



# University of Novi Sad

International Excellence in Education and Research

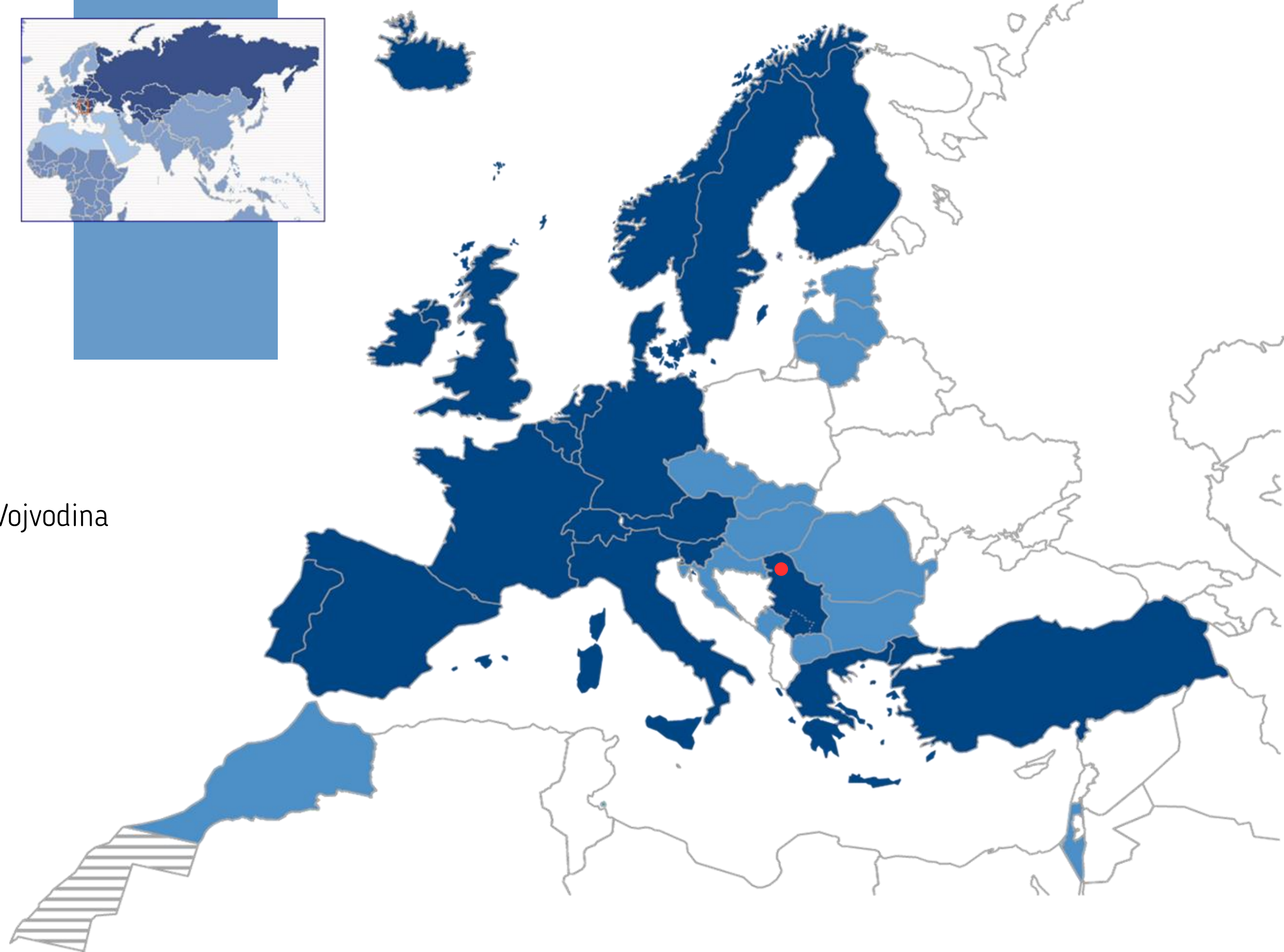


# Location

Republic of Serbia

Autonomous Province of Vojvodina

Novi Sad (Headquarters)





# A Brief History

(1)

The Power of Heritage and Tradition: Historical Milestones  
Toward the Establishment of the University of Novi Sad

1740

The foundations of higher education in today's Autonomous Province of Vojvodina, and Serbia as a whole, were laid with the establishment of the seminary **Collegium Vissariono - Pawlovicsianum Petrovaradinense in Novi Sad**

1778

**Norma - School for the education of Serbian teachers** was founded in Sombor. The School is considered to be one of the predecessors of today's Faculty of Education in Sombor, University of Novi Sad

1812

Establishment of **Preparandija - a Serbian teachers' college**. The School was founded in Szentendre and its seat was moved to Sombor in 1816. The School is also considered to be one of the predecessors of today's Faculty of Education in Sombor, University of Novi Sad

1826

Establishment of **Matica Srpska**, the **oldest cultural and scientific institution of the Serbian people**, which played a significant role in the development of scientific thought from the 19th century onwards. It was founded in 1826 in Pest and moved its seat to Novi Sad in 1864

1920

**The Faculty of Law in Subotica** was founded as a member of the University of Belgrade. In its 20-year existence, the Faculty made a special contribution to the development of legal science and education in Vojvodina

1954

The first faculties of the future University of Novi Sad were established as members of the University of Belgrade: **Faculty of Philosophy** and **Faculty of Agriculture**, with the first generation of students that counted about 500. The first lectures started at the Faculty of Agriculture in November and at the Faculty of Philosophy in December.

