



UNIVERSITY OF WEST ATTICA

ΠΑΝΕΠΙΣΤΗΜΙΟ ΔΥΤΙΚΗΣ ΑΤΤΙΚΗΣ

(UNIWA) was founded in March 2018 by the National Law 4521. The foundation of the newly established University resulted from the merging process of the formers, first, Technological Educational Institute of Athens, second, the Piraeus University of Applied Sciences and third, the National School of Public Health (joined UNIWA in 2019).

It actually constitutes the 3rd largest university in Greece in terms of student numbers (52,000 undergraduate, 1,150 postgraduate and 210 doctoral students). UNIWA employs, on permanent basis, 608 faculty members, 138 special laboratory teaching and technical staff members, and 345 administrative staff members qualified to accomplish its high-standard teaching, research and administrative goals.

UNIWA is a dynamic and constantly evolving institution that strives to fulfill its mission (to provide education of excellent quality in the fields of study, scientific breakthroughs with globally reputation-communicated to the society- and promote culture, art and civilization), and vision (the recognition nationally and globally as a high rank dynamic, modern and progressive university with public character and competitive internationally), and to achieve its goals investing in the development of modern teaching methods, adapted to students' needs and responsive to competitive labor market and society requirements, as well as in its modern facilities and infrastructure (i.e., teaching resources, classrooms, laboratories/workshops, scientific equipment).

This combination of highly-skilled and experienced human resources, together with the existing modern infrastructure, has laid the foundation for further academic development of the University.

UNIWA offers contemporary Undergraduate and Postgraduate study programs, which give to graduates the opportunity to acquire specialized scientific knowledge, skills and competences, linking academia to both society and the labor market.

At UNIWA, there are 27 Departments operating under the academic umbrella of 6 Schools, covering a wide range of scientific fields, such as social, administrative and economic sciences, engineering sciences, health and welfare sciences, as well as, food sciences and applied art and culture studies.

The undergraduate studies lead to 4-year Bachelor's (Level 6) and 5-year Engineering Diploma degrees. Postgraduate studies leading to the completion of a postgraduate diploma (Level 7), while doctoral studies lead to a PhD (Level 8).

UNIWA offers a wide range of Lifelong learning and vocational training programs.