

## Faculties and Departments

### Faculty of Engineering

- Department of Computer Engineering
- Department of Mining & Metallurgical Engineering
- Department of Electrical Engineering
- Department of Mechanical Engineering
- Department of Civil Engineering
- Department of Industrial Engineering
- Department of Textile Engineering
- Department of Chemical and Polymer Engineering

### Faculty of Humanities & Social Sciences

- Department of Law & Political Sciences
- Department of Economics, Management & Accounting
- Department of Geography
- Department of Social Sciences
- Department of Psychology & Educational Sciences
- Department of Foreign Languages
- Department of Persian Language & Literature
- Department of Theology

### Faculty of Science

- Department of Physics
- Department of Mathematical Sciences
- Department of Chemistry
- Department of Biology
- Department of Geology

### School of Arts & Architecture

- Department of Urban Planning
- Department of Painting
- Department of Architecture

### School of Natural Resources & Desert Studies

- Department of Arid Land and Desert Management
- Department of Environmental Sciences
- Department of Watershed & Rangeland Management

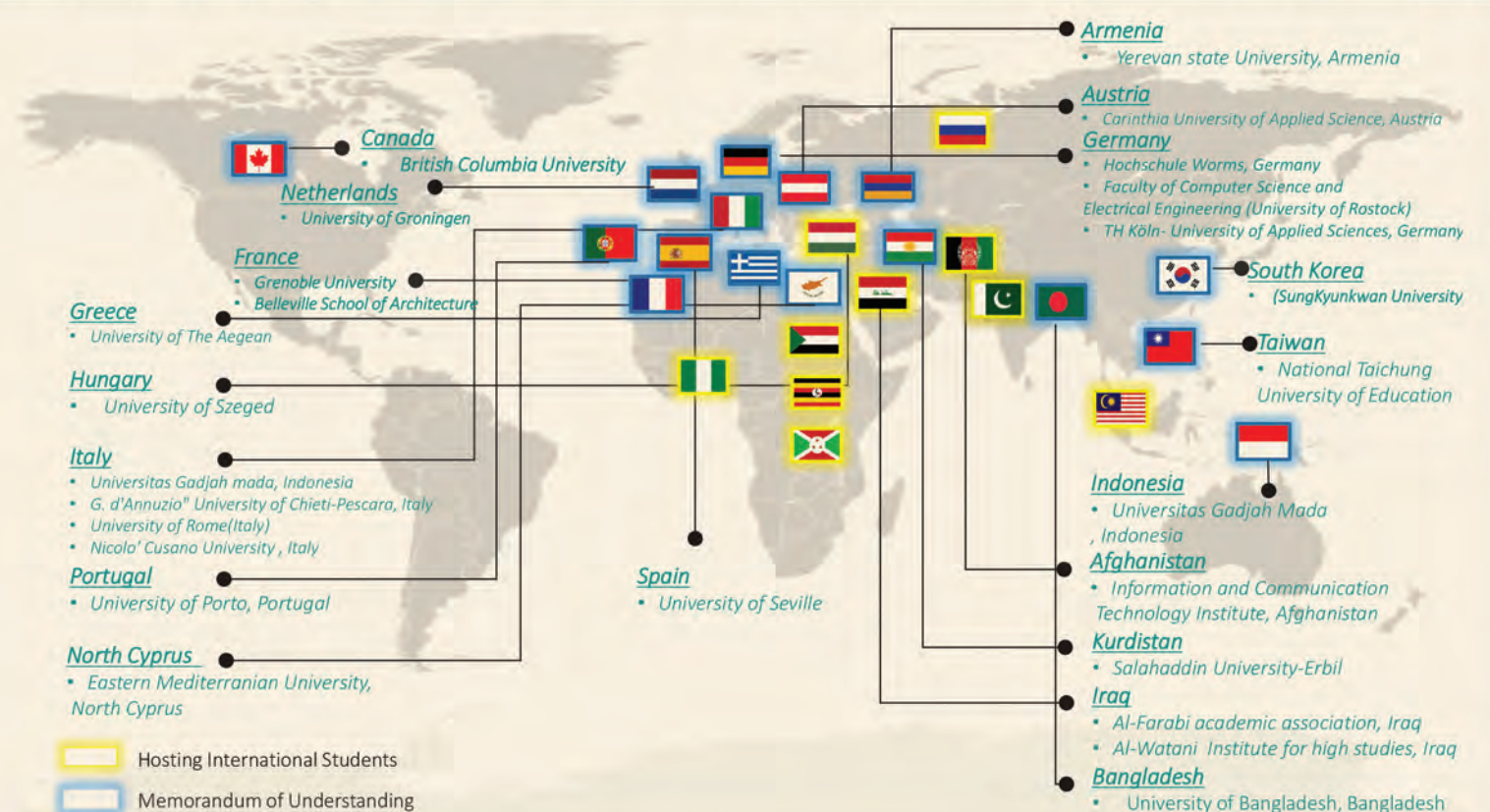
## Directorate of International Scientific Cooperation

