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Torre dels Frares
Casa de Convalescència
Can Baumann
Plaça de Vic
Student of Vic

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We are pleased to provide data on aspects of the UVic Campus of the University of Vic - Central University of Catalonia of interest to international students.

You will find a historical note and outline information about the University, its teaching, and research, together with a more detailed description of the International Campus, illustrating our UVic international outlook.

The University also has federated campuses and facilities in the cities of Manresa, Granollers and Barcelona.

International Relations Unit

The International Relations Unit welcomes international lecturers and students to UVic-UCC, fostering intercultural exchange to coordinate and strengthen the international links of our faculties and teaching centres.

The Unit provides information and advice on international activities, in partnership with each teaching centre’s international relations unit, and it informs students and UVic-UCC teaching staff of opportunities to participate in international exchange programmes. It has over 350 collaboration agreements with universities around the world to promote joint academic activities.
Creation of the Literary University of Vic
1599. On 26 June, King Philip III granted Vic General Studies permission to teach students in Arts and Philosophy. Thus the Literary University of Vic was founded.

Closure of the University
1717. Among the reprisals following the War of the Spanish Succession, King Philip V suppressed all Catalan universities because they had sided against him, and founded the University of Cervera, a city which had been loyal to him. In 1717 the Literary University of Vic was the last centre to cease teaching.

Studies in the eighteenth century
1749. The Vic Seminary was founded, marking the return of higher education activities to the city, in the field of Theology.

Studies in the nineteenth century
The tradition of the Student of Vic took root and the city became an important cultural centre of the Renaixença, the Catalan Revival. People and places of renown testify to this: Jaume Balmes, Jacint Verdaguer, Canon Collell, the Diocesan Library, the Literary Circle, and the Vic Seminary.

Return of the university
1977. The Jaume Balmes University Teacher Training College of Vic was founded.
1979. The Eumo Editorial publishing house was launched.
1981. The Osona University School of Nursing was created.
1984. The Eumogràfic design studio was launched.
1987. The Osona School of Business Studies was created.

Estudi Universitaris de Vic
1987-88. University-level training began at three university schools: Teacher Training, Nursing and Business Studies.

University of Vic
1997. On 21 May, the Parliament of Catalonia unanimously passed the Act of Recognition of the University of Vic.

UVic-UCC
2014. The University of Vic entered into a federation with the Bages University Foundation, and was renamed the University of Vic - Central University of Catalonia.
2016. A new centre at UGranollers was opened.
2017. The Faculty of Medicine was created.
**General information**

- **Foundation:** May 1997
- **UVic/UManresa federation:** January 2014
- **Ownership:** Private, with public supervision
- **Proprietor:** Balmes University Foundation
- **Rector:** Jordi Montaña (until July 2018)

**Teaching, academic year 2016-2017**

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BACHELOR’S DEGREES

Arts and Humanities
- Design
- Translation, Interpreting and Applied Languages

Engineering and Architecture
- Automotive Engineering
- Biomedical Engineering
- Mechatronics Engineering
- Multimedia, Applications and Video Games

Health Sciences
- Human Nutrition and Dietetics
- Medicine
- Nursing
- Occupational Therapy
- Physiotherapy
- Psychology

Sciences
- Biology
- Biotechnology

Social Sciences and Law
- Advertising and Public Relations
- Audiovisual Communication
- Business Administration and Management
- Early Childhood Education
- Early Childhood Education / Primary School Teaching, majoring in English
- Journalism
- Marketing and Business Communication
- Physical Activity and Sports Science
- Primary School Teaching
- Social Education

Updated at: www.uvic.cat/en/degrees
University master’s degrees

Arts and Humanities
- Design Research and Experimentation
- Specialised Translation
- Women, Gender and Citizenship

Engineering and Architecture
- Health and Safety at Work
- Industrial Engineering

Health Sciences
- General Health Psychology
- Health Research
- Palliative Care

Sciences
- Omics Data Analysis

Social Sciences and Law
- Business Management
- Improving Teaching for Early Childhood and Primary Education
- Inclusive Education
- Innovation in Specific Subject Teaching

- Montessori Education (0–6 years old)
- Social Policy and Community Action
- Strategic Marketing and Innovation
- Teacher Training for Secondary School, Vocational Training and Language Teaching

Doctoral programmes

The Doctoral College ensures quality training, research excellence and an international dimension to doctoral programmes.

