established by Sabancı University with the support of the Sabancı Foundation and the State Planning Organization, the Nanotechnology Research and Application Center (SUNUM) is the first interdisciplinary nanotechnology center in Turkey. SUNUM commenced operations in June 2011 and is leading in advanced and interdisciplinary nanotechnology research projects that are rapidly being adopted by industry in the fields of physics, electronics, mechatronics, materials science, chemistry and biology. SUNUM aims to improve the university’s international competitiveness in its intellectual property portfolio and contributes to its progress in leading research.