1955

Establishment of the **Faculty of Law in Novi Sad**

1958

Establishment of the **Poplar Institute in Novi Sad** (today: Institute of Lowland Forestry and Environment - member of the University of Novi Sad since 2007)

1959

Establishment of the **Faculty of Technology in Novi Sad**

1960

Establishment of the **Faculty of Medicine** and the **Faculty of Mechanical Engineering in Novi Sad** (today: Faculty of Technical Sciences), and the **Faculty of Economics in Subotica**

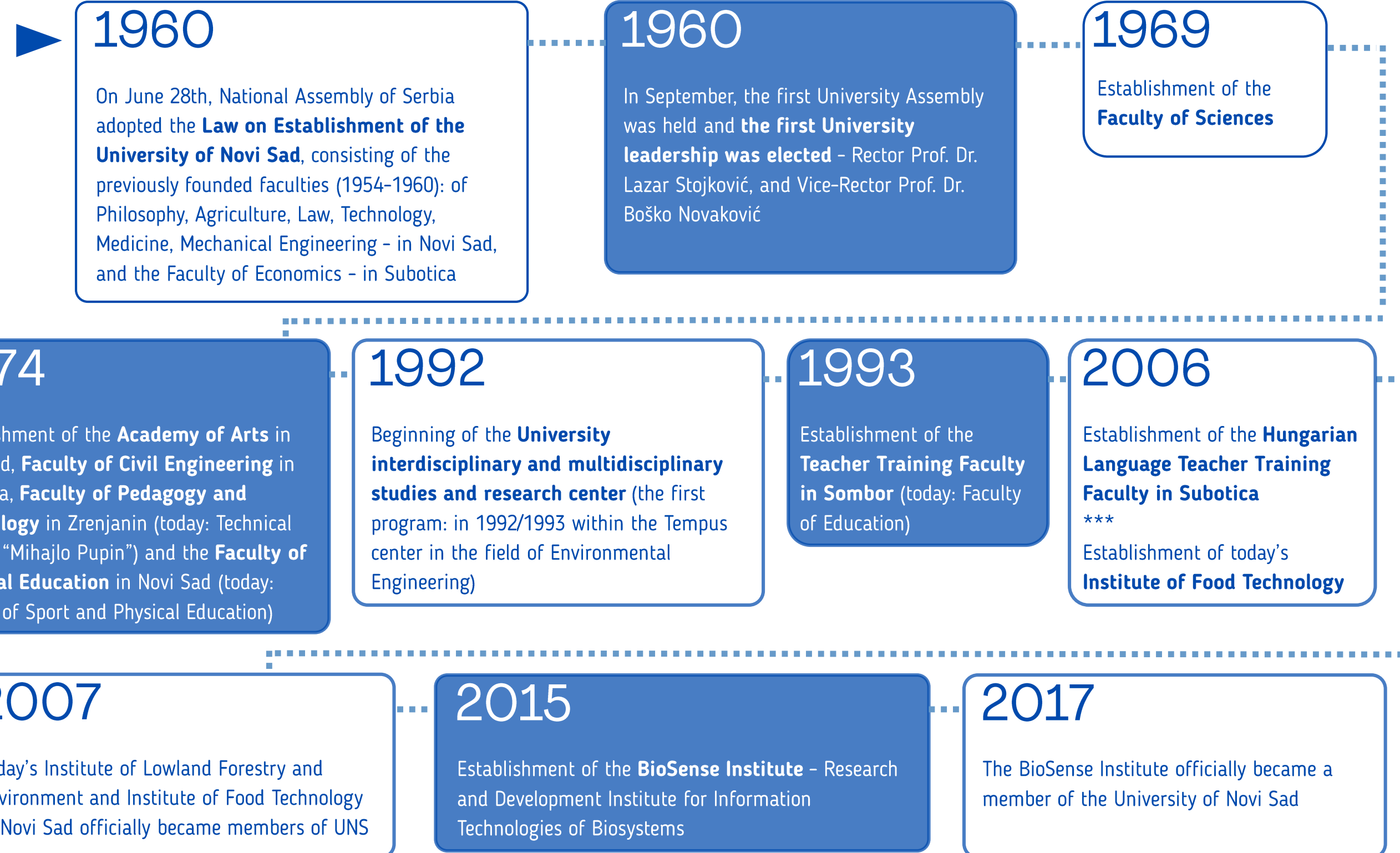
1960

ESTABLISHMENT OF THE **UNIVERSITY OF NOVI SAD** (members: previously founded faculties in Novi Sad and in Subotica from 1954 to 1960)