Experimental Sciences
- Experimental Sciences and Technology

Humanities
- Educational Innovation and Intervention (interuniversity)
- Gender Studies: Cultures, Societies and Policies (interuniversity)
- Translation, Gender and Cultural Studies

Medical Sciences and Health Care
- Comprehensive Care and Health Services (interuniversity)

Social Sciences
- Law, Economics and Business (interuniversity)

LIFELONG LEARNING

UVic-UCC also organises master’s and postgraduate degree courses, specialist courses, university extension courses, conferences, seminars, and workshops. Each year we run a University Summer School, with activities throughout Catalonia.

Updated at: https://www.uvic.cat/en/master-degrees-and-specialized-programmes
RESEARCH AND KNOWLEDGE TRANSFER

Research Transfer Centres
• Centre for Biodiversity, Ecology, Technology and Environmental Management (TECNIO Centre)
• Centre for Health and Social Care Research
• Centre for Interdisciplinary Gender Studies
• Centre for Physical Activity and Sports Studies

Research Groups
Arts and Humanities
• Contemporary Literary Texts: Study, Publication and Translation
• Gender Studies: Translation, Literature, History and Communication
• Learning and Communication

Engineering
• Data Processing and Signal
• Digital Care
• Mechatronics and Modelling Materials Technology

Health
• Chronicity of Central Catalonia
• Mental Health and Social Innovation
• Methodology, Methods, Models and Health and Social Outcomes

Sciences
• Aquatic Ecology
• Biodiversity, Ecology, Technology and Environmental Management
• Bioinformatics and Medical Statistics
• Quantitative Bioimaging
• Tissue Repair and Regeneration Laboratory

Social
• Addressing Diversity
• Audiovisual Translation, Communication and Place
• Data Analysis and Modeling
• Education, Language and Literature
• Educational Research
• Empreñ
• Society, Politics and Inclusive Communities

Chairs
• Agroecology and Food Systems
• AIDS and Related Illnesses
• Bioethics
• ICT and Health
• Innovation and Management of Health Services
• Palliative Care
• Social Services
• UNESCO Chair in Women, Development and Cultures
• Verdaguer Chair in Literary Studies
• Water, Nature and Welfare

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Research Transfer Office (OTRI)
RESEARCH CENTRES

Interdisciplinary Gender Studies Centre (CEIG)
This centre promotes research, dissemination and publication of gender studies, and works to incorporate a gender perspective in teaching. It provides advisory services on gender and collaborates with institutions and organisations, working on projects with universities and centres to promote training programmes and academic exchanges with universities and other institutions in the region and internationally. The centre also supervises the UNESCO Chair in Women, Development and Cultures, jointly with the University of Barcelona.

Healthcare and Social Studies Centre (CESS)
This centre seeks to generate, apply and disseminate knowledge of health, social healthcare, and social services, promoting participation in local, national, and international projects to improve the efficiency and efficacy of the Catalan Health and Social Services. The centre seeks to enhance welfare and the quality of life of the population through the development of intra-and interuniversity cooperation projects and the consolidation of regional and international partnerships.

BETA Technology Centre
CT BETA, Technology Centre for Biodiversity, Ecology and Technology, and Environmental and Food Management, contributes to increasing the competitiveness and technological development of companies through research, development and innovation projects and the transfer of innovative and competitive technology, with sustainable criteria, in the field of the food industry and the environment. The centre is part of the TECNIO network, promoting new technology, business innovation and excellence in Catalonia, and distinguishing technology centres and university groups that are experts in technology research and transfer.

