



GAZİ UNIVERSITY
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2023**

PERFORMANCE REPORT



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PRESENTATION



Gazi University, which is one of the most established higher education institutions in Turkey with its ninety-seven-year history and the title of Research University, is evaluated by different ranking institutions on national and international platforms and gains new achievements in different aspects every year. In the evaluations carried out on the basis of different criteria such as academic publication, academic reputation, sustainability and internationality according to the policies of the ranking institutions, our University has achieved great success in 2023 as it did last year. Gazi University broke new ground in its history and ranked 483rd in the UI Greenmetric 2023 Rankings, focusing on the themes of "Green Campus" and "Sustainability", earning the right to be one of the "500 Most Sustainable Universities in the World". Continuing its success in the QS Field-Based Rankings, our University was ranked 27th worldwide in the field of "Education"; It has become one of the top 500 universities worldwide in the field of "Life Sciences and Medicine". As for our country's rankings specifically, our university was ranked 8th among a total of 190 universities in the "URAP 2023-2024 Turkey Rankings". Our University, which ranks 4th among state universities with a Faculty of Medicine, has once again proven its success throughout the country. Our basic principles in the rankings, data submitted and monitored by our University's International Relations Institution Coordinatorship, International Rankings Unit, are transparency, accountability, and compliance with ethical and scientific values. This report includes information about Gazi University's 2023 ranking performance published by a total of 12 international ranking agencies, the criteria included in the evaluation and the importance of the rankings. I would like to thank my colleagues who contributed to our university's rise to the top in international rankings and all our staff who contributed to the preparation of the International Rankings 2023 Performance Report.

Presented to public information is with respect,

Rector of Gazi University

Prof. Dr. Musa YILDIZ

PRESENTATION



Gazi University, which has a deep-rooted history, has been evaluated by many leading ranking agencies around the world as a Research University. Our University, which has proven its successful performance in the rankings with remarkable results, has received results on both nationally and internationally with the ranks. Gazi University has gained significant achievements in different organizations with regard to basic criteria such as scientific publication, teaching, sustainability and internationality. Our University, which was ranked 7th in Turkey according to the "QS 2024 Sustainability" results, increased its percentile in the world from 67% to 38%. Gazi University, which attaches great importance to sustainability studies, attributes its success to the sustainability improvements in institutions. In the "THE Impact Rankings" focusing on the same theme, our University increased its "Quality in Education" goal in the 200 band in 2023 compared to the previous year. In this goal, Gazi University, which was in the 601-800 band among 1180 universities worldwide last year, was placed in the 401-600 band among 1218 universities this year. Considering the QS and THE World Rankings, the fact that our University increases its percentile every year is a sign that our institutional performance is improving. Gazi University International Rankings Department has been one of the units whose cooperation we attach most importance to. Our University exhibits its presence in different ranking agencies through the data flow managed by the Unit, which carries out important work especially in the context of compiling and validating institutional data and creating institutional memory. In this process, the support of all internal stakeholders of Gazi University is undoubtedly very valuable. I would like to express my gratitude to all academic and administrative staff who helped us achieve successful results in national and international rankings.

Regards,

Gazi University Vice Rector

Prof. Dr. Ramazan BAYINDIR

PRESENTATION



The international ranking processes of Gazi University, which is a pioneer of scientific developments with its future-oriented policies and expert teaching staff, are followed within our Coordination Office. The meaningful results achieved by our university in the rankings are a source of pride for all of us. Especially the fact that Gazi University maintains its successful performance in world-renowned ranking agencies such as QS, Times Higher Education, and Shanghai reveals how prestigious our institution is in the world. Our University has achieved very important rankings not only in the world rankings but also in the field rankings. Our institution is one of the 361 universities evaluated worldwide in the field of "Pharmacy" in the "QS 2023 Field Rankings". Therefore, it has achieved the success of being one of the 3 universities ranked across Türkiye. Similarly, in the "URAP 2022-2023 Field Rankings", our University was ranked among the top 500 universities in the fields of Education, Energy, Surgical Sciences, and Pharmacy. Gazi University also receives important achievements in the European Rankings. Our University was ranked 283rd in the "QS 2024 European Rankings", where a total of 690 European universities were evaluated, and our institution gained a reputation as one of the "Top 300 Universities" in Europe. In the "THE Asian Rankings", which is a regional ranking, our University was placed in the 351-400 band according to the 2023 results. I would like to thank Our International Rankings Team, Res. Assist. Dr. Fatma Nur FİŞNE and Lect. Sercan SEZER, owing to their meticulous and attentive work and their valuable contributions to our achievements at the regional and global level. Also, I would like to thank the academic and administrative staff at Gazi University who provided data to our Coordination Office. I hope that the "Gazi University International Rankings Report-3" will be beneficial to our institution.

With my respects,

Gazi University International Relations Institutional Coordinator

Assoc. Dr. Aslıhan Selcen BİNGÖL

GAZI UNIVERSITY INTERNATIONAL RANKINGS AT A GLANCE (2021-2024 Rankings)

Ranking Agency	Sort type	2021		2022		2023		2024	
		Rank	Participation	Rank	Participation	Rank	Participation	Rank	Participation
TIMES HIGHER EDUCATION	World University Rankings	1001+	1526	1201+	2112	1201-1500	2345	1201-1500	2671
TIMES HIGHER EDUCATION	Impact Ranking	801-1000	1117	601-800	1410	801-1000	1591	It has not been announced yet.	
QUACQUARELLI SYMONDS	World University Rankings	1001+	1186	1001-1200	1300	1001-1200	1422	1001-1200	1498
QUACQUARELLI SYMONDS	EECA Ranking (2021-2022) European Ranking (2024)	99	397	71	448	Sorting did not occur.		283	688
SHANGAI RANKINGS	World University Rankings	901-1000	one thousand	901-1000	one thousand	901-1000	one thousand	It has not been announced yet.	
UI GREENMETRICS	World University Rankings	758	956	636	1050	483	1182	It has not been announced yet.	
ROUND UNIVERSITY RANKINGS	World University Rankings	619	867	653	1032	727	1217	It has not been announced yet.	
URAP	World University Rankings	902	3002	877	3000	995	3000	It has not been announced yet.	
URAP	Türkiye Ranking	7	179	8	184	8	190	It has not been announced yet.	
U-MULTIRANK	Institutional Evaluation Field Based Evaluation	“25 Best Performing Universities” achievement badge with “Innovative Measurement Approaches” in the field of medicine		In Turkey, it ranked 8th in the "Female Researchers" indicator , 2nd in the "External Research Income" indicator and 6th in the "Research Publications (Whole Issue)" indicator.		No ranking was conducted.		It has not been announced yet.	
CWTS LEIDEN RANKINGS	World University Rankings	642	1225	647	1318	643	1411	It has not been announced yet.	
CWUR	World University Rankings	844	2000	906	2000	973	2000	It has not been announced yet.	
SCIMAGO INSTITUTIONS RANKINGS	World University Rankings	1590	4126	1444	4364	1737	4533	It has not been announced yet.	
US NEWS	World University Rankings	1078	1500	1225	2165	It has not been announced yet.		It has not been announced yet.	
WEBOMETRICS	World University Rankings	964	11987	1066	12000	1041	11989	It has not been announced yet.	

WORLD UNIVERSITY RANKINGS

GAZİ ÜNİVERSİTESİ ULUSLARARASI DERCELENDİRME BAŞARILARI



GAZİ UNIVERSITY 2022 and 2023 RANKINGS

Ranking Agency		World Rankings		Türkiye (2022)		Türkiye (2023)	
		2022	2023	Total	Gazi University	Total	Gazi University
1.	TIMES HIGHER EDUCATION (THE)	1201+	1201-1500	66	20-54	80	20-37
2.	QUACQUARELLI SYMONDS (QS)	1001-1200	1001-1200	21	10-15	23	9-12
3.	SHANGAI RANKINGS (ARWU)	901-1000	901-1000	11th	6-11	8	6-8
4.	UI GREENMETRIC	636	438	83	56	98	45
5.	ROUND UNIVERSITY RANKINGS (RUR)	653	727	32	11	38	11
6.	URAP	877	995	184	8	190	8
7.	CWTS LEIDEN RANKINGS	647	643	32	7	36	7
8.	CWUR	906	973	56	8	55	10
9.	US NEWS	1225	--	81	25	--	--
10.	SCIMAGO	1444	1737	79	8	134	14

INTERNATIONAL AGENCIES RANKING GAZI UNIVERSITY



Quacquarelli Symonds (QS)



Times Higher Education
(THE)



Academic Ranking of World
Universities (ARWU)
Rankings (Shangai)



Greenmetric World University
Rankings (UI-Greenmetric)



Round University World
(RUR) Rankings (Clarivate)



U-Multirank Rankings (U-
Multirank)



University Ranking by
Academic Performance
(URAP)



Leiden Ranking (Leiden)



Center For World University
Ranking (CWUR)



SCImago Institutions Rankings
World Report (SCImago)



US News and World-Report-
Global Ranking (USN&W)