The International Scientific Cooperation Office (ISCO) of Yazd University tries to develop mutual cooperation and academic exchange between Iran and other countries on the purpose of improving research projects and joint courses of study with a special emphasis on international funding opportunities. The office aims to promote the academic and research status of the university at the international level.

The university enjoys a wide range of research potentials. Preparing a dynamic research environment together with creative researchers, Yazd University provides both students and professors with opportunities to actively explore their fields and facilitates their active engagement in order to expand the academic relationships and cooperation. Therefore, the highly qualified faculty members are a guarantee that students are provided with the most up-to-date knowledge in accordance with internationally recognized standards and earn a degree which is highly competitive in today's labor market.

The memorandums of understanding signed between YU and other international institutions during the last five years:

- University of Chieti-Pescara, Italy
- Niccolo Cusano University, Italy
- University of Sapienza, Italy
- University of Groningen, The Netherlands
- Hochschule Worms University of Applied Sciences, Germany
- University of Rostock, Germany
- Hochschule Weihenstephan-Triesdorf, Germany
- TH Köln-University of Applied Sciences, Germany
- Carinthia University of Applied Sciences, Austria
- All-Russian Scientific Research Institute of Aviation Materials, Russia
- University of Szeged, Hungary
- University of Porto, Portugal
- University of the Aegean, Greece
- Eastern Mediterranean University, North Cyprus
- Salahaddin University-Erbil, Kurdistan
- AL-Watani Institute for High Studies, Iraq
- AL-Farabi Academic Association, Iraq
- University of Gadjah Mada, Indonesia
- World University of Bangladesh, Bangladesh
- Yerevan State University, Armenia



## About Yazd University (YU):

The establishment of Yazd University (YU) dates back to 1989. This university is located in the city of Yazd which is known as the center of Iranian architecture. With a large number of monuments and religious sites, Yazd possesses a rich heritage of ancient cultures and civilizations during various historical periods in Iran. Yazd University is a state university whose first intake of students was in the field of Civil Engineering. It gradually began to accept students in other fields of study by expanding its pedagogical activities and conducting research in a wide variety of fields.

There are three campuses and two autonomous schools, all located within or in the vicinity of the city of Yazd. The main campus of the university consists of three faculties with 27 departments. Now, the university offers a wide range of courses to 15000 students in 55 fields of study at 47 bachelor programs, 110 mas-

ter and 55 Ph.D. programs. It currently has about 480 faculty members and 350 employees, which makes YU one of the significant comprehensive universities throughout Iran.

YU, with a total area of 380 hectares, is located on University Boulevard, Safayieh, Yazd. Its main campus area is 350 hectares, and the area of the eastern site is 30 hectares. The green space is 30 hectares, and 23 hectares of the site is allocated to the buildings. Such development owes a lot to the attempts of executives, clerks, professors, deans, alumni, and students. In its approach, the university attaches utmost importance to innovation and focuses on supporting those who are talented. Basically, the aim of YU is to assist the process of innovation and technology-transfer from the discovery to the realization of the various intellectual creations.

“ We believe that scientific and academic cooperation is the golden key to bringing nations peace and development. ”



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## International Outlook



YU is a member of the International Association of Universities (IAU)



YU is among the first 800+ top universities of the world (QS)



YU is among the first 200 topmost young universities in the world (THE)



YU is among the first 13 top universities of Iran (National University Ranking)



YU is among the first 12 top non-medical universities of Iran (URAP)



Yazd University's scientists are among the top one percent of the world (THOMSON REUTERS)



Yazd University is the national leading house of Iran-Hungary scientific cooperation.



It admits international students and academic staff from different nations.