Centre for Physical Activity and Sports Studies (CEEAF)
The centre creates and disseminates knowledge to enhance sports practices, to increase quality and efficiency and promote healthy attitudes. It acts as a driver of change in elite sports and promotes the development of sports projects and physical activity in the local, national, and international context.
Mobility and exchange programmes

In a globalised world, in order to fully develop our potential and communicate activities efficiently in an international environment, UVic-UCC seeks to maintain a permanent presence in social networks and in the main higher education forums around the world, at education fairs, in university networks, and through interuniversity visits. We aim to make a great range of opportunities available to students, teaching staff, researchers, and service staff. We also run a network of UVic graduates who live abroad and support the University’s international projection.

International Campus

The International Campus of the UVic-UCC focuses on five core areas:

• International projection
• International mobility and exchange programmes
• International educational activities
• An international outlook at home
• International research

The first four items are key aspects for all UVic-UCC faculties, each with its own specific features, and for university support services, coordinated by the Vice-Rector for International Relations. Similarly, international policies are promoted in doctoral and research programmes, coordinated by the Vice-Rector for Research and Knowledge Transfer.

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Mobility and exchange programmes

UVic-UCC has a wide range of exchange agreements with universities so that local students can select a university for a period of training abroad. UVic-UCC also has a Careers Service to promote placements in institutions, companies, and schools worldwide. The University ensures that international students soon feel at home in the city and as part of the university community. The reduced scale of the place and our innovative learning methods promote close relations between students and teachers that encourage study and personal development.

UVic-UCC also works on cooperation projects in the framework of the Vives University Network and forms part of various solidarity and cooperation networks locally and nationally.
International educational activities
The international Campus works with UVic-UCC centres to design and disseminate training programmes at all levels for an international public, with instruction in languages other than Spanish or Catalan.

International master’s degrees
UVic offers various master’s degrees with instruction in English, as exclusive UVic activities or in collaboration with other higher education centres.

Doctoral programmes
The Doctoral College offers programmes in all of the University’s fields of expertise. The Bioinformatics and Experimental Sciences and Technology taught courses have instruction entirely in English. In addition, the Doctoral College promotes joint thesis supervision and international collaborations.

Study Abroad
These are UVic-specific programmes for international students who wish to spend one or two weeks in Barcelona or Vic. UVic-UCC offers Spanish courses in combination with optional courses in English in business and communication studies, and design.
- Business, Design and Innovation (Barcelona Campus)
- International Business and Marketing (UVic Campus)
- Communication and Media Studies (UVic Campus)

International Summer Term
These are full-time programmes with practical seminars, field activities and a range of off-campus activities.
- Art as a Tool for Social Transformation
- Business Innovation Summer Programme
- Foodways across Cultures: an International Exploration of What and How We Eat
- Spanish Language and Culture in Barcelona
- Sports Marketing and Leadership

AN INTERNATIONAL OUTLOOK

Bachelor’s and master’s degrees
We offer a variety of subjects in English for all our students, which are of interest to international students on short stays at UVic, helping students improve their English language skills, which is a great advantage in today’s job market.
Foreign language courses
These courses are designed specially for students and university staff, with Content and Language Integrated Learning seminars to improve our lecturers’ teaching skills in a foreign language.

Research
UVic encourages participation of research centres, research groups, and chairs in joint international platforms, and research projects with universities and institutions in other countries.
We currently participate in around twenty international projects in all fields of expertise, including European projects in the H202, INTERREG, ERASMUS+ and ERA-NET calls, among others.
We also participate in various international development cooperation projects in the fields of sustainability, the environment, and social inclusion. These UVic social responsibility projects involve joint actions across countries, cultures and organisations.
University cooperation contributes to transforming structural conditions in the world and to developing respect for human rights.
Due to its political nature, cooperation poses an educational challenge for the entire university community, not just in carrying out training and research initiatives in contexts of injustice and exclusion, but also for the essential role of ethics in higher education.
UVic first became involved in cooperation in 1997. We are currently working on projects in Cameroon and Panama, and organise international internships for solidarity in Cameroon, Nicaragua, Guatemala, Nepal and Morocco.

Furthermore, UVic hosts the UNESCO Chair in Women, Development and Cultures, in partnership with the Centre for Women and Literature of the University of Barcelona. The Chair’s mission is to carry out studies on gender, development, cultural diversity, and interculturality, so that the University contributes to promoting equity and the construction of fairer societies that are more tolerant to difference.