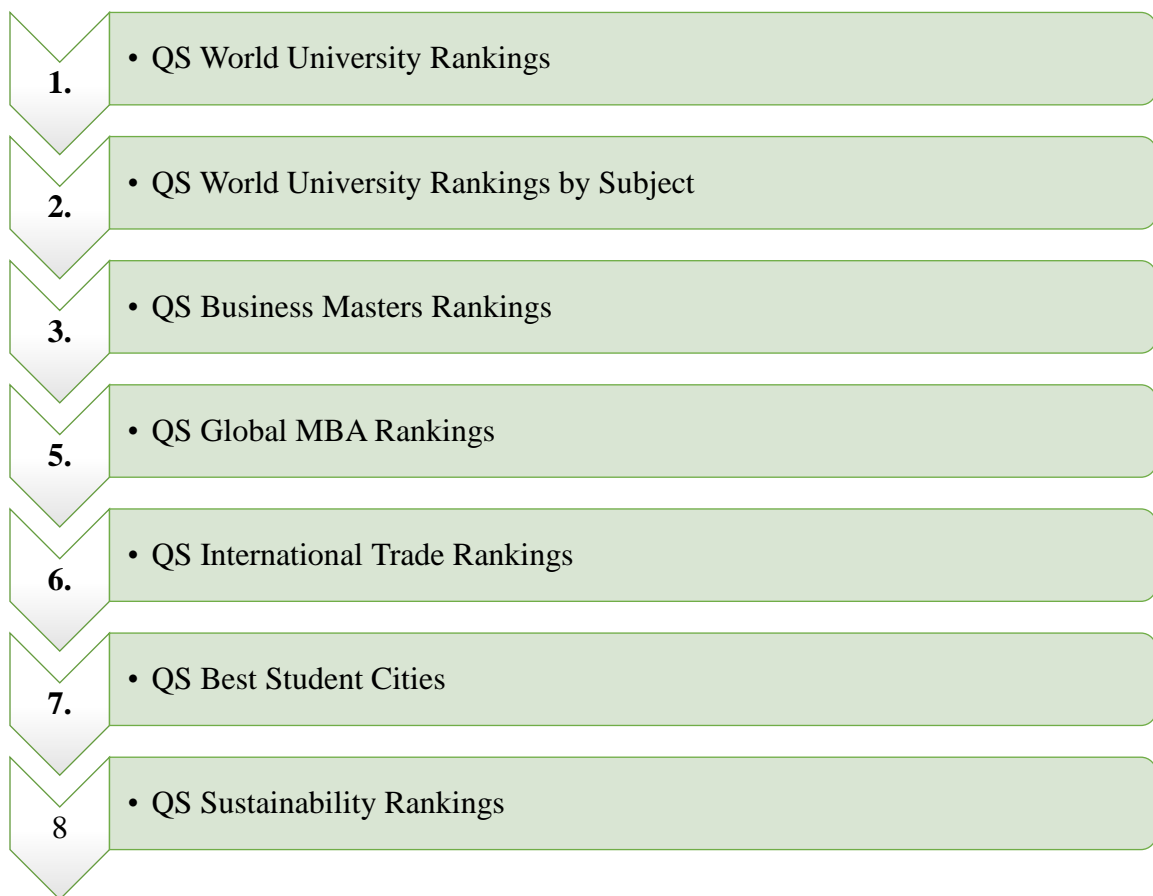


Webometrics (Web)

1. Quacquarelli Symonds (QS)

QS (Quacquarelli Symonds) is an agency that ranks higher education institutions in different countries globally and regionally. QS, which started its first ranking activity in 2004, has now taken its place among the best organizations whose results are closely followed by higher education institutions. The main ranking categories carried out by QS, which has been conducting ranking activities for approximately 20 years, are as follows:

QS Ranking Categories



Gazi University was ranked in 2023 by "**QS World University Rankings**", "**QS World University Field Rankings**" and "**QS Sustainability Rankings**". Detailed information about the rankings is given below.

QS World University Rankings

QS WUR 1001-1200 band among 1422 universities is Gazi University's rank in 2023. In 2024, the rank remained in the **1001-1200** band, maintaining the same position among the 1503 universities ranked.

The criteria and percentages used for ranking are as follows:

1. Academic Reputation 30%
2. Employer Reputation 15%
3. Faculty Staff/Student Ratio 10%
4. Number of Citations/Lecturer Ratio 20%
5. International Faculty Ratio: 5%
6. International Student Rate 5%
7. Sustainability 5%
8. Employment 5%
9. International Research 5%

Some changes have occurred in the QS WUR Methodology in 2024. The proportion allocated to reputation surveys increased to 45%; The ratio of faculty members/students has been reduced to 10%. Instead, percentages are allocated to graduate employment opportunities, international research and sustainability measures.

Table 1. QS WUR 2023 and 2024 Methodology

	2023	2024
Academic Reputation	40%	30%
Employer Reputation	10%	15%
Faculty/Student Ratio	20%	10%
Instructor/Citation Rate	20%	20%
International Lecturer	5%	5%
International Student	5%	5%
Employment Opportunities	--	5%
International Research	--	5%
Sustainability	--	5%

Although the number of universities evaluated and ranked in 2024 increased, Gazi University successfully kept its position and increased its percentage in the 2024 rankings from **70.04%** to

66.6%, taking its place among the best **1001-1200 universities**. Detailed comparison report is given on the next page.

Table 2. QS WUR 2023 and 2024 Ranking Certificates

QS WUR 2023
Percentile: 70.04%



QS WUR 2024
Percentile: 66.6%



Total Published Universities: 1422

University Considered: 2462

Ranked University (Turkey): 24

Total Published University: 1503

University Considered: 2963

Ranked University (Turkey): 25

Table 3. Gazi University Performance in QS WUR 2023 and 2024 Türkiye Rankings

	2023	2024
Academic Reputation	10	10
Employer Reputation	11	11
Faculty/Student Ratio	13	14
Instructor/Citation Rate	16	13
International Lecturer	24	25
International Student	23	21
Employment Opportunities	12	7
International Research	7	6
Sustainability	--	10
Total	24	25

The table above presents Gazi University's **rankings** across Turkey in 2023 and 2024. As shown in this table, Our University's rank has increased in the Citation Ratio, Number of International Students, International Research and Employment Opportunities.

Gazi University is Turkey's 7th Best University in terms of employment opportunities. In the International Research Cooperation, it became the 6th Best University in Turkey.

Table 4. Gazi University Performance in QS WUR 2023 and 2024 Ranking Indicators

	2023	2024
GENERAL	8.6	10
Academic Reputation	13.7	16.4
Employer Reputation	10.1	11.3
Faculty/Student Ratio	5.1	5.5
Instructor/Citation Rate	4.7	4
International Lecturer	1.1	1.1
International Student	1.9	2.8
Employment Opportunities	14.2	14.5
International Research	---	14.4
Sustainability	----	14.5

In the table above, the comparison of the scores obtained by Gazi University in indicators and in general in 2023 and 2024 is displayed. Our University, which achieved 8.6 points in 2023, increased this score **to 10 points in 2024**. Our University has the highest score in **Academic Reputation**, as well as **Employer Reputation, Employment Opportunities, and International Research**. An increase was also observed in **international student** scores.

QS World University Field Rankings

The criteria used for some QS Subject World Rankings follows:

1. Academic Reputation 40-60%
2. Employer Reputation 10-30%
3. Number of Citations/Number of Publications 7.5-
4. H-index 7.5-20%
5. International Research Network 5-10%



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15%

Our University, which was entitled to be ranked in a total of 3 Main Categories and 4 Sub-Categories in 2023, increased its ranking in the field of "Medicine" to 50 bands worldwide. Gazi University, which maintains its first place in Turkey in the field of "Education" , was among the "Top 30 World Universities" in the field of "Education" this year, as it was last year. **The “Education” field ranking is 27th worldwide.** QS, which is generally based on criteria such as reputation surveys, citation, h-index, and international research network, uses different criterion weights for different fields. Considering the main categories, Gazi University has qualified to be among the "Top 500 Universities" worldwide in the fields of "Life Sciences and Medicine" and



"Arts and Humanities".

News

QS 2023 Field Based Rating Results Are Announced: Gazi University Has Once Again Proved Its Success In The Field Of "Education"

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Gazi University continues to achieve new successes in QS Ratings, in which the number of universities evaluated every year increases.

Gazi University qualified to be rated in a total of 3 Main Categories and 4 Sub-Categories in 2023 and has increased its worldwide ranking in the field of "Medicine" to the 50 band. In the field of "Education" Gazi University maintained its first place in Türkiye and took its place amongst the "Best 30 Universities" worldwide once again this year. QS rankings which is generally based on criteria such as reputation surveys, citations, h-index and international research network, uses different criteria weights for different fields. Considering the main categories, Gazi University qualified in being placed among the "Top 500 Universities" worldwide in the fields of "Life Sciences and Medicine" and "Arts and Humanities".

Our World Success in the Field of "Pharmacy" in QS 2023 Field Rankings

Gazi University added a new one to its successes in the QS 2023 Field Rankings. Our university has gained the right to be one of the 361 universities ranked worldwide in the field of "Pharmacy". In this ranking, where universities are evaluated in line with academic reputation, employer reputation, research and citation outputs, and international research criteria, only three universities from Turkey were included in the list.



The successful performance of our University in the field of "Pharmacy", which was ranked in the QS 2023 Field Rankings together with Hacettepe University and Istanbul University, has resonated throughout the country and the world.

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University Search

Rank	University	Overall Score	
201-250	Hacettepe University Ankara, Turkey	-	Shortlist
301-350	Istanbul University Istanbul, Turkey	-	Shortlist
351-360	Gazi Üniversitesi Ankara, Turkey	-	Shortlist

1-3 of 3 results

† Corrections to university performance may be made after publication. You can view the release version and a summary of any edits here.

Download the results in Excel format.

QS Sustainability Rankings

QS Ranking Agency measured and evaluated the social and environmental sustainability performance of universities for the first time in 2023. According to the 2023 Ranking Results, Gazi University is placed in the 451-500 band among world universities when social and environmental impact is taken into account.




In the 2024 rankings focusing on environmental impact, social impact, and management processes, Gazi University ranked 537th among a total of 1397 institutions worldwide.

The criteria and percentages used for ranking are as follows:

1. Social Impact 45%
2. Environmental Impact 45%
3. Management 10%

24 universities from Turkey were included in the ranking. Gazi University achieved a significant success this year by being ranked 7th among Turkish Universities. The table below lists Turkish Universities among the top 1000 sustainable universities worldwide. Looking at the comparative performance of Gazi University in 2023 and 2024, the percentile of our University in the world rankings increased from 67% to 38%.

2023			
World: 451-500	Total: 700	Top Percentile: 67%	Türkiye: 5-8



2024			
World: 537	Total: 1397	Top Percentile: 38%	Türkiye: 7

When we look at the QS 2024 Sustainability Rankings specifically for Turkey, despite the increase in the number of universities, Gazi University has successfully maintained its current rank and significantly increased its percentile.



When our university's scores in the QS 2024 Sustainability Ranking criteria are examined, our strongest indicators are "Knowledge Exchange" with 86.3 points and "Management" with 85.5 points.