# A Brief History (2)

## Historical Milestones in the Development of the University of Novi Sad





# University Today

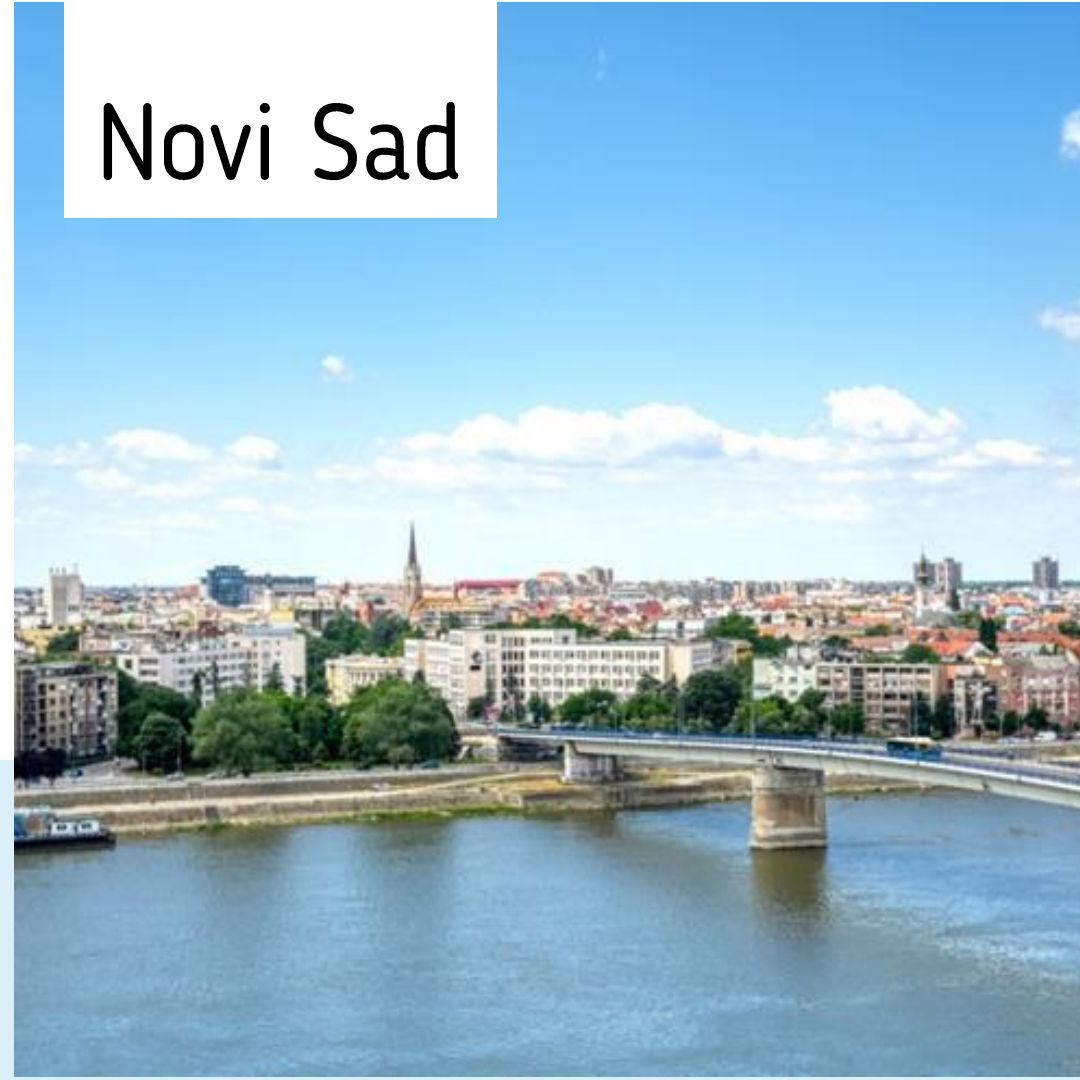
- **One of the largest educational and scientific centers in Central Europe**, with almost 50,000 students and more than 5,000 members of staff.
- Internationally recognized **among the top 1,000 universities in the world** (among the first 300 world leading universities in the fields of Food Science & Technology, Hospitality & Tourism Management, Agriculture and Forestry).
- **Second largest university in Serbia** and the only state university in the Autonomous Province of Vojvodina.
- **University Campus** - a unique feature, located on the banks of the River Danube, in the vicinity of the historical city center.
- **The University Headquarters located in the city of Novi Sad** - the European Capital of Culture 2022 & the European Youth Capital 2019.