It grants a variety of scholarships to international students.

## Honors



- Success of more than 70% of YU's alumni in post-graduate studies
- Innovations in the field of biotechnological products
- Annual publication of more than 30 book titles, 11 journal titles as well as about 6000 articles in valid national and international journals
- Establishing the first web-based Persian Search Engine, Parsijoo
- Top ranks in attracting international students
- Brilliant achievements in national and international Olympiads, festivals, and conferences
- Selection of two dormitories at Yazd University as top dormitories in Iran
- Ranking promotion from 23 in 2014 to 10 in 2016 in sport Olympiads
- About 30000 alumni with Bachelor's, 8000 alumni with Master's, and 220 Ph.D. alumni
- Holding about 100 national and international conferences and about 100 patents of invention
- Launching about 500 research projects inside and outside the university

## Research Centers

YU has distinct research centers focusing on different disciplines listed below:

- Research Center for Engineering & Applied Science
- Research Center for Productivity and Quality
- Research Center for Science and Technology Studies
- Research Center for Ceramics and Tiles
- Research Center for Sustainable Transportation
- Research Center for Renewable Energy
- Research Center for Social Welfare Studies
- Research Center for Human Development
- Arid Land and Desert Research Center
- Indigenous Architecture Research Center
- Intelligent Systems Research Center
- Mining technologies Research Center
- Social Cooperative Research Center
- Wind Catcher International Research Center

## Library

The library of Yazd University includes a central library and a library of Arts and Architecture. Library Portal: All the information regarding the library of Yazd University is registered and available at the following address:

<http://library.yazd.ac.ir>

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| Books in Persian     | 200000   |
| Books in English     | 50000  |
| Persian periodicals  | 40000  |
| English periodicals  | 20000  |
| Electronic resources | Science Direct, Springer Link, Wiley, Scopus, Emerald, Sage, Proquest, Web Of Knowledge And Others |
| Total resources      | 500000   |



## Campus Life

The Dormitory Management Office is a subordinate unit of the Student Affairs.

Complying with regulations, respecting the students, their characteristics, and cultural features as well as solving their problems is the priority of this office. Some of the objectives and achievements of this office are listed as follows:

- Selection of two dormitories at Yazd University as superior ones in Iran
- Outsourcing of student dormitories, offering meals at subsidized

prices in the campus restaurants and buffet, providing students with free shuttle buses as well as parking lots

the fields of education, medicine and research is utilized to meet the demands of patients and respond to their needs and expectations. The center is equipped with a privatized clinic which has a general practitioner and some dentists who provide every dental service. The staff members of the clinical center are committed to efficient medicine and consider it their responsibility to support people who find themselves in a health problem.



## International Student Admission And Scholarship Steps

Currently, many international students from different countries are studying for a degree at Yazd University. Undoubtedly, the reputation and popularity of the university is enhanced by the great number of foreign students attracted.

Yazd University offers a limited number of scholarships for international students. These scholarships cover tuition fees and the dormitory cost. The admitted students can use other facilities of the university (e.g. food and sports facilities) at subsidized prices.

The applicants can get access to the webpage for more information. To take the first step, the applicants can send their application via the online application system. They can also apply for registration and scholarship from October to February. They should prepare the required documents in advance, including passport-size photos, copies of their passports as well as copies of their certificates and transcripts (starting from high school). The application submission has 10 steps. The applicants will get a confirmation email at the end of the process. They will be informed of any likely change in the status of their application by email. Step-by-step guidelines for

application are available on the website.

### How to Apply:

International students can apply for degrees offered by Yazd University's Online Application System by sending their inquiries to the following address to ask about the requirements:

<http://admission.yazd.ac.ir/apply>.

### Accommodations:

A specific dormitory is allocated to visiting scholars (separately to males and females). Information about rates and availability can be obtained at the following email address: [isco@yazd.ac.ir](mailto:isco@yazd.ac.ir)



## Sports in YU

Sport is a vital part of community life at Yazd University for both the students and the staff. YU provides gyms, pools, sport fields, and modern sport equipment for volleyball, beach volleyball, ping-pong, bodybuilding, football, beach football, darts, skating, chess, swimming, hydrotherapy, handball, track & field, basketball, physical fitness, badminton, wrestling, martial arts, gymnastics, aerobics, bike riding, and mountain climbing.