Visual Source: <https://www.topuniversities.com/universities/gazi-universitesi>



QS Regional Universities Rankings

Gazi University achieved great success by being ranked **71st** among a total of 449 higher education institutions in QS EECA (Emerging Europe and Central Asia) regional rankings in



2024 QS Europe University Rankings

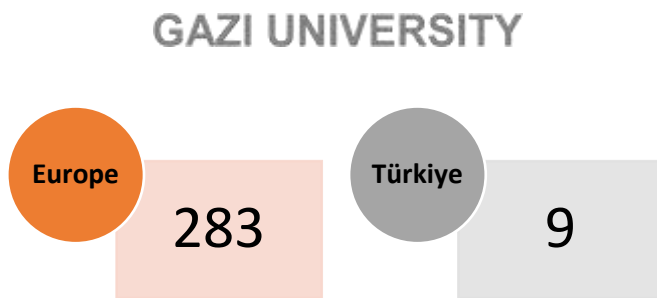
2022 .

In this ranking cycle, QS revised Regional Rankings System and announced the European Rankings in 2024.

The criteria and percentages used for ranking are as follows:

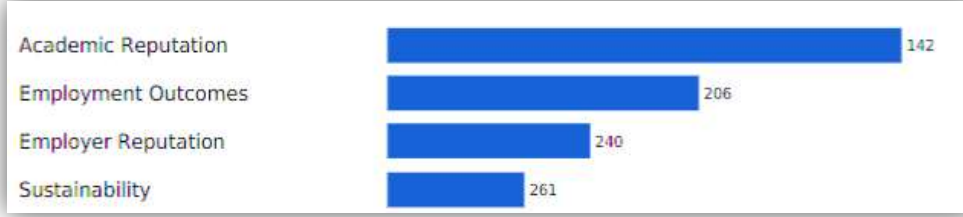
1. Academic Reputation 30%
2. Employer Reputation 15%
3. Number of Citations/Number of Publications 10%
4. International Research Network 10%
5. Number of Publications/Lecturer Ratio 5%
6. Sustainability 5%
7. International Faculty Ratio: 5%
8. International Student Rate 5%
9. International Student Diversity Rate is 5%
10. Exchange Student Rate is 5%
11. Employment Opportunities 5%

Our University, ranked **283rd** among a total of 690 universities ranked in the QS 2024 European Rankings, has succeeded in becoming one of the **"Top 300 Universities" in Europe**. When Turkey's rankings are examined, the number of universities from Turkey included in the QS 2024 European Rankings is **73**. Gazi University once again proved its successful higher education performance by ranking **9th among these universities**.



Additionally, in the image below, it was announced that our University was ranked 142nd in Europe in terms of "Academic Reputation". When looking at the scores between the criteria, it was seen that the criterion in which Gazi University achieved the highest score was "Academic

Reputation" with 48.5 points. This criterion was followed by "Employment" with 35.1 points, "Sustainability" with 34.1 points and "International Research Network" with 33.8 points.



Kaynak: QS Europe Rankings - 2024 Fact File (Ölçüte Göre Avrupa Sıralamaları)

Importance of QS Rankings

QS Ranking Agency is one of the respected organizations that evaluates university performances on an international platform. Ranking results guide international and national students' university choices. In addition, QS outputs are taken into account when evaluating university performances in **"YÖK Monitoring and Evaluation Criteria"** and **"Higher Education Quality Board"**

QS Improvement Studies of Our Rankings Team

QS Regional Manager Sergei Khristoliubov Visited Our University

Sergei Khristoliubov, Regional Director of QS Ranking Agency, one of the organizations that rank universities globally, visited our university on February 1, 2023. With the visit of Regional Director Sergei Khristoliubov, a meeting was held under the chairmanship of Vice Rector Prof. Dr. Ramazan Bayındır. The meeting held in the New Senate Hall of the Rectorate was attended by Vice Rector Prof. Dr. Ramazan Bayındır, Sergei Khristoliubov, International Relations Institution Coordinator Assoc. Dr. Aslıhan Selcen Bingöl, Deputy Coordinator Dr. Fatima Nur Fişne and International Rankings Unit Responsible Lecturer Sercan Sezer.

After Vice Rector Prof. Dr. Ramazan Bayındır's opening speech, Res. Dr. Fatima Nur Fişne made a presentation reflecting our university's perspective on international rankings, specifically the QS Rankings. Our university's QS ranking results were evaluated with the presentation prepared by QS Regional Director Sergei Khristoliubov. Following the presentations, Vice Rector Prof. Dr. Ramazan Bayındır, presented a gift to Khristoliubov . Sergei visited the International Relations

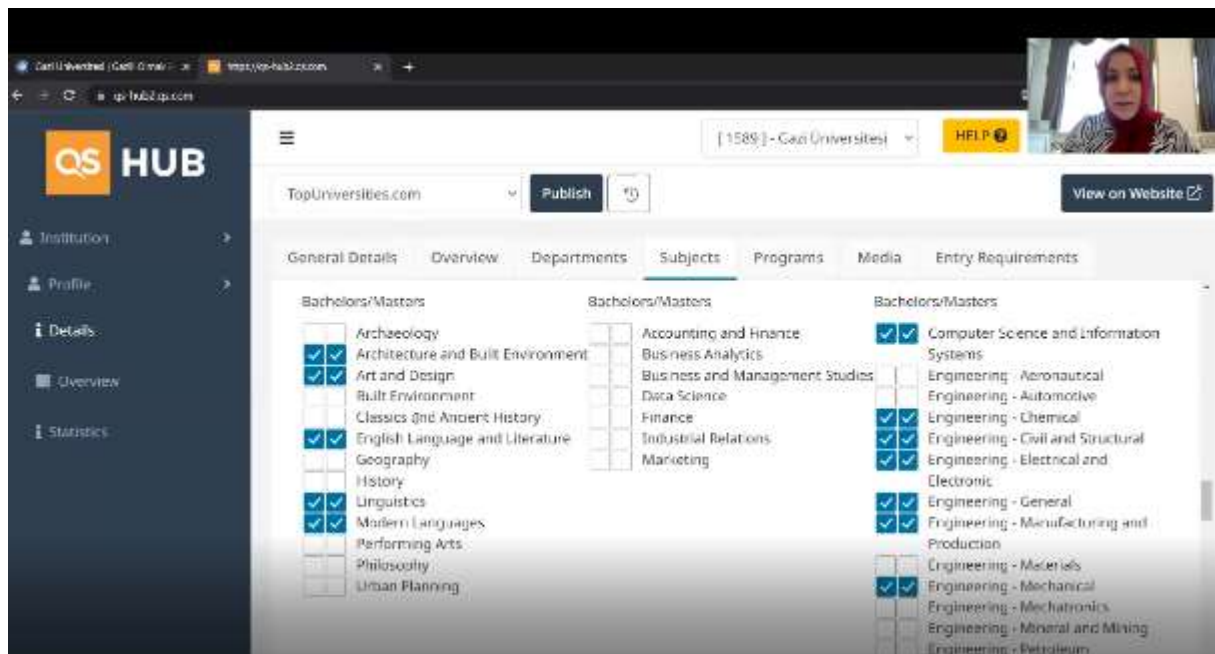
Institution Coordinator after the meeting. Khristoliubov received information about the coordinator work.



QS Rankings were Discussed at Gazi University BEST Board

QS Subject Selection Meeting Was Held

An online meeting was held on April 17, 2023 under the chairmanship of Vice Rector Prof. Dr. Ramazan Bayındır with the participation of International Relations Institution Coordinator Assoc. Dr. Aslıhan Selcen Bingöl, Deputy Coordinator Res. Dr. Fatima Nur Fişne and International Rankings Unit Responsible Lecturer Sercan Sezer and Academic Unit Managers in order to decide which subjects should be evaluated in QS Rankings.



2. Times Higher Education (THE)

Times Higher Education (THE) is a ranking organization that evaluates world universities in terms of teaching, research, citations, international outlook and industry revenue, ranking universities respected by stakeholders with comprehensively calibrated indicators. In our

country, THE ranking results are taken into consideration among the evaluation criteria by YÖKAK .

The ranking categories performed by THE are given below.

1. • THE World University Rankings
2. • THE Asia Rankings
3. • THE Subject Rankings
4. • THE Impact Rankings