# In Four University Cities

The University that connects four historic Central European cities in the Autonomous Province of Vojvodina, in the north of the Republic of Serbia

Novi Sad



Sombor



Subotica



Zrenjanin





As a comprehensive University, UNS encompasses all major scientific and academic fields:

- technical sciences, engineering and technology
- social sciences & humanities
- natural sciences
- medical sciences
- arts

## Faculties

FACULTY OF PHILOSOPHY (Novi Sad)  
FACULTY OF AGRICULTURE (Novi Sad)  
FACULTY OF LAW (Novi Sad)  
FACULTY OF TECHNOLOGY (Novi Sad)  
FACULTY OF ECONOMICS (Subotica)  
FACULTY OF TECHNICAL SCIENCES (Novi Sad)  
FACULTY OF MEDICINE (Novi Sad)  
FACULTY OF SCIENCES (Novi Sad)  
ACADEMY OF ARTS (Novi Sad)  
FACULTY OF CIVIL ENGINEERING (Subotica)  
“MIHAJLO PUPIN” TECHNICAL FACULTY in Zrenjanin  
FACULTY OF SPORT AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION (Novi Sad)  
FACULTY OF EDUCATION (Sombor)  
HUNGARIAN LANGUAGE TEACHER TRAINING FACULTY (Subotica)

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University Centre for Interdisciplinary and Multidisciplinary Studies and Research – UCIMSI (Novi Sad)

## Institutes

INSTITUTE OF LOWLAND FORESTRY AND ENVIRONMENT (Novi Sad)  
INSTITUTE OF FOOD TECHNOLOGY (Novi Sad)  
BIOSENSE INSTITUTE (Novi Sad)

# Our Faculties & Institutes



# Facts & Figures

- **14** faculties and **3** institutes
- **328** study programs
- **48,791** students
- **5,278** staff
- **1,732,500** units in the University library fund  
(Central Library and libraries of University members)
- **150+** active bilateral agreements of cooperation
- **250** laboratories across faculties and institutes
- **200** start-ups and spin-offs (mostly in the IT sector)