UVIC ALUMNI AMBASSADORS
This programme puts former UVic students living in other countries in touch with each other and with students interested in international mobility programmes for placements, study, research or leisure.
INTERNATIONAL NETWORKS

University of Vic - Central University of Catalonia
• European Association for International Education (EAIE)
• European Universities Association (EUA)
• Euromed Permanent University Forum (EPUF)
• Erasmus+ and Erasmus Charter
• Fundació Institut Confuci de Barcelona
• Global University Network for Innovation (GUNi)
• International Association of Universities (IAU)
• Universia
• Xarxa Vives d’Universitats

Faculty of Health Sciences and Welfare
• Consortium of Institutes of Higher Education in Health and Rehabilitation in Europe (COHEHRE)
• Diets 2. Thematic Network for Dietetics
• European Association of Schools of Social Work (EASSW)
• European Network of Physiotherapy in Higher Education (ENPHE)
• International Network on Age, Citizenship and Socio-Economic Integration (REIACTIS)
• European Network of Occupational Therapy in Higher Education (ENOTHE)

Faculty of Business and Communication Studies
• International Business Studies Exchange Network (IBSEN)

Faculty of Science and Technology
• Clúster de Muntanya
• International Relations Officers’ Network of the Association of European Life Science Universities (IROICA)

Continuing Education
• Continuing Education Network in Latin America and Europe (RECLA)
• European Association for University Lifelong Learning (EUCEN)
• Spanish Universities Network of Graduate & Continuing Permanent Education (RUEPEP)

HORIZON ASIA
A body promoting relations between the University, the city of Vic and Asia.
### UVic-UCC Partner Universities Worldwide

- **Andorra**
  - Universitat d’Andorra

- **Argentina**
  - Centro de Día Vida SRL
  - Universidad Católica de Cuyo
  - Universitat de Buenos Aires
  - Universidad Nacional de Quilmes
  - Universidad Nacional Tres de Febrero

- **Austria**
  - FH Wien University of Applied Sciences
  - University of Applied Arts Vienna*

- **Belgium**
  - Artevelde University College Ghent
  - Artess Plantijn University College
  - EPHEC University College
  - Leotech
  - University of Liège
  - Vrije Universiteit Brussel

- **Brazil**
  - Pontifícia Universidade Católica do Paraná (PUCPR)
  - Universidad de São Paulo
  - Universidad Estadual Paulista (UNESP)
  - Universidade Federal de Minas Gerais (UFMG)

- **Canada**
  - Douglas College
  - Mount Royal University
  - Mount Saint Vincent University
  - University of Manitoba

- **Chile**
  - Cicep Limitada
  - Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile
  - Universidad Andrés Bello
  - Universidad Católica de Maule

- **China**
  - Huaihua University
  - Hunan International Economics University
  - Hong Kong Institute of Education

- **Croatia**
  - University of Zagreb

- **Cuba**
  - Universidad de La Habana

- **Czech Republic**
  - Brno University of Technology
  - Masaryk University

- **Denmark**
  - Aarhus University
  - University College Lillebaelt
  - University College UCC
  - University of Southern Denmark
  - Via University College

- **El Salvador**
  - Universidad de El Salvador

- **Estonia**
  - Tallinn University

- **Finland**
  - HAMK University of Applied Sciences
  - Mikkeli University of Applied Sciences
  - TAMK Tampere University of Applied Sciences
  - Metropolia University of Applied Sciences

- **France**
  - École d’Art Maryse Eloy
  - École de Communication Visuelle Paris (ECV)
  - École de Management de Normandie
  - Institut Supérieur de Rédaction Psychomotrice et Relaxation
  - Institut Supérieur d’Electronique de Paris (ISEP)
  - ISIT – Institut de Management et de Communication Interculturels
  - Université Catholique de Lyon
  - Université Charles de Gaulle - Lille 3
  - Université de Franche-Comté
  - Université de Perpignan Via Domitia
  - Universite de Picardie Jules Verne