THE World University Rankings

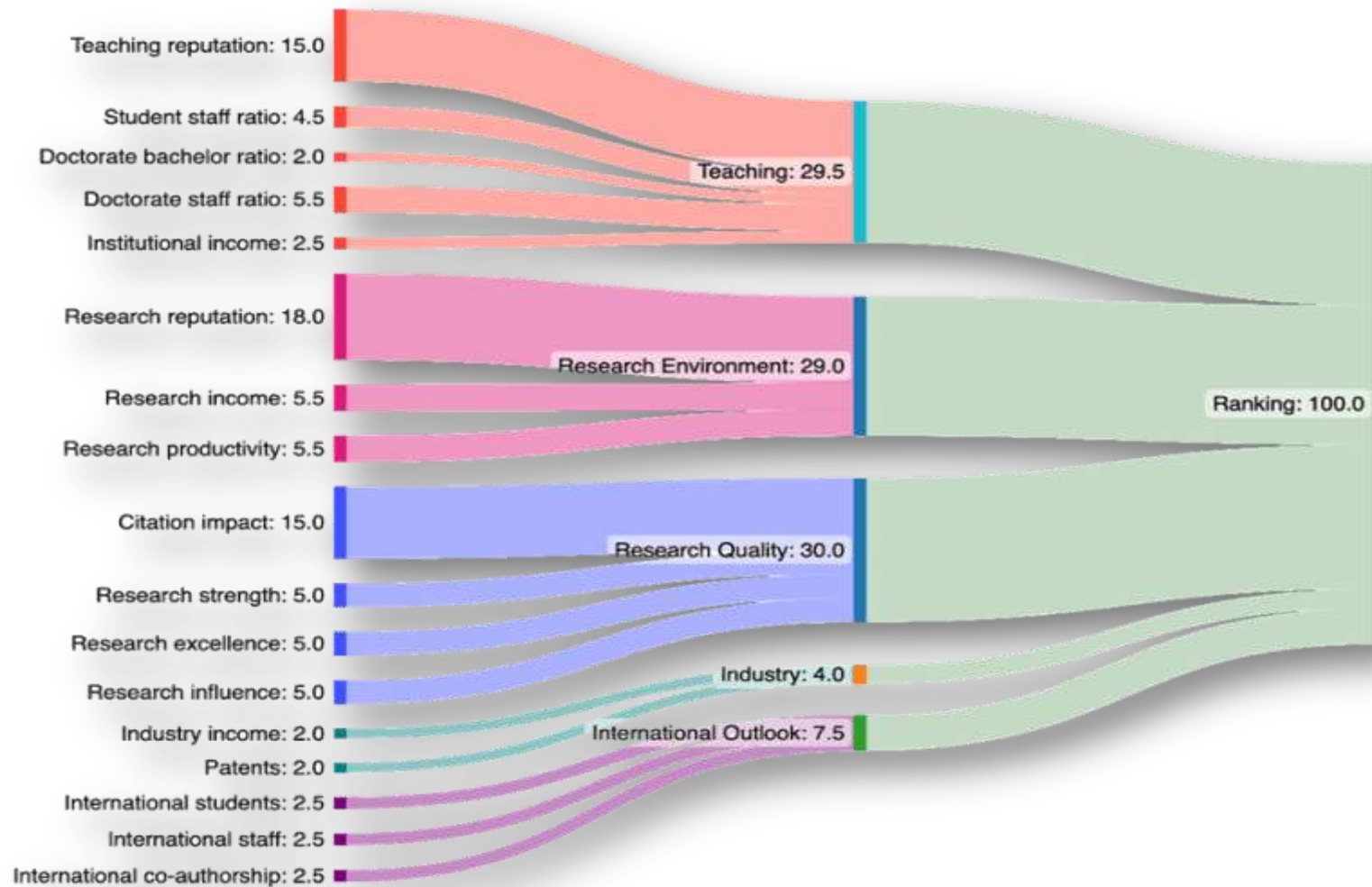


Gazi University was placed in the **1201-1500 band** among the 1799 world universities evaluated by THE in **2023**. Considering THE Agency's **2023 rankings**, our University **maintained its successful performance and** ranked in the **1201-1500 band** among 1904 world universities ranked worldwide. While Gazi University's average performance score was 21.35 in 2023, this average became 25.5 in 2024.

The criteria and percentages used for ranking are as follows:

1. Teaching 29.5%
2. Research Environment 29%
3. Research Quality 30%
4. International outlook 7.5%
5. Industry 4%

THE Criteria Used in World University Rankings and Their Weights



Source: <https://www.timeshighereducation.com/world-university-rankings/world-university-rankings-2024-methodology>

THE Asian Universities Rankings



Gazi University was placed in the 351-400 band among 829 Asian Universities ranked by THE in 2022.

Gazi University kept its current position in 2023 and was ranked in the 351-400 band among 928 universities. While 66 universities from Turkey participated in the 2022 ranking, the number of universities included in the 2023 ranking was 80.

Looking at Turkey rankings in THE Asia the Rankings, Gazi University, which was in the 17-22 band in 2022, was ranked in the 18-21 band in 2023.

The criteria and percentages used for ranking are as follows:

1. Teaching 25%
2. Research 30%
3. Citations 30%
4. International outlook 7.5%
5. Industrial income 7.5%

Table 5. Gazi University Performance in THE Asia 2022 and 2023 Ranking Indicators

2022			
World		Türkiye	
General	Gazi University	General	Gazi University
829	351-400	66	17-22
Percentile: 45%		Percentile: 29.5%	

2023			
World		Türkiye	
General	Gazi University	General	Gazi University
928	351-400	80	18-21
Percentile: 40%		Percentile: 24.5%	

With reference to the percentiles, it can be seen that Gazi University's performance is improving every year both in Turkey and in the world.

THE Subject-Based University Rankings

THE Subject-Based University Rankings use the same criteria as world rankings. However, their weights vary across the subjects The table below gives an example of this difference.

Table 6. Arts and Humanities Criteria and Scores & Clinic and Health Criteria and Scores

	ARTS AND HUMANITIES	CLINIC AND HEALTH
TEACHING	37.3	26.8
RESEARCH ENVIRONMENT	37.2	26.5
RESEARCH NATURE	15	35.2
INTERNATIONAL OUTLOOK	7.5	7.5
INDUSTRY	3	4

When Table 7 is examined, it is seen that Gazi University sustains its current successful performance despite the increase in the number of universities ranked especially in the fields of "Arts and Humanities", "Computer Sciences", "Engineering" and "Physical Sciences".

Table 7. Times Higher Education (THE) Subject-Based World University Rankings Gazi University 2023-2024 Comparative Rankings

		2023		2024	
		World		World	
	Subjects	Gazi University	General	Gazi University	General
1.	Arts and Humanities	601+	663	601+	692
2.	Clinic and Health	601-800	1001	801-100	1059
4.	Computer Science	601-800	974	601-800	1028
5.	Education	401-500	655	501-600	703
6.	Engineering	801-1000	1306	801-1000	1375
7.	Life Sciences	601-800	1017	801-1000	1059
6.	Physical Sciences	1001+	1307	1001+	1371



THE Impact Rankings

International ranking organizations are placing more emphasis on sustainability day by day and ranking higher education institutions in different dimensions in this field. THE Ranking Agency ranks world universities in four broad areas within the scope of the United Nations UNESCO Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) under the title of Impact Rankings.

Among these areas, **partnerships for SDG-17 Goals** is mandatory, but the remaining three areas are chosen by universities themselves, taking into account their areas of strength.

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zi University was evaluated in the "2023 THE Impact " ranking, as in the previous year, in the fields of **SDG 3 - Health and Well-Being, SDG 4 - Quality Education, SDG 7 - Accessible and Clean Energy** .

Our university has increased its "Quality Education" target in the 200 band in 2023 compared to the previous year. Gazi University, which was in the 601-800 band among 1180 universities worldwide last year, was placed in the 401-600 band among 1218 universities this year. In addition to this success, our University increased its score by 6.8 points in the "Quality Education" Sustainable Development Goal by compared to last year. According to the results of THE IMPACT 2023, in which the indicators "First Generation Student", "Lifelong Learning", "Graduation (Primary School Education)" and "Research" were used as criteria, Gazi University significantly increased its scores with its successful performance in each criterion.

THE IMPACT 2022				THE IMPACT 2023		
<i>Quality Education</i>	Point	Order	Total	Point	Order	Total
	46.2	601-800	1180	53	401-600	1218

Importance of THE Rankings

THE is an agency that ranks universities by mainly taking into account the academic performance of higher education institutions and the quality of education and research. Ranking results provide feedback to universities about their academic performance. It also provides information about the field-based research performances and educational quality of universities to stakeholders who consider conducting academic research. In addition, THE ranking outputs are taken into account when evaluating university performances in the **"YÖK Monitoring and Evaluation Criteria"** and **"Higher Education Quality Board Indicators "**.

THE Improvement Efforts of Our Rankings Team

Registered to Current Ranking Systems

Our University has registered for the "THE Interdisciplinary Science Rankings" and "Online Rankings" to be held by Education in the future. A survey regarding the interdisciplinary rankings to be applied to academicians was sent to the academic staff at our University officially.



THE Awards Application was made to Asia 2024 with BELTEK



Gazi University - Ankara Metropolitan Municipality Technical Training Course (BELTEK) has been contributing to the development of our university's cooperation with regional sectors by organizing trainings

since 1999. Our University applied for **THE Awards Asia 2024** with the BELTEK project.

Participating in the THE WUR Boosting Digital Evaluation Webinar

Our University's International Rankings Unit Responsible Lecturer Sercan Sezer participated in the webinar titled " Digital Assessment Boosting", which took place in THE & Cambridge Assessment Collaboration on May 17, 2023.



THE IDR Meeting was Held and the IDR Survey was Delivered to Expert Academicians in the Field

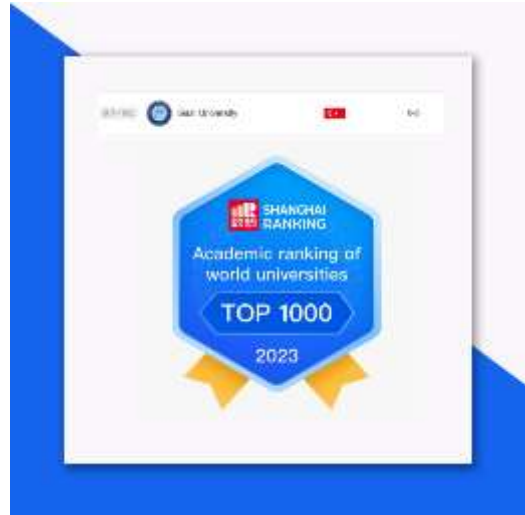


A meeting was held with senior officials of our University on 29.03.2023 for the Interdisciplinary Rankings to be held by THE. In addition, the " Interdisciplinary Research Survey" was sent to academicians who are experts in their fields at our University via EBYS letter.

3. Shanghai Rankings

Academic Ranking of World Universities (ARWU) conducted has been ranked in Shanghai since 2009. Drawing particular attention to the Nobel Prizes won and research publications, the ShanghaiRanking ARWU evaluates more than 1,800 higher education institutions every year.

After this evaluation, the rankings of the higher education institutions that are qualified in the top 1000 are announced. The ranking categories performed by ShanghaiRanking are given below.



