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The University of  
Porto is the  
largest university  
in Portugal and  
one of the most  
prestigious teaching  
and research institutions  
in the country.



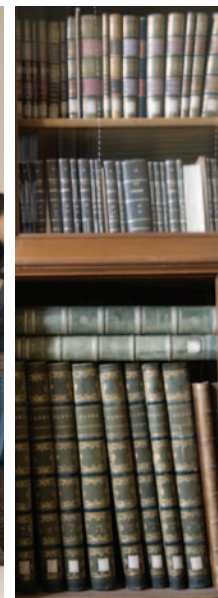
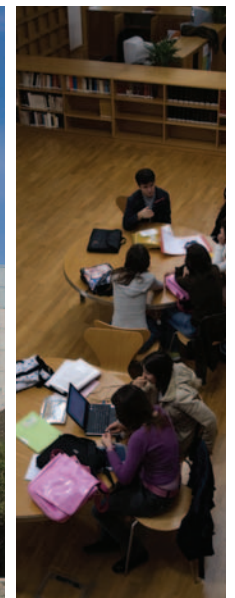
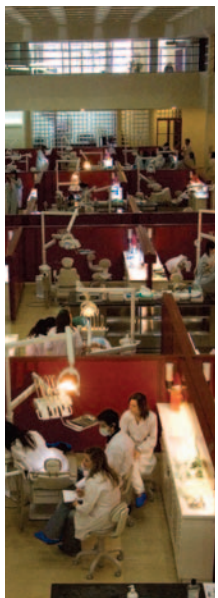
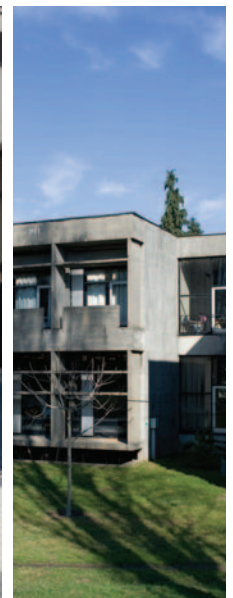
With origins dating back to the eighteenth century, the University of Porto is currently the largest university in Portugal in terms of numbers of students, faculties and courses.

It is not just because of its size that the University of Porto stands out, but also because of its quality. It is the Portuguese institution with the best score in the majority of the international rankings for higher education and scientific research, which ranked the University of Porto as one of the top 200 European universities.