- **Gambia**
  - Cooperation programme (Xarxa Vives d’Universitats)

- **Germany**
  - Anhalt University of Applied Sciences
  - Cologne Business School
  - Cologne University of Applied Sciences
  - DHBW Heidenheim
  - DHBW Ravensburg
  - European University of Applied Sciences - EUFH
  - FH Bielefeld University of Applied Sciences
  - FH Dortmund University of Applied Sciences and Arts
  - Friedrich Schiller University Jena
  - Hochschule Mannheim University of Applied Sciences
  - Karlsruher Institute of Technology
  - Kempten University of Applied Sciences
  - Koblenz University of Applied Sciences
  - Niederrhein University of Applied Sciences
  - University of Applied Sciences Düsseldorf
  - University of Flensburg
  - University of Tübingen

- **Greece**
  - University of Thessaly

- **Hong Kong**
  - Polytechnic University

- **Ireland**
  - University College Cork
  - University College Dublin
  - University College Galway

- **Italy**
  - Bologna University
  - Borsut University
  - Camerino University
  - Foggia University
  - Genoa University
  - Siena University

- **Japan**
  - Osaka City University

- **Korea**
  - Ewha Womans University

- **Latvia**
  - University of Latvia

- **Lithuania**
  - Vilnius University

- **Luxembourg**
  - ENSC Luxembourg

- **Mexico**
  - Tecnológico de Monterrey

- **Moldova**
  - University of Medicine and Pharmacy “Nicolae Testemițanu”

- **Netherlands**
  - Maastricht University
  - Twente University

- **New Zealand**
  - University of Auckland

- **Norway**
  - University of Agder
  - University of South-Eastern Norway

- **Poland**
  - University of Agriculture and Technology of Cracow

- **Portugal**
  - University of Coimbra
  - University of Évora

- **Romania**
  - University of Alba Iulia

- **Russia**
  - Moscow State University

- **Singapore**
  - National University of Singapore

- **Spain**
  - Universidad de Alcalá
  - Universidad de Córdoba
  - Universidad de Granada

- **Sweden**
  - University of Gothenburg

- **Switzerland**
  - University of Applied Sciences and Arts in Lucerne
  - University of Applied Sciences and Arts in Zürich
  - University of Applied Sciences in St. Gallen
  - University of Applied Sciences in Winterthur

- **Turkey**
  - Bilkent University

- **United Arab Emirates**
  - American University in Dubai

- **United States**
  - California State University, Chico
  - Florida State University
  - University of California, Berkeley

- **United Kingdom**
  - University of Birmingham
  - University of Manchester
  - University of Nottingham

- **Ukraine**
  - National Technical University of Ukraine “Kiev Polytechnic Institute”

- **United States of America**
  - California State University, Chico
  - Florida State University
  - University of California, Berkeley

- **Vietnam**
  - Vietnam National University

- **Wales**
  - Swansea University

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QUALITATIVE INDICATORS

2017. UVic-UCC is the most transparent private university in Spain and is ranked second among all centres, public and private. (Commitment and Transparency Foundation [FCyT]. List drawn up using data from 2015).

2017. UVic-UCC is ranked third among Spanish universities that have contributed most to regional development, due to high performance indicators for “Regional publications” and “Regional research funds” in the ranking compiled by the Knowledge and Development Foundation (CYD) in 2017. The report highlights that the university obtained eight indicators in the high-performance university band, which ranks it at number 40 of the 69 Spanish universities assessed.

2017. Employability rate higher than other Catalan universities in 11 out of 19 knowledge areas (Joining the Job Market, AQU Catalunya report).

The performance of UVic-UCC (credits passed/credits enrolled) for the 2015/2016 academic year is above the average performance of Catalan universities (0.89 vs. 0.85) for bachelor’s degrees, pre-EHEA degrees and master’s degrees. (Source: Uneix*)

UVic-UCC has a success rate (credits passed/credits taken) for the 2015/2016 academic year that is higher than the overall success rate for Catalan public universities for bachelor’s degree studies. (Source: Uneix*).