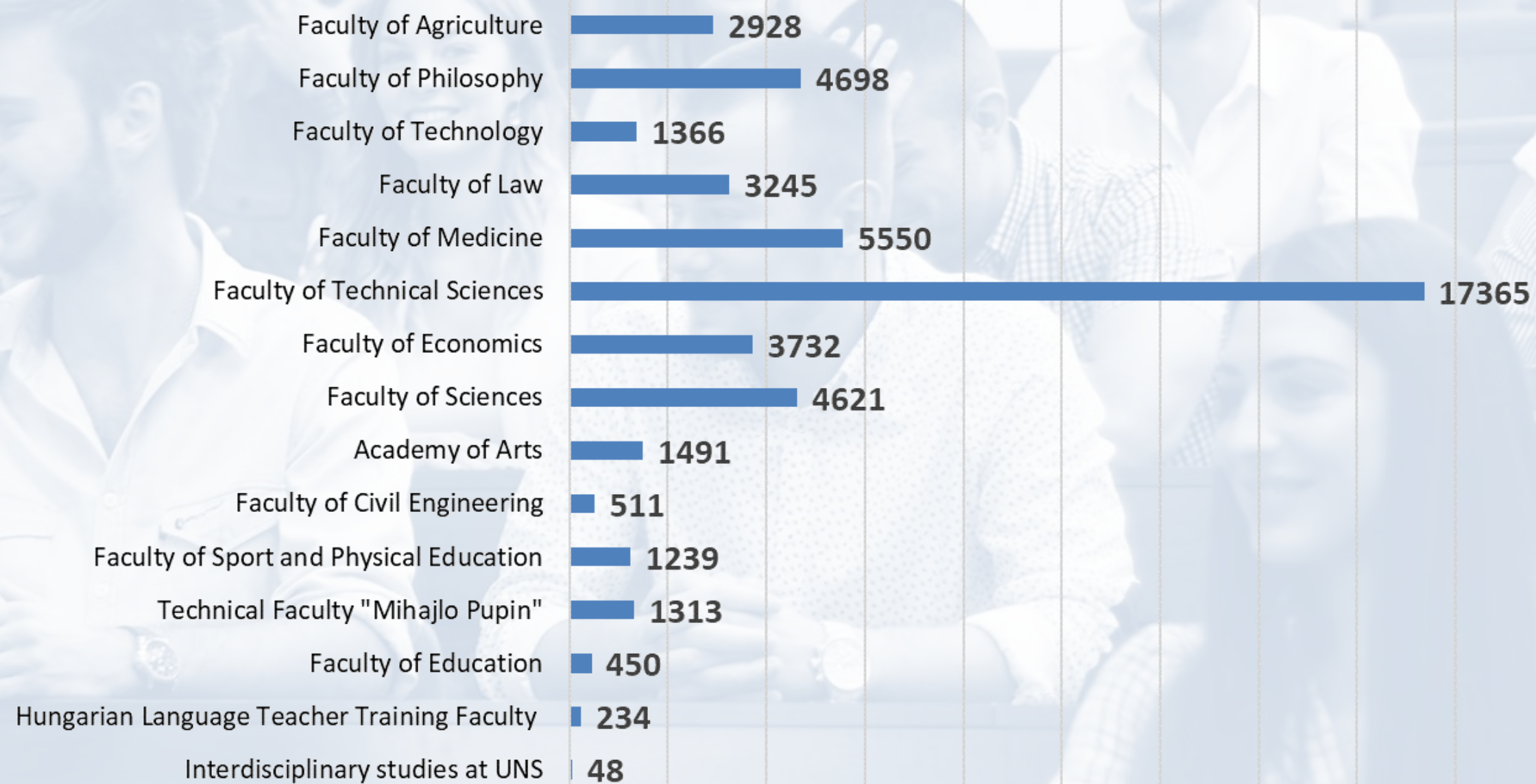






# Facts & Figures: Students and Studies

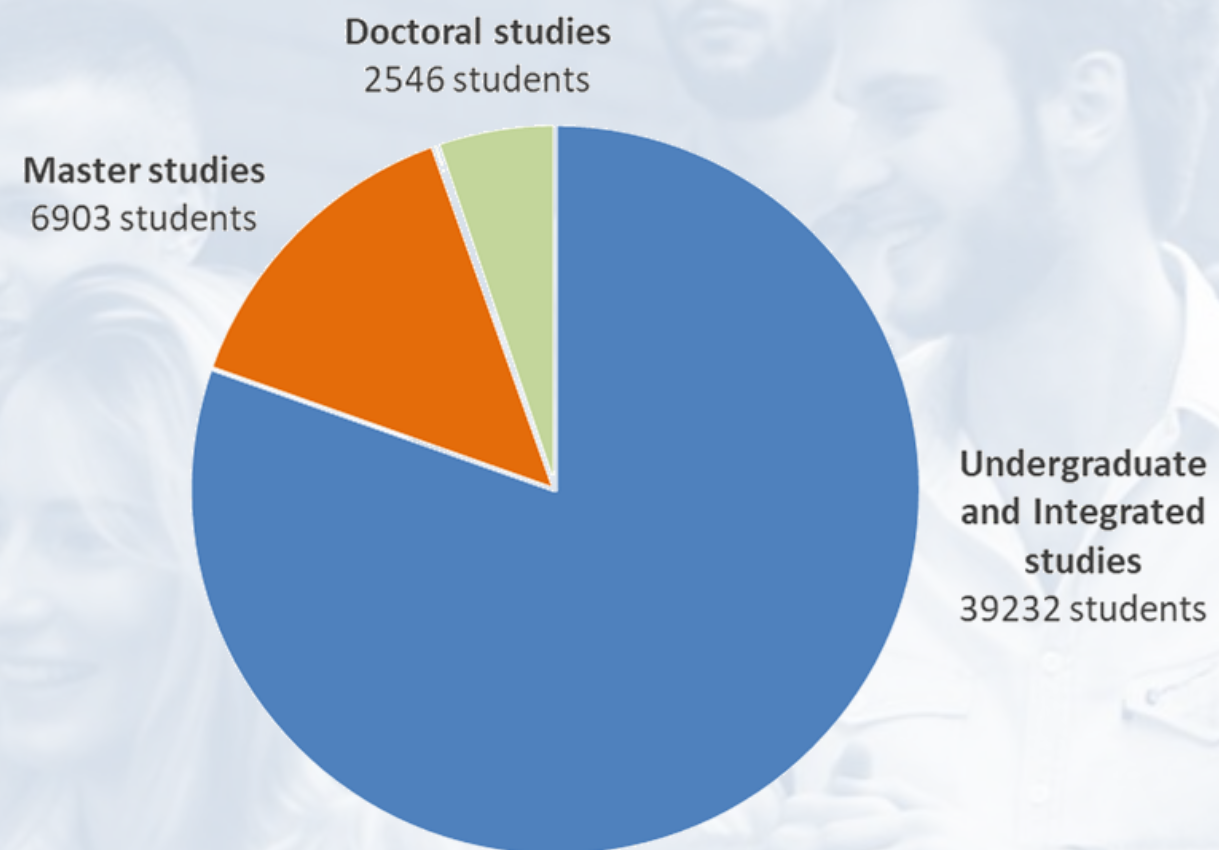
-> Number of students per UNS faculties in 2023/2024