ARWU Ranking Categories

- one. • Academic Ranking of World Universities (ARWU) Ranking of World Universities
2. • Global Ranking of Academic Subjects (GRAS) Global Rankings of Academic Subjects
3. • Global Ranking of Sport Science Schools and Departments - Global Rankings of Sport Science Schools and Departments
4. • Best China Universities Rankings - Best China Universities Rankings

Academic Ranking of World Universities (ARWU)

Based on the ranking criteria that are Nobel Prizes won, research outputs and academic performance of faculty members, Shanghai Ranking ranking agency announces the 1000 best performing world universities every year. Gazi University continues its successful performance by being ranked in the 901-1000 band worldwide this year, as it was last year. When we look at

Turkey's rankings, only 8 of the public and private universities are ranked in Shanghai ARWU Ranking 2023 list. **While Gazi University was in the 6-11 band last year, it once again proved its successful academic performance by placing in the 6-8 band among these universities in 2023.**

The criteria and percentages used for ranking are as follows:

1. Educational Qualification 10%
2. Instructor Qualification 40%
3. Research Output 40%
4. Academic Performance 10%



Global Rankings of Academic Subjects (GRAS)

In addition to world rankings, ShangaiRanking also ranked higher education institutions according to 55 different subjects in 2023. Research and internationalism come to the forefront in subject-based ranking criteria. The criteria used for ranking are as follows:

1. Research Output (Q1)
2. Research Impact (CNCI)
3. International Cooperation (IC)
4. Research Quality
5. International Academic Awards

Importance of ShangaiRanking

ShangaiRanking is an institution that ranks higher education institutions among the top 1000 universities, taking into account their academic performance and educational quality. Ranking results provide feedback to universities about their academic performance. ShangaiRanking ranking outputs (ARWU) are taken into account in **“YÖK Monitoring and Evaluation Criteria”** and **"Higher Education Quality Board"**.

4. Green Metric

UI GreenMetric World University Rankings is a large-scale initiative launched by the University of Indonesia in 2010. The purpose of this ranking is to rank world universities on an international platform according to their current status and policies regarding "**Green Campus**" and "**Sustainability**". This ranking aims to draw stakeholders' attention to issues such as global climate change, energy and water savings, waste recycling, transportation, and education. The issues mentioned in this way are expected to gain more importance.



The criteria and percentages used for ranking are as follows:

1. Structure and Infrastructure 15 %
2. Energy and Climate Change 21 %
3. Waste 18%
4. Water 10%
5. Transportation 18%
6. Education and Research 18%



Gazi University, in 2022, was ranked **636th among 1050 world universities**. In the 2023 Greenmetric Rankings, Gazi University **ranked 483rd** among 1183 universities evaluated worldwide and took its place among the top 500 sustainable universities.

Gazi University, which increased its score by 1215 compared to last year, ranked 45th among the 98 universities included in the ranking in

2023 in Turkey. When we look at the results of 2022 and 2023 in detail, our University made progress in all ranking criteria and showed a very successful performance, especially in the fields of "Energy and Climate Change", "Waste" and "Education and Research" .



Table 8. Gazi University UI Greenmetric Comparative Ranking Performance in 2022 and 2023

	World Ranking	Türkiye Ranking	Total Point	Structure and Infrastructure	Energy and Climate Change	Waste	Water	Transportation	Education and Research
2021	758	59	4000	775	375	600	400	1075	775
2022	636	56	5220	900	1050	675	310	1185	1100
2023	483	45	6435	925	1375	975	450	1185	1525

Importance of Greenmetric Rankings

UI GreenMetric World University Rankings ranks higher education institutions based on six key criteria with different weights: *Structure and Infrastructure*, *It ranks universities according to Energy and Climate Change*, *Waste*, *Water*, *Transportation*, *Education and Research*, and thus aims to measure the performance of universities within the scope of "Green Campus" and "Sustainability". In this context, UI Greenmetric is a ranking agency that aims to provide feedback to universities on improving themselves by providing detailed reports and evaluations.

UI GreenMetric World University Ranking is considered among the **"YÖK Monitoring and Evaluation Criteria"** by which YÖK monitors the performance of research universities.



Greenmetric Improvement Studies of Our Ranking Team

Participation in IWGM 2023 from our International Rankings Team

Our academic staff working in the International Rankings Unit of our University's International Relations Institution Coordinatorship, Res. Dr. Fatima Nur FİŞNE and Lecturer Sercan SEZER participated in the **"9th International Workshop on GreenMetric World Universities Rankings"** held at Universidade do Minho in Braga, Portugal, between 15-17 June 2023 (IWGM)". It was the workshop where the theme of sustainability was discussed, and international research was exhibited in oral presentations and poster presentations.



Rui Vieira de Castro, Rector of Universidade do Minho University, made the opening ceremony speech of the workshop, and stated that he was happy that the sustainability-focused Greenmetric event was held at their universities this year and that these studies were highly important. The last speech of the opening was made by the head of the UI GreenMetric team, Prof. Dr. Ir . Riri Fitri Made by Sari . At the end of the ceremony, where group and group photographs were taken, posters presented by the researchers were exhibited.

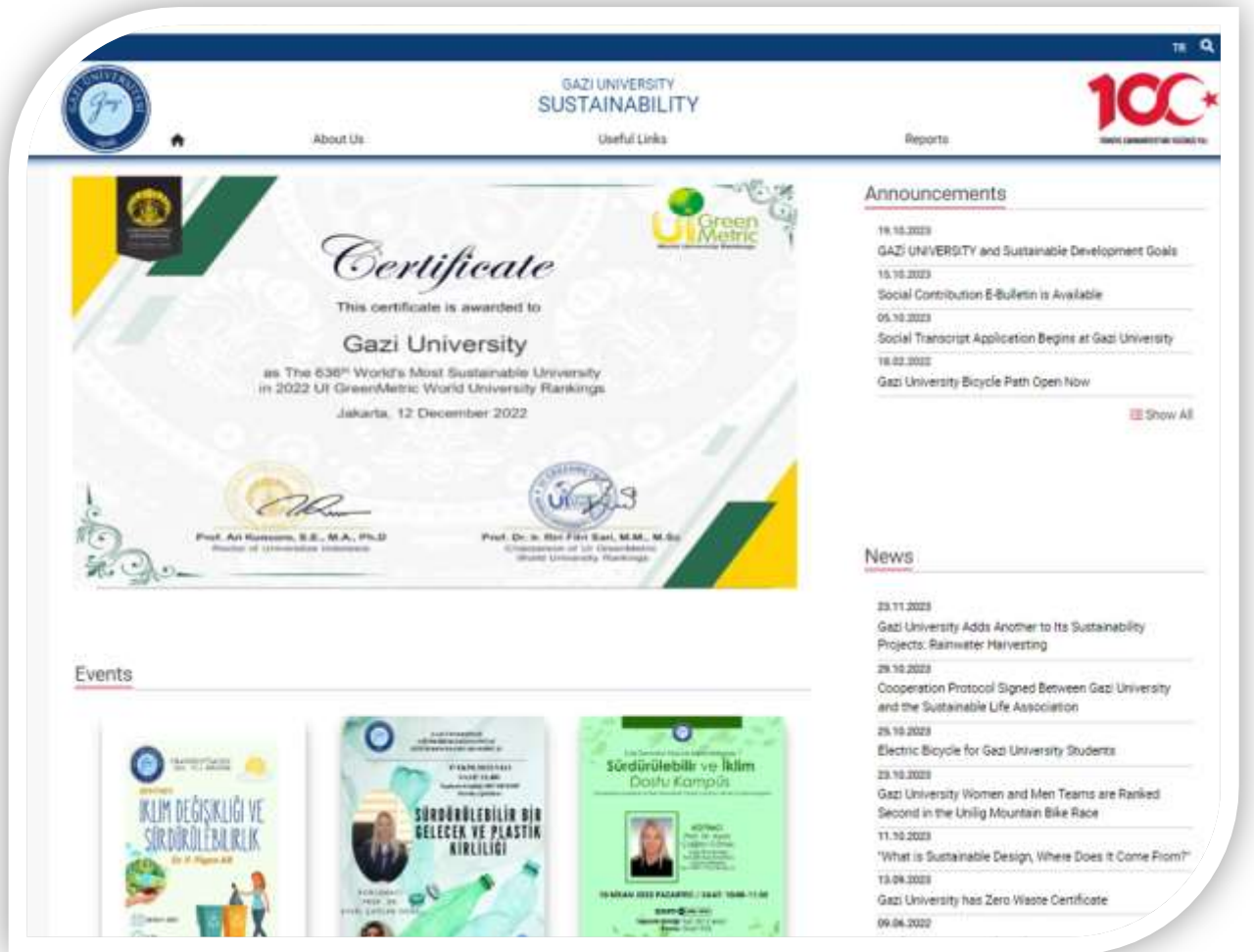
A Meeting on Sustainability Themed Ranking Agencies was Held



An online meeting was held on July 6, 2023 under the chairmanship of Vice Rector Prof. Dr. Ramazan Bayındır and with the participation of International Relations Institution Coordinator Assoc. Dr. Aslıhan Selcen Bingöl, Deputy Coordinator Res. Dr. Fatima Nur Fişne and International Rankings Unit Responsible Lecturer Sercan Sezer and our University's "Zero Waste and Sustainability Commission" Academic Stakeholders and Administrators.

Gazi University Sustainability Website has been established with the Cooperation of Our International Rankings Team

Gazi University sustainability website was created in cooperation with our University's International Relations Institution Coordinatorship and Social Affairs Institution Coordinatorship. Our university's sustainability activities and reports are shared on the website.



Raising Sustainability Awareness at Our University in Collaboration with Our International Rankings Team

With the feedback provided by our International Rankings Team and Zero Waste Commission



Members to our university officials, important information in line with the sustainable development goals was printed on the napkin holders by Gazi University Health, Culture and Sports Department. Additionally, sustainability-themed posters have started to be displayed on different bulletin boards of our University.

Additionally, the "Rainwater Harvesting" project was implemented in different regions of our university. In this way, these resources will be used in campus irrigation services.

“Sustainable Campus Visits” by our International Rankings Team

Our University's International Rankings Team visited Gazi University OSTİM, TUSAŞ KAZAN and GÖLBAŞI Campuses within the scope of sustainability studies, which have an important place in the rankings. The current status of our university's sustainability goals and upcoming plans were examined in detail.