The graduation rate of UVic-UCC is above the average for Catalan public universities for bachelor’s degrees. (Source: Uneix*).

The percentage of withdrawals in the first year of bachelor’s degree courses drops as the academic year progresses. (Source: Uneix*).

UVic-UCC (11%) and the UIC (13%) were the Catalan universities with most foreign students on bachelor’s degree courses in the 2015/2016 academic year. (Source: Uneix*).

* Uneix is the university information system of the Secretariat for Universities and Research of the Government of Catalonia
VIC,
A UNIVERSITY CITY

Half-way between the sea and the Pyrenees and sixty kilometres from Barcelona, Vic is the demographic, administrative and service hub of an area with 150,000 inhabitants.

Its long history, which can be felt in the city centre’s streets and squares, sits comfortably with the dynamism of a cosmopolitan city. The wealth of its heritage, seen in the quality of its museums, archives, historic buildings and all kinds of associations, is the expression of a city with numerous civic, cultural and artistic interests.

Living in Vic
Vic can offer you a variety of accommodation options while you study at the University. It is a small, lively city that is safe, welcoming and well-connected. There are all kinds of commercial and tourist services (www.victurisme.cat), as well as shows and events (www.latlanticdvic.cat), and Vic is well-known for its weekly and annual markets (www.vicfires.cat).

Accommodation for university students
UVic runs various accommodation schemes for university students. Our accommodation list has information on flats and rooms for rent. Halls of residence are an good option in terms of the services they provide. We also run an intergenerational scheme for students to share accommodation with people over 65 years old during the academic year.

How to get to Vic
All trains on the RENFE Barcelona - Puigcerdà line stop at Vic. The station is right by the University and the bus station. The Sagalès coach company covers the Barcelona-UVic route, with a timetable suited to university activities. The Eixbus runs between Girona and Lleida, stopping at Vic, and the Teisa bus covers the Olot-Vic and Ripoll-Vic routes.

BARCELONA
Vic is one hour from Barcelona, and has excellent road, bus and rail links with the city, so students can enjoy all the culture and entertainment options provided by a major European metropolis, as well as the more tranquil, studious environment of a city such as Vic.
1. MIRAMARGES SITE  
   Carrer de la Sagrada Familia, 7  
   • Faculty of Business and Communication Studies  
   • Faculty of Education, Translation and Humanities  
   • Faculty of Health Sciences and Welfare

2. MASIA DE LA TORRE DELS FRARES  
   Carrer d’en Perot Rocaguinarda, 17  
   • Early Childhood Education: Montessori and Teresa Buscart rooms

3. TORRE DELS FRARES  
   Carrer de la Laura, 13  
   • Faculty of Science and Technology

4. CASA DE CONVALESCÈNCIA  
   Carrer del Dr. Junyent, 1  
   • Rectorate and Balmes University Foundation

5. FARIÑERA BUILDING  
   Carrer del Bisbe Morgades, 15  
   • Vocational Training Campus

6. UVIC SPORTS BUILDING  
   Avinguda Antoni Vià Canyellas  
   • Centre for Physical Activity and Sports Studies

7. CAN BAUMANN  
   Carretera de Roda, 70  
   • Faculty of Medicine
CENTRES AROUND CATALONIA

Affiliate centres
Design College of Barcelona (BAU)
Business School Barcelona (EADA)
Barcelona School of Business and Social Science (ESERP)

Centres

**BARCELONA**
UVic-UCC Barcelona Office (teaching)

**VIC**
UVic Campus (UVic-UCC) (teaching and research, vocational training)

**SANT HILARI SACALM**
Chair in Water, Nature and Welfare (research)

**GRANOLLERS**
UGranollers premises (UVic-UCC) (teaching, vocational training)

**OLOT**
Kreas. Comprehensive Training Centre for the Meat and Agrifood Industries (vocational training)

**RIPOLL**
Eduard Soler Foundation (associate centre, vocational training)

**MANLLEU**
Centre for the Study of Mediterranean Rivers (CERM) (research)

**MANRESA**
UManresa Campus (UVic-UCC) (teaching and research, vocational training)