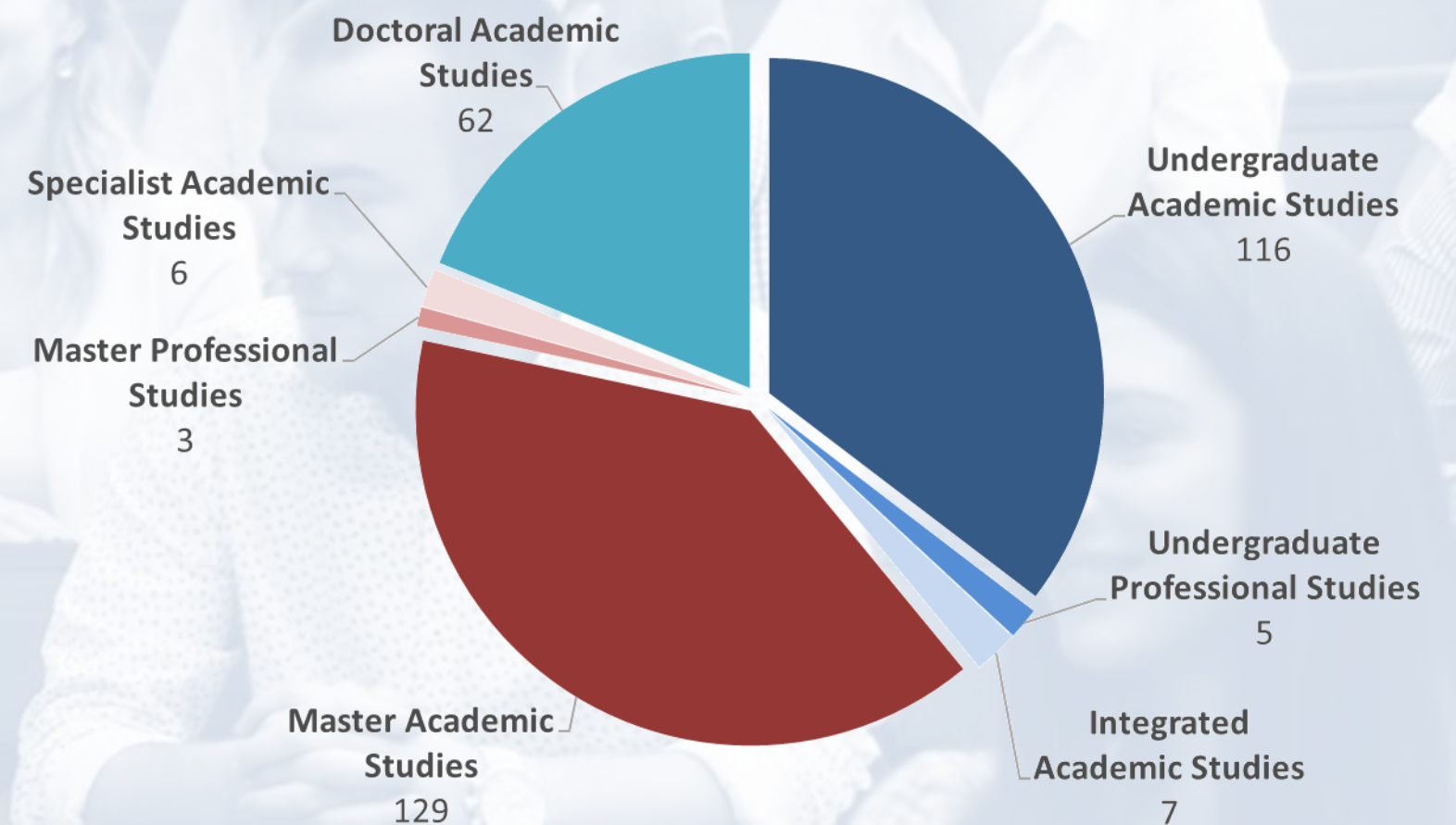
- Total number of enrolled students at UNS in 2023/2024: **48,791**
- Number of foreign students in 2023/2024: **4,019** (mostly from the region)
- In all fields of sciences and arts:
  - **engineering & technology,**
  - **natural sciences,**
  - **medicine & health sciences,**
  - **social sciences** and **humanities**
  - **arts**