5. Round University World (RUR) Rankings (Clarivate)

RUR Ranking agency was established in Moscow in 2013. RUR is an international ranking agency that evaluates the performance of more than 1,000 leading world universities from 82 different countries, based on criteria such as teaching, research, international diversity and financial sustainability. The ranking categories performed by RUR are listed below:



Gazi University was ranked **727th** among a total of 1217 universities ranked by Clarivate in 2023. When we look at the rankings in Türkiye, our University is ranked 11th among a total of 38 universities. **According to RUR Results, Gazi University, which ranks 510th in the world in the "Teaching" criterion, is Turkey's 3rd Best University in this category.**

The criteria and percentages used for ranking are as follows:

1. Teaching (40%)

- Student/Academic Staff Ratio 8%
- Bachelor's Degree/Academic Staff 8%
- Academic Staff/PhD Degree 8%
- Bachelor's Degree/PhD Degree 8%

- e) Online Appreance 8%

2. Research (40%)

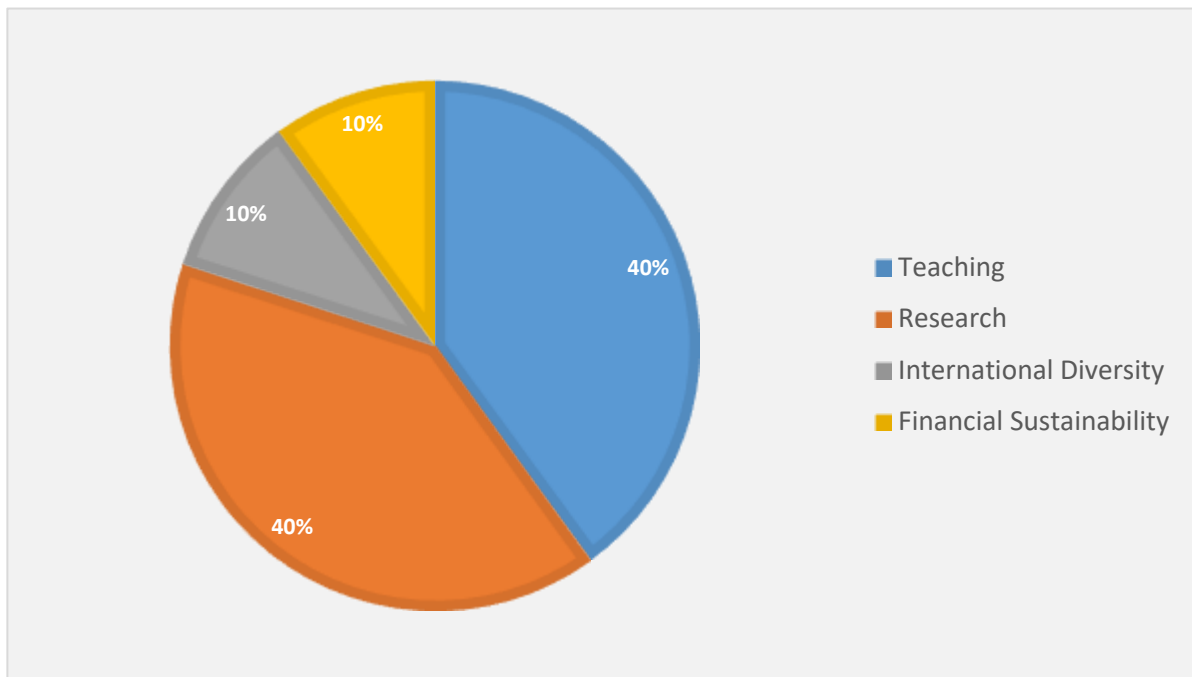
- a) Academic and Research Personnel/Citation 8%
- b) Accepted PhD Student/PhD Degree 8%
- c) Normalized Citation Impact 8%
- d) Number of Academic and Research Personnel/Publications 8%
- e) Social Media Apperance 8%

3. International Diversity (10%)

- a) International Academic Staff 2%
- b) International Student 2%
- c) International Co-Authored Publication 2%
- d) New Media Impact 2%
- e) International Level 2%

4. Financial Sustainability (10%)

- a) Academic Staff/Institution Income 2%
- b) Student/Institution Income 2%
- c) Research Income/Institution Income 2%
- d) Academic and Research Personnel/Research Income 2%
- e) Financial Sustainability Impact 2%



Subject Based Rankings (Clarivate)

RUR Subject-Based Rankings evaluate the higher education institutions on the basis of 4 main criteria in 6 different fields. Gazi University was ranked **427th** in the field of Humanities, 520th in Life Sciences, **426th** in Medical Science , **621st** in Natural Sciences, **465th** in Social Sciences and **588th** in Technical Sciences among the world universities by Clarivate in 2022. Looking at the rankings for 2023, Gazi University was placed in the **504** band in the field of Humanities, **583** in Life Sciences , **426** in Medical Science, **641** in Natural Sciences , **547** in Social Sciences and **537** in Technical Sciences.

Academic Reputation Rankings (Clarivate)

The RUR Reputation Rankings aim to measure the impact of a particular institution on a global scale. This ranking evaluates institutions on only two indicators (teaching and research reputation) that have the same weight (50%). While Gazi University was ranked in the **350 band** among world universities ranked by Clarivate in 2022 considering academic reputation, it moved its global reputation ranking to **272nd** in the 2023 rankings .

Academic Performance Rankings (Clarivate)

The RUR Research Performance Rankings evaluate university performance in terms of scientific activity, scientific quality, and recognition of research. This category evaluates the universities with indicators such as normalized citation impact, citations per article, articles per academic and research staff, research reputation, and international co-authored articles. Gazi University was ranked in the **679 band** among world universities ranked by Clarivate in 2022; on the other hand, in the 2023 rankings, our university increased by 10 steps and was ranked 669th.

Importance of Clarivate Rankings

Clarivate is a ranking agency that evaluates higher education institutions based on the reputation and quality of teaching and research, internationality and financial sustainability. Subject-based rankings, reputation and research performance rankings provide feedback not only to universities but also to stakeholders who plan to conduct academic studies. Clarivate ranking outputs are taken into account when evaluating university performances in the "**Higher Education Quality Board Indicators**".

Round University Rankings Improvement Studies

Round University Ranking Evaluation Meeting was Held

A meeting was planned within the scope of the Compilation and Evaluation of Round University Ranking (RUR-Clarivate) in order to evaluate the data provided by our university to international ranking agencies, to consult about the problems encountered in data compilation, and to compare our data with the previous year. The meeting was chaired by Our Vice Rector Prof. Dr. Ramazan BAYINDIR. Our International Relations Institution Coordinator Assoc. Dr. Aslıhan Selcen BİNGÖL and Corporate Data Management System active data providers from the administrative units of our university attended the meeting. Following Sercan SEZER's presentation, this year's RUR data was discussed in all its dimensions, with the feedback of data providers defined on KVYS and participating in the meeting.



6. U- Multirank Rankings (U- Multirank)

U- Multirank is a ranking agency which is financed by the European Commission, and carried out its first ranking in 2014, evaluates higher education institutions on an international

platform. Unlike other ranking agencies, U- Multirank explains the performance of higher education institutions on an indicator-based basis with qualitative grades such as **"Very good: A, Good: B, Average: C, Below average: D and Poor: E"** .

U- Multirank criteria used for ranking are given below as follows:

1. Teaching and Learning
2. Research
3. Information Transfer
4. Internationality
5. Regional Participation



U- Multirank Ranking Categories

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|-----------|-----------------------------------|
| 1. | • U-Multirank Corporate Ranking |
| 2. | • U-Multirank Field Based Ranking |

The evaluations made by U- Multirank can also be accessed under the classifications of "research", "economy", "teaching and learning", " internationality ", "applied knowledge" and "science and technology". In addition, universities can obtain information about the regional effectiveness of their institutions according to the regional- based evaluation results announced by the U- Multirank ranking agency.

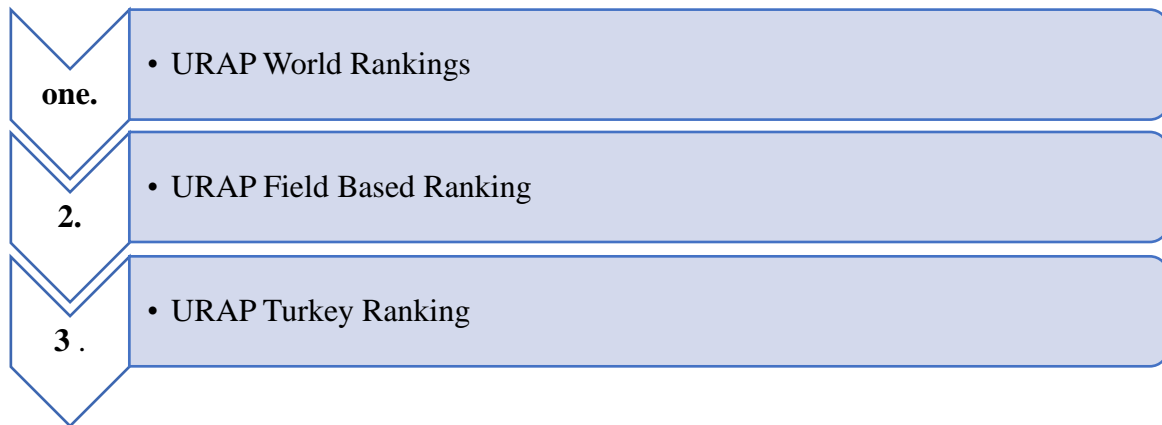
U-Multirank, which continues its renewal efforts in 2023, did not carry out university ranking activities specifically this year.

Importance of U-Multirank Rankings

U-Multirank is a ranking agency that closely follows the performance of the world universities based on the comprehensive evaluation criteria, and provides detailed information about the academic subjects. Including student opinions in performance evaluation by applying not only institutional surveys but also student surveys provides a basis for the decisions of the students who will choose a higher education institution to study. It is one of the highly respected ranking organizations, especially for providing comprehensive information on both institution-based and field-based information to students who will choose a university on an international platform.

7. University Ranking by Academic Performance (URAP)

URAP (University Academic Performance Ranking) is a ranking agency established within the Middle East Technical University, Türkiye, in 2009. This organization aims to evaluate the academic performance of higher education institutions and rank the institutions worldwide according to the evaluation results. As seen in the image below, URAP ranks universities worldwide, across Turkey and on a field-based basis.



URAP World Rankings 2023-2024

URAP conducts its rankings on an academic year basis. According to the 2023-2024 URAP World Ranking Results, Gazi University ranked **995th** among a total of 3000 universities .

