Portugal in the world
The city of Porto in Portugal
The city of Porto

At the Douro river' banks, Porto was born in the Middle Ages. It is one of the oldest cities of Europe and the second largest city of Portugal.
The city of Porto
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Also known as the **city of bridges**, it is famous the bridge **Luís I**, built between 1881 and 1886, by **Teófilo Seyrig**, partner of **Gustave Eiffel**.
The city of Porto
The famous port wine, whose name was borrowed from this emblematic city, was transported down Douro river in the traditional boats rabelos.
The city of Porto
In December 1996, UNESCO classified the city of Porto as Cultural Heritage of Humanity.
The University of Porto is the largest higher education and research institution of Portugal and one of the top 200 European universities. With origins dating back to the 18th century, is one of the oldest and most prestigious universities in Portugal.
The University of Porto is composed of 3 campuses spread around the city of Porto, where our 14 faculties and 1 Business School are located.
Faculties of U.Porto

Campus I – City Centre
- Faculty of Fine Arts
- Faculty of Law
- Faculty of Pharmacy
- Institute of Biomedical Sciences ‘Abel Salazar’

Campus II – Asprela
- EGP - University of Porto Business School
- Faculty of Dental Medicine
- Faculty of Economics
- Faculty of Engineering
- Faculty of Medicine
- Faculty of Nutrition and Food Sciences
- Faculty of Psychology and Educational Sciences
- Faculty of Sport

Campus III – Campo Alegre
- Faculty of Architecture
- Faculty of Arts
- Faculty of Sciences
1,895 academic staff (75% doctorates)
1,689 non academic staff

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U.Porto’s Students

29,896 Students

12,205 1st Cycle/Degree Students
15,433 2nd Cycle/Master Students
468 Specialization programmes students
2,275 3rd Cycle/Doctorate Students
U.Porto’ Mobility Students

883 U.Porto’s mobility students in 2009
710 in European institutions
154 in Brazilian institutions
11 in Latin American (without Brazil) institutions
8 in North American institutions

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2,479 Foreign students in 2009 (8,3% of the total)
1,155 On international mobility programmes
506 in 1st Cycle/Degrees
409 in 2nd Cycle/Masters
283 in 3rd Cycle/Doctorates
126 post-doctoral researchers
77 different nationalities
#### Foreign students in 2009 by country of origin

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U.Porto’s Courses

679 Training programmes
35 1st Cycle/Degree (BSc) courses
18 Integrated Master (BSc + MSc) courses
137 2nd Cycle/Master (MSc) courses
49 3rd Cycle/Doctorate (PhD) courses
440 Lifelong education courses
Science at U.Porto

The biggest producer of science in Portugal

2,122 indexed articles in the *ISI Web of Science* (2009)

22.5% of the articles produced in Portugal

13% average annual growth rate since 2005
Research at U.Porto

69 Research units
29 units classified as ‘Excellent’ or ‘Very Good’
14 state associated laboratories

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U.Porto at international rankings

Academic Ranking of World Universities 2009:
1 (Portugal) + 171-208 (Europe) + 402-501 (World)

Performance Ranking of Scientific Papers for World Universities 2009:
1 (Portugal) + 140 (Europe) + 332 (World)

Webometrics 2010:
1 (Portugal) + 67 (Europe) + 214 (World)

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THE – QS World University Rankings 2009:
3 (Portugal) + 501-600 (World)

The SCImago Institutions Ranking 2009:
2 (Portugal) + 109 (Europe) + 320 (World)

International Professional Ranking of Higher Education Institutions 2009:
1 (Portugal) + 131 (Europe) + 343 (World)
Student associations

Each faculty has its own student association. Besides, there are other associations specifically for foreign students:

ESN – Erasmus Students Network
Praça Gomes Teixeira
4099-002 Porto
Portugal
http://www.esnporto.org

BRASUP – Brazilian Students at University of Porto
Praça Gomes Teixeira
4099-002 Porto
Portugal
http://brasup.up.pt
Cost of living in Porto

Approximate costs (2010):

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