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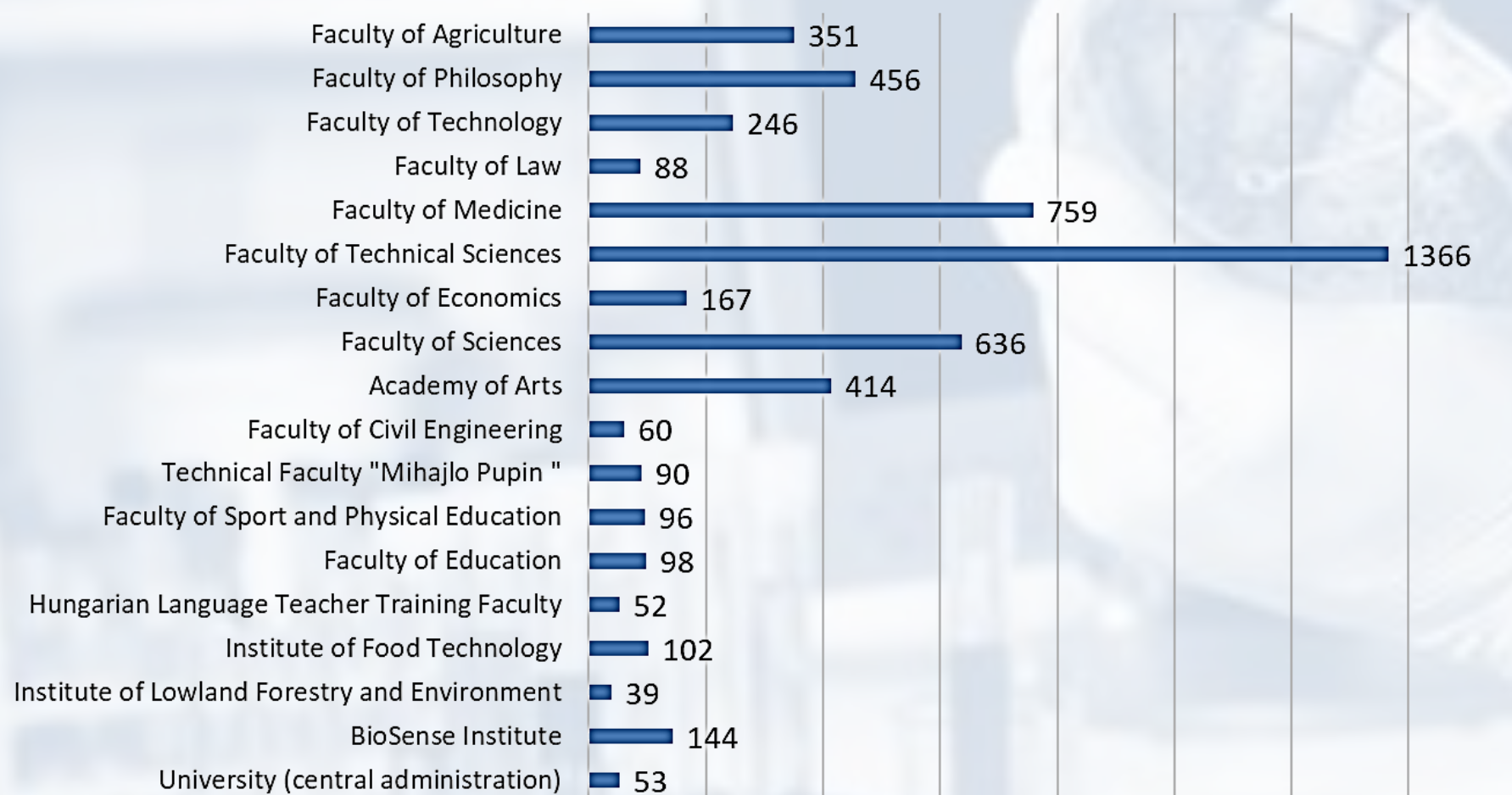
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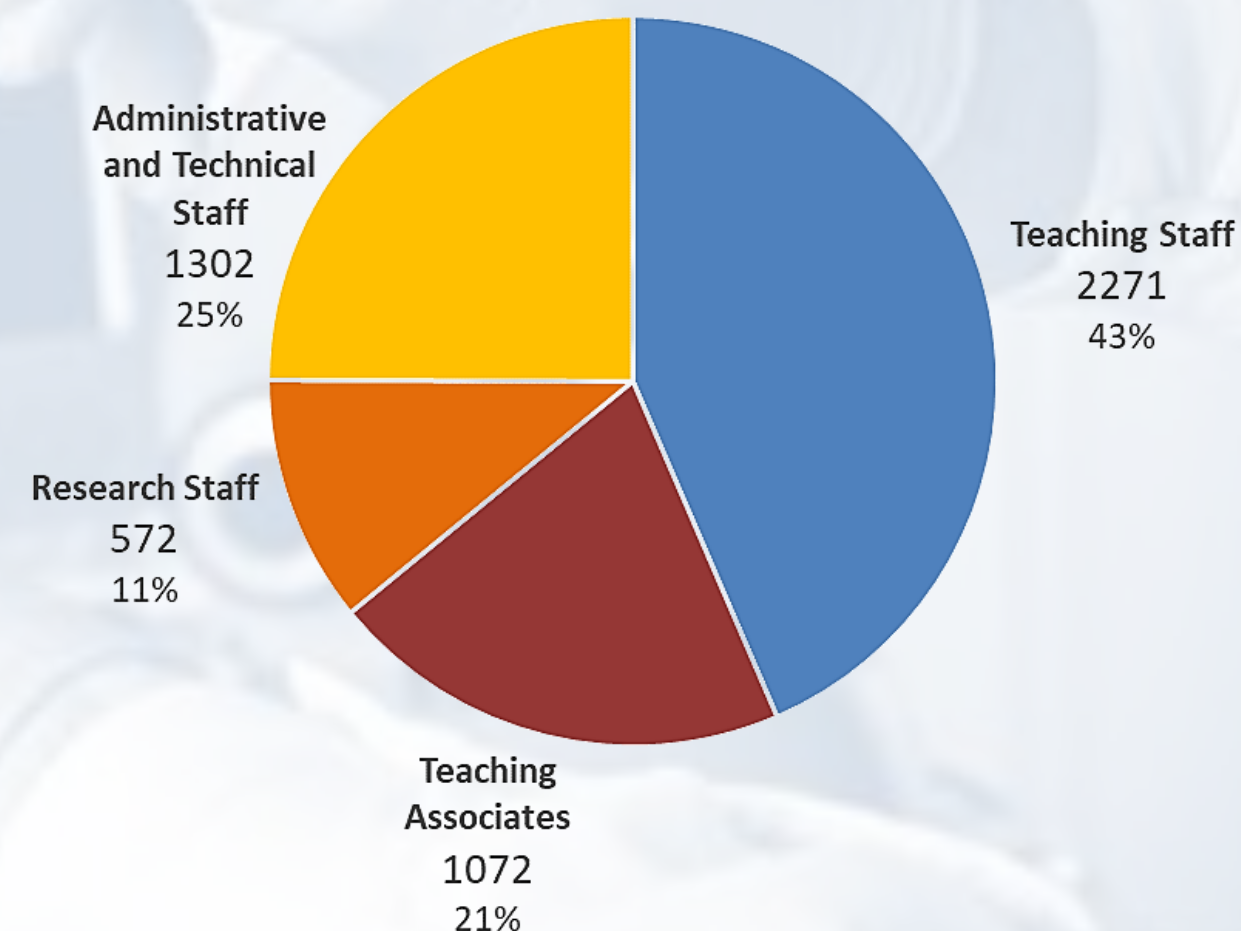
- All levels of study: **undergraduate** (40%), **master & specialist** (42%) and **doctoral** (18%)
- Study programmes in 2023/2024: **328**