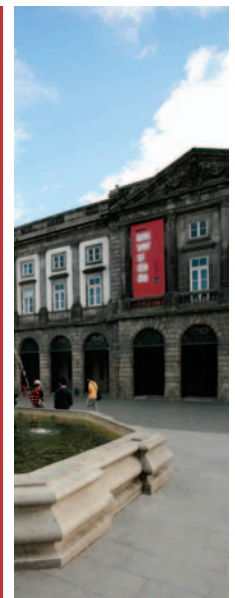




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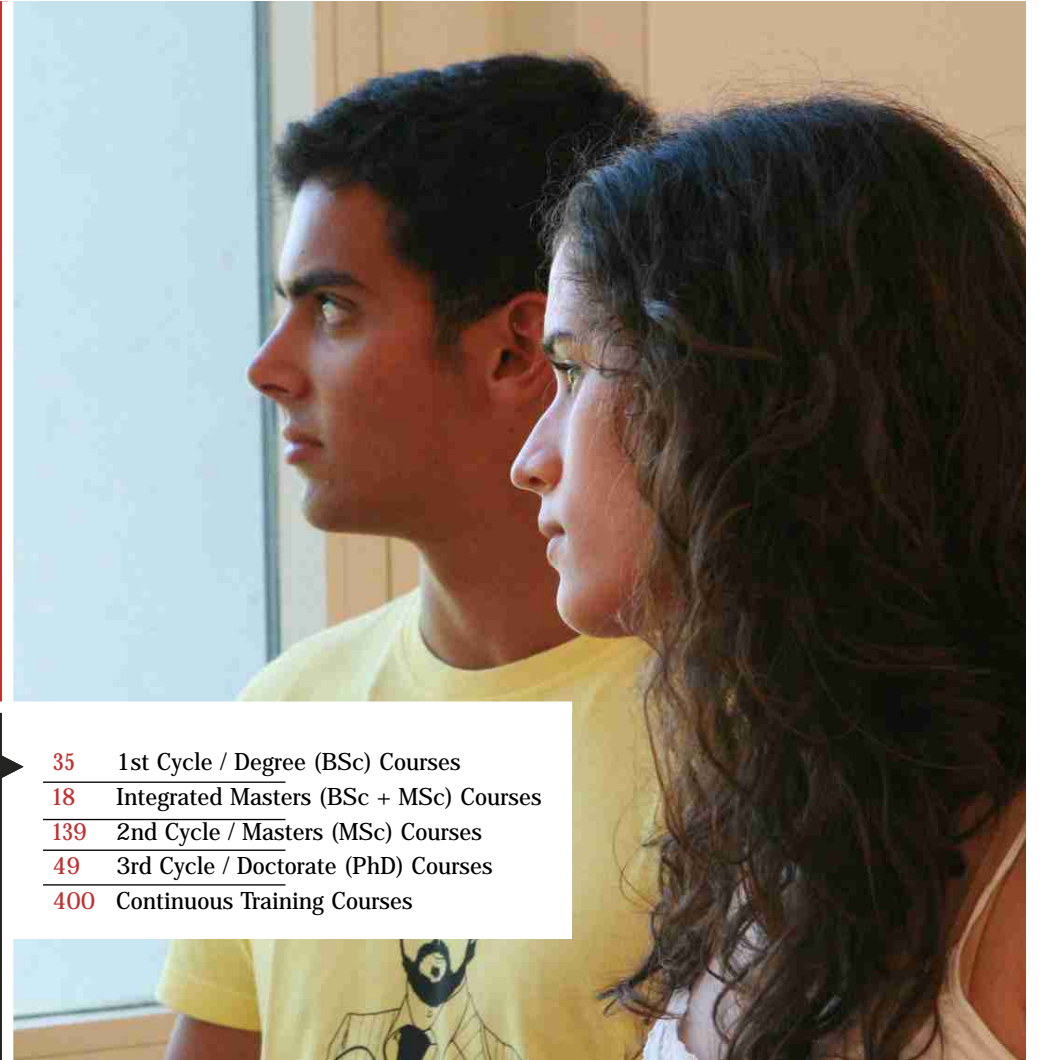
Three campus  
in the city of Porto  
house 14 faculties,  
the business school  
and close to  
70 research units  
at the University of Porto.





With over **600 training programmes**,  
the University of Porto has  
**teaching solutions** for all,  
covering the whole range of study areas.

The fifteen schools within  
the University of Porto  
provide an exceptional  
variety of courses, covering  
all levels of higher education,  
from degrees to continuous  
professional training:

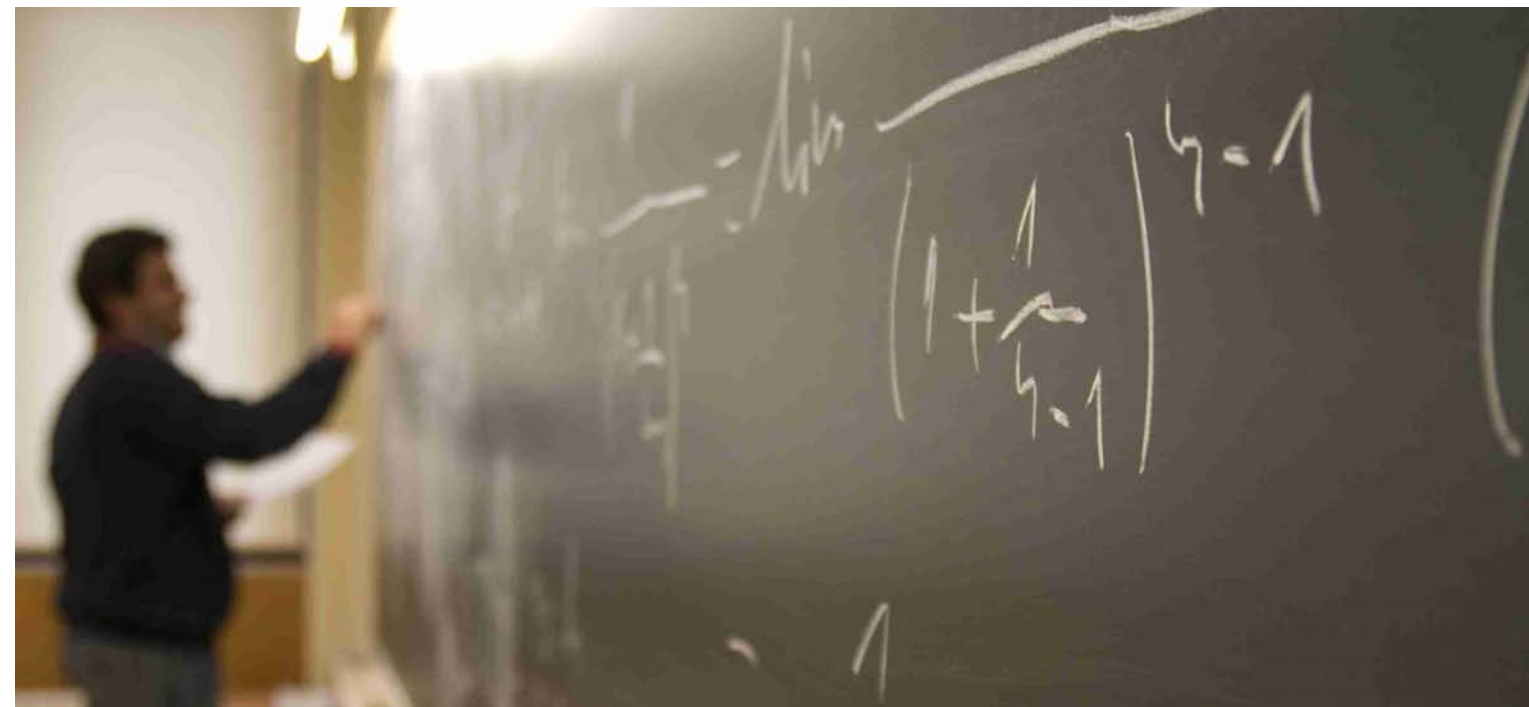


35	1st Cycle / Degree (BSc) Courses
18	Integrated Masters (BSc + MSc) Courses
139	2nd Cycle / Masters (MSc) Courses
49	3rd Cycle / Doctorate (PhD) Courses
400	Continuous Training Courses





Teaching staff  
comprising  
**70% PhD** ensures a  
high quality of  
training, fully valued by  
the labour market.



Of the 1,855 full-time staff teachers at the University of Porto, 1,358 (73%) have doctorates. These are complemented by 405 guest lecturers completing the teaching staff of the university.

It is this exceptional qualification level of the teaching staff, combined with advanced laboratory technology and equipment, as well as close connections with the business world, which ensure high-quality training, which is fully recognised by the labour market.



The University of  
Porto is the **most  
sought-after** of  
higher education  
establishments and  
the chosen  
university  
of students with  
highest grades.



Courses at the University of Porto are the most sought-after by higher education candidates, and each year the institution has the highest rate of places being filled of all Portuguese universities.

The University of Porto is also the institution with the highest average classification of candidates who find places on courses here. In 2007, 3 out of the 5 courses with highest average grades in Portugal were run by the University of Porto.



3,968	Places
14,126	Applications
7,219	1 <sup>st</sup> choice applicants
3,947	Successful applicants
99.5%	Rate of places filled
149.5	Average weighted classification of the last qualifying student placed at the Uni of Porto



Nearly  
**29,000 students**  
(6,500 post-graduates)  
attend daily the  
**15 schools** of the  
University of Porto.

The University of Porto is the Portuguese  
higher education institute with the  
largest number of students.



28,901	Students
22,477	1 <sup>st</sup> Cycle / Degree (BSc) and Integrated Masters (BSc + MSc) Students
3,845	2 <sup>nd</sup> Cycle / Masters (MSc) Students
2,049	3 <sup>rd</sup> Cycle / Doctorate (PhD) Students
742	Post-Doctoral Researchers





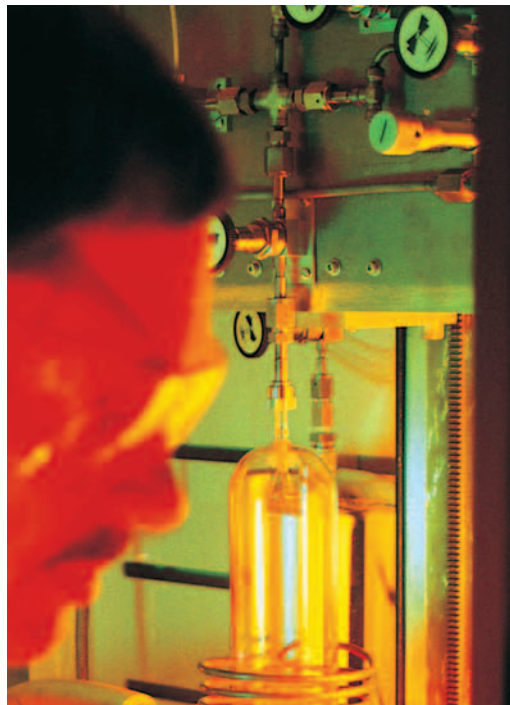
The University of Porto is open to the world. Every year, a growing number of students and scientists from the five continents choose the University of Porto as their preferred teaching and research institution. Similarly, several hundred students and researchers from the University of Porto use the unique opportunity at their disposal thanks to over 500 international cooperation agreements in place at the institution in order to experiment with a period of studies outside of Portugal.

Every year, around  
**2,000** students  
from all over the  
world choose the  
University of Porto  
to complete their  
higher education.

<b>2,017</b>	Foreign students at the University of Porto in 2006/07
<b>886</b>	On international mobility programmes