The criteria used for ranking are as follows:

1. Article (Scientific Productivity)
2. Citation (Research Impact)
3. Total Publications (Scientific Productivity)
4. Article Impact (Research Quality)
5. Citation Impact (Research Quality)
6. International Cooperation (Internationality)

URAP Türkiye Ranking 2023-2024

Gazi University maintained its successful performance by being ranked **8th among a total of 190** universities in Türkiye. As shown in the list and image below, URAP based its rankings on the number of research, students and projects made use of Analytics/InCites and data published by YÖK. In this ranking methodology, the highest score that can be

obtained from each criterion is 100 and universities were evaluated out of a total of 1500 points.

The criteria used for ranking are as follows:

1. Number of Articles
2. Number of Articles per Faculty Member
3. Number of Citations
4. Number of Citations per Faculty Member
5. Total Number of Publications
6. Total Number of Publications per Faculty Member
7. Number of PhD Graduates
8. PhD Student Ratio
9. Number of Students per Faculty Member
10. Number of International Joint Articles
11. Number of International Joint Articles per Faculty Member
12. Number of National Joint Articles
13. Number of National Joint Articles per Faculty Member
14. Number of Projects Received from TÜBİTAK
15. Number of Projects Received from TÜBİTAK per Faculty Member

Number of Articles	Number of Articles per Faculty Member	Number of Citations	Number of Citations per Faculty Member	Total Number of Scientific Documents
Total Number of Scientific Documents per Faculty Member	Number of PhD Graduates	PhD Student Ratio	Number of Students per Faculty Member	Number of International Joint Articles
Number of International Joint Articles per Faculty Member	Number of Domestic Joint Articles	Number of Domestic Common Articles per Faculty Member	Number of Projects Received from TÜBİTAK	Number of Projects Received from TÜBİTAK per Faculty Member

Visual 1. 15 Basic Criteria Considered in URAP Rankings

In the 2023-2024 Rankings, URAP classified Turkish Universities according to whether they have a Faculty of Medicine and compared university performances in two separate tables in addition to the general rankings. Gazi University ranked 4th in Turkey's rankings with 981.83 points among state universities with a Faculty of Medicine.

2023-2024 URAP Türkiye Sıralamasında Tıp Fakültesi Olan İlk 10 Üniversitemiz			2023-2024 URAP Türkiye Sıralamasında Tıp Fakültesi Olmayan İlk 10 Üniversitemiz		
Üniversiteler	SIRA	TOPLAM PUAN	Üniversiteler	SIRA	TOPLAM PUAN
KOÇ ÜNİVERSİTESİ	1	1126,41	ORTA DOĞU TEKNİK ÜNİVERSİTESİ	1	1060,65
HACETTEPE ÜNİVERSİTESİ	2	1072,84	İSTANBUL TEKNİK ÜNİVERSİTESİ	2	1032,01
ANKARA ÜNİVERSİTESİ	3	1032,51	SABANCI ÜNİVERSİTESİ	3	996,84
İSTANBUL ÜNİVERSİTESİ	4	1029,23	İHSAN DOĞRAMACI BİLKENT Ü.	4	922,40
GAZİ ÜNİVERSİTESİ	5	981,83	GEBZE TEKNİK ÜNİVERSİTESİ	5	917,82
EGE ÜNİVERSİTESİ	6	978,85	YILDIZ TEKNİK ÜNİVERSİTESİ	6	909,99
MARMARA ÜNİVERSİTESİ	7	914,40	BOĞAZİÇİ ÜNİVERSİTESİ	7	878,91
ERCİYES ÜNİVERSİTESİ	8	909,82	İZMİR YÜKSEK TEKNOLOJİ E.	8	862,47
ATATÜRK ÜNİVERSİTESİ	9	884,70	ÇANKAYA ÜNİVERSİTESİ	9	777,82
DOKUZ EYLÜL ÜNİVERSİTESİ	10	873,10	ANADOLU ÜNİVERSİTESİ	10	717,58

Visual 2. Having a Faculty of Medicine Rankings of Universities that do not exist
(Source: [LMXFeyEZgGzNNBDtm.pdf \(urapcenter.org\)](https://www.urapcenter.org/LMXFeyEZgGzNNBDtm.pdf))

Comparative Performance of Gazi University in URAP Rankings

Our university continued its successful performance in this year's rankings, as it did last year, and ranked 8th among all foundation and state universities in Turkey. In the 2023-2024 rankings, Gazi University's overall score increased by 3.7 points. Score increases were also observed in the Articles, Number of Faculty Members/Students and International Collaborations criteria.

Gazi University Performance in URAP 2023-2024 Rankings

No	Üniversite	Makale Puanı	Atıf Puanı	Bilimsel Doküman Puanı	Doktora Puanı	Öğretim Üyesi / Öğrenci Puanı	Uluslararası İşbirliği Puanı	Yurtiçi İşbirliği Puanı	TÜBİTAK Proje Puanı	Toplam Puan
8	GAZİ ÜNİVERSİTESİ	156,42	149,86	157,13	187,66	67,38	83,81	68,75	110,81	981,83

Gazi University Performance in URAP 2022-2023 Rankings

No	Üniversite	Makale Puanı	Atıf Puanı	Bilimsel Doküman Puanı	Doktora Puanı	Öğretim Üyesi / Öğrenci Puanı	Uluslararası İşbirliği Puanı	Yurtiçi İşbirliği Puanı	TÜBİTAK Proje Puanı	Toplam Puan
8	GAZİ ÜNİVERSİTESİ	144,99	151,04	160,89	195,28	60,00	80,51	70,33	115,10	978,13

URAP Field Based Ranking 2022-2023

In the 2022-2023 World Rankings conducted by the URAP ranking agency in 78 different academic fields, our University achieved great success by being ranked in 15 different fields.

In the URAP Field-Based Rankings, where the number of participating universities is determined by using the "number of articles" and relevant research outputs in methodological evaluations based on scientific productivity, Gazi University became one of the top 10 universities in Turkey in 14 of the 15 fields in which it was ranked. In addition, our University has succeeded in being among the top 3 universities in Turkey in the fields of Education, Energy, Materials Engineering and Pharmacy. **It became one of the 500 most respected universities around the globe in the fields of Education, Energy, Surgical Sciences and Pharmacy.**

Table 9. Gazi University 2022-2023 URAP Field Rankings

Area	Türkiye		World	
	Gazi University Ranking	Number of Universities Eligible for Ranking	Gazi University Ranking	Number of Universities Eligible for Ranking
Chemical Engineering	4	10	685	1000
Education	3	4	369	500
Energy	3	4	406	500
Mathematical Sciences	12	16	860	1000
Medicine and Health Sciences	7	80	627	2000
Surgical Sciences	10	12	474	500
Technology	5	26	838	1500
Biological Sciences	8	23	1082	1500
Chemical Sciences	8	30	917	1500
Electrical electronics Engineering	6	9	831	1000
Engineering	6	36	717	1500
Materials Engineering	3	10	712	1000
Mechanical Engineering	4	11	575	1000
Pharmacy	3	6	428	500

Importance of URAP Ranking

The fact that URAP ranking agency's evaluation criteria are based on academic performance and separate scoring for each indicator enables URAP to provide feedback to higher education institutions around the world regarding their academic success. URAP rankings are also taken into account **in the "Higher Education Quality Board Indicators"**.

8. CWTS Leiden Rankings

Leiden rankings are conducted by the Center for Science and Technology Research (CWTS) in the Netherlands. The ranking methodology is based on the academic outputs. **Gazi University was ranked 643rd among a total of 1411 world universities included in the ranking in 2023.** Despite the increase in the number of universities compared to last year, our University has improved its position by 4 ranks. As for Türkiye Rankings, Gazi University maintains its performance in the **7th** rank among 36 universities in total.

The criteria used for ranking are as follows:

1. Scientific Impact
2. Collaboration
3. Open Access

Importance of CWTS Leiden Rankings

Leiden rankings evaluate the scientific, academic, and collaborative activities of the universities and provide stakeholders with relative and comparative information about these variables. Through the CTWS Leiden Rankings Results, higher education institutions have the opportunity to analyze their performance at national and international levels.

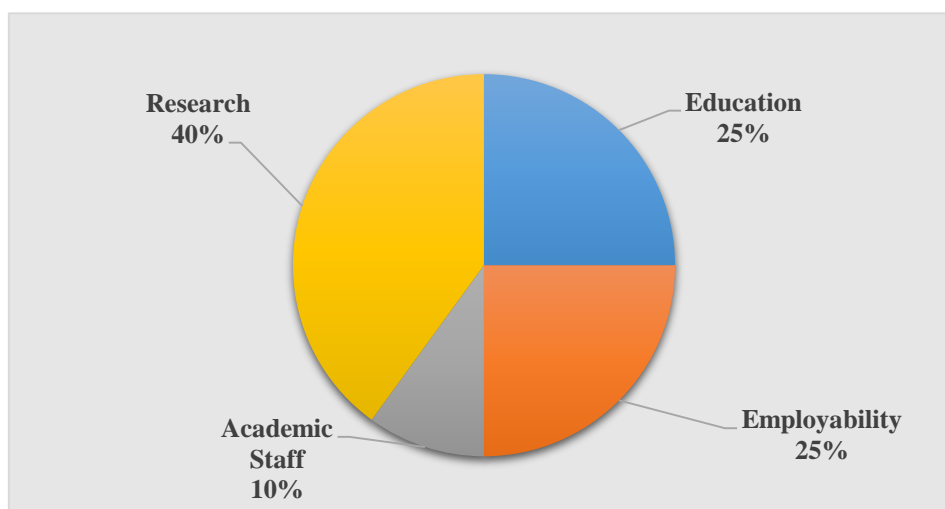
9. Center For World University Ranking (CWUR)

The Center for World University CWUR, known as Rankings (World Universities Ranking Center), started its activities in Saudi Arabia in 2012 by ranking the top 100 world universities. Then the scope of the ranking was expanded and the top 2000 universities started to be announced. Since 2016, this center has been operated in the United Arab Emirates. CWUR is a ranking agency that takes into account research performance, graduate employability and educational quality.

Gazi University ranked 973rd among the 2000 world universities ranked by CWUR in 2023.

The criteria and percentages used for ranking are as follows:

1. Educational Qualification 25%
2. Graduate Employment 25%
3. Instructor Quality 10%



4. Research Performance 40%

Table 10. Gazi University 2022 and 2023 CWUR Results Comparative Table

	Türkiye		World		Score	
	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023
Gazi University	8	10	906	973	70.8	70.6

Importance of CWUR Rankings

The Center for World University Rankings (CWUR) is a ranking organization that provides consultancy services to improve the educational and research outcomes of higher education institutions. CWUR, which has been operated since 2012, evaluates the quality of education and teaching staff, graduate employment and research performance. Higher education institutions can obtain information about their performance in line with results on an international platform based on indicators.

10. SCImago institutions Rankings World Report (SCImago)

The SCImago Institutions Ranking (SIR) is a ranking agency that ranks universities based on research performance, innovation output and societal impact. Gazi University was placed in the **1737 band** among 4533 world universities ranked by SCImago in 2023.

The criteria and percentages used for ranking are as follows:

1. Research 50%
2. Innovation 30%
3. Social Impact 20%

Importance of SCImago Rankings

SCImago evaluates university performances from different perspectives, with innovation and social impact indicators as well as research performance. Higher education institutions can track their performance among universities around the world based on these indicators. SCImago ranking outputs are taken into account in the "**Higher Education Quality Board Indicators**".

11. US News and World-Report-Global Ranking (USN&W)

The US News & World Report Best Global Universities rankings are conducted to provide insights into how universities compare globally. All universities can benchmark themselves against schools in their own country and region, become more visible on the world stage, and find the best institutions in other countries to collaborate with.

Gazi University ranked **1225th** among 2165 World Universities ranked by USN&W in 2022. It was ranked 25th among 81 universities ranked in Turkey. **The 2023 Global Rankings have not been announced yet.**

The criteria and percentages used for ranking are as follows:

1. Global Research Reputation 12.5%
2. Regional Research Reputation 12.5%
3. Publications 10%
4. Books 2.5%

5. Conferences 2.5%
6. Normalized Citation Impact 10%
7. Total Citation 7.5%
8. Number of Publications Among the Most Cited 10% 12.5%
9. Percentage of Total Publications Among the Most Cited 10% 10%
10. International Cooperation (By Country) 5%
11. International Cooperation 5%
12. Number of Highly Cited Articles Among the Top 1% in Their Field 5%
13. Percentage of Total Publications Among the Top 1% Most Cited Articles 5%

Importance of USN&W Rankings

USN&W ranks higher education institutions according to different criteria, both globally, regionally and nationally. Based on these results, universities can obtain information about their performance on different platforms. In addition, USN&W ranking outputs are also taken into account when evaluating university performances in the "**Higher Education Quality Board Indicators**".

12. Webometrics

"Webometrics Ranking of World Universities" is the activity of a public research organization of Spanish origin. The purposes of the ranking are to encourage web publications, support open access, and provide electronic access to scientific and other academic publications. Gazi University was ranked in the 1041 band among 11989 world universities according to the latest announced Webometrics rankings.

The criteria and percentages used for ranking are as follows:

1. Visibility 50%
2. Transparency 10%
3. Excellence 40%

Importance of Webometrics Rankings

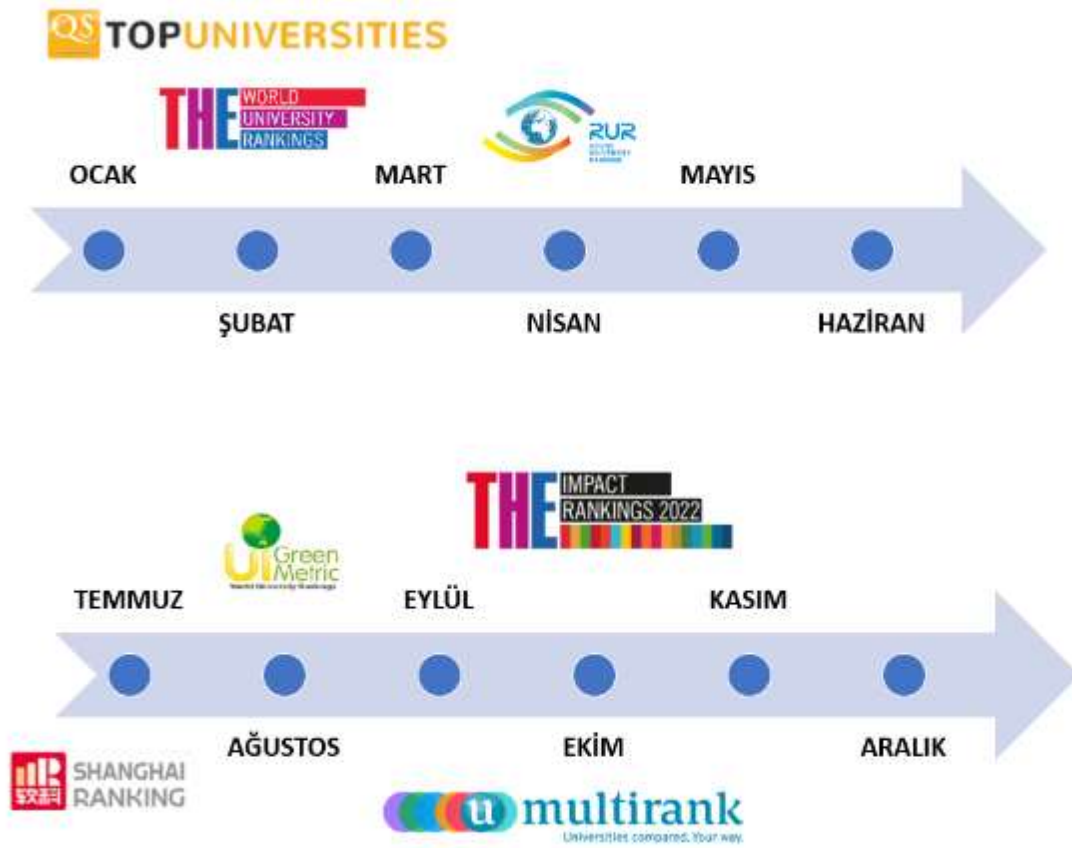
The Webometrics ranking examines higher education institutions based on visibility, transparency and excellence criteria. In this regard, it aims to encourage universities to have a web presence that reflects their corporate activities. Webometrics ranking performance provides feedback to institutions about their web policies.

INTERNATIONAL RANKINGS IMPROVEMENT ACTIVITIES

Since International Rankings provide scientific and educational notifications to higher education institutions, our department has carried out some important activities to improve the ranking studies.

- ✓ In 2023, "Sustainability" studies were particularly focused on, in this context, campuses were visited and awareness of sustainable universities was increased.
- ✓ It closely followed the sustainability practices implemented at our university and reported these practices to ranking agencies.
- ✓ Consultation meetings were held with all administrative and academic units from which data was collected before data submission, supporting documents were collected for the data that varied, and an agreement was reached on the data point.
- ✓ Ranking outcomes were discussed in the Strategic Planning Commissions and Gazi BEST Board, and opinions were received from experts for performance improvement.
- ✓ Importance was given to cooperation with Ranking Agencies, and when information about indicators was required, organizations were contacted via e-mail.
- ✓ Informative brochures have been designed to raise awareness about rankings at our university.
- ✓ Information meetings titled ranking were held for different international and national higher education institutions.
- ✓ Validity and reliability studies of our data to be sent to organizations were carried out using different statistical methods.
- ✓ Our unit has closely followed the scientific activities carried out by ranking agencies and participated in meetings that are important for our University.

OUR WORK SCHEDULE



Our International Rankings Team's data collection and data flow cycle is shown in the table above. As of January every year, Our team starts working on “QS” and “Times Higher Education” rankings, and sends the QS data at the beginning of February; in March, “Times Higher Education” requires the data submission for the WUR Ranking. In April, our team begins studies for Round University Rankings (RUR) and completes data submission in May and June. Our team continues its extensive work for the "Shangai GROUP Survey”, which started to be opened for data submission in June, and for "Greenmetric", which emphasizes the theme of sustainability. In September and October, our department compiles data for THE Impact Rankings. Similarly, as of September, our team continues to work to provide reliable and valid data for U-Multirank World and Field-Based Rankings. In addition to ranking studies, our unit holds validation meetings with the departments from which data is collected before each data submission. At the end of the year, it prepares an annual performance evaluation report.

Gazi University 2023 Ranking Summary

- Focusing on the themes of "Green Campus" and "Sustainability", Gazi University was ranked **483rd in the UI Greenmetric 2023 Rankings** and became one of **the "500 Most Sustainable Universities in the World"** .
- **In Times Higher Education Impact Rankings** focusing on the theme of sustainability, our University has increased its rank in the 200 band compared to the previous year in the **"Quality Education" SDG and placed in the 401-600 band** worldwide.
- According to the QS 2024 Sustainability results, our University was ranked **7th in Turkey** and increased its percentile in the world from **67% to 38%**.
- Continuing its success in the QS 2023 Subject-Based Rankings, Gazi University was ranked **27th** worldwide in the field of **"Education"**; It has become one of **the top 500 universities** worldwide in the field of **"Life Sciences and Medicine "**. In addition, our institution is one of **the 361 universities** evaluated worldwide in the field of **"Pharmacy"**; It has achieved the success of being one of **the 3 universities** ranked across Turkey.
- In the URAP 2022-2023 Field Rankings, our University **has taken its rank among the top 500 universities** worldwide in the fields of **Education, Energy, Surgical Sciences, and Pharmacy**.
- Gazi University was also ranked 4th among the state universities with a Faculty of Medicine in the URAP 2023-2024 Turkey Rankings, and our University has once again proven its success throughout the country.
- Gazi University also makes a name for itself in the European Rankings. Our University was **ranked 283rd in the QS 2024 European Rankings, where** a total of 690 European universities were evaluated, and became one of **the "Top 300 Universities "** in Europe.
- As a different regional ranking education, in **THE Asian Rankings**, our University was placed in **the 351-400 band** according to the 2023 results.
- **Shanghai ranking**, which announces the best 1000 universities in the world every year, our University maintained its current performance and placed **in the 901-1000 band**, showing the success of being one of the best universities in the world. In addition, our University is placed in the **6-8 band in Turkey** in this ranking.

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