# Facts & Figures: University Staff

-> Total number of staff at faculties, institutes and central university level in 2023/2024



-> Number of academic, research and administrative staff in 2023/2024



- Total number of staff: **5217**
- Teaching staff: **full professors** (984), **associate professors** (719), **assistant professors** (529), and **other teaching staff** (45)



# University Campus

The Central University Campus is located on the banks of the Danube, across the river from the famous 18th-century Petrovaradin Fortress, and in the vicinity of the city center

## Campus Facilities



Faculties & Institutes



Student Restaurants



Sport Fields



Student Dormitories



Student Health Care



University Park





# Strong Scientific Potential & Developed Research Infrastructure

The strength of the University of Novi Sad lies in the developed scientific infrastructure with about 250 laboratories, strong innovative potential, rich library fund, as well as in several nationally accredited centers of excellence.

## **Nationally accredited Centers of Excellence:**

- Vibro Acoustic Systems and Signal Processing (Faculty of Technical Sciences)
- Mathematical Research of Non-Linear Phenomenon (Faculty of Sciences)
- Reproductive Endocrinology and Signaling (Faculty of Sciences)
- Vector-born Diseases and Effects of Climate Changes within the One Health Concept (Faculty of Agriculture)
- Identification Technology (Faculty of Technical Sciences)





# BioSense Institute - Leaders in IT of Biosystems

A pioneer in digital transformation of agriculture in Serbia, founded in 2015. By exploring the scientific and technological frontiers in the application of IT in agriculture, the Institute strives to deliver state-of-the-art digital solutions to the farming sector in Serbia and the world, in order to ensure higher yields with smaller investments.

Its most prominent project, ANTARES (H2020), supported by the European Commission and the Republic of Serbia, aims to turn the BioSense Institute into a leading European Center of scientific excellence in sustainable agriculture.



# **Strengthening Innovation Capacity: Science and Technology Park Novi Sad**

Located within the Central University Campus in Novi Sad, STP is closely linked to research, education and innovation potential of UNS.

Provides support to its members to commercialize innovative products and services and implement the development of new technologies.

Members can include technological companies engaged in innovative activities, startup companies and startup teams, as well as research and development institutes.

Science and Technology Park Novi Sad 2 – announced as a new investment in Campus for the near future.

# Intensive International Cooperation & Networking



## **Erasmus Charter for Higher Education 2021-2027**

awarded to the University of Novi Sad by the European Commission for the next seven-year period (2021-2027)

Active in **Erasmus+ program**, the largest academic mobility program in Europe. Since 2015, more than 2800 outgoing students and staff and 1400 incoming students and staff have realized their Erasmus+ mobility at UNS.

**More than 150 bilateral agreements on cooperation** active with higher education institutions from all over the world.

Cooperation with **partners in Europe and across the globe.**







# One of 9 partner universities in the European University Alliance EUGLOH

A strategic international university partnership: Université Paris-Saclay (France), Lund University (Sweden), University of Szeged (Hungary), University of Porto (Portugal), Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München (Germany), University of Alcalá (Spain), The Arctic University of Norway (Norway), University of Novi Sad (Republic of Serbia) and Universität Hamburg (Germany) in the context of the European Commission's *European Universities Initiative*.

A vision to create integrated virtual European campus for the large EUGLOH international academic community.

Combining expertise and scientific infrastructure in the fields such as: biomedicine, digital health, climate change and biodiversity, social sciences and humanities, healthy life styles and wellbeing, the Alliance members tackle a number of global health challenges.



Co-funded by the European Union

**9 Universities, 1 Goal:**  
**Building Europe's Campus for Global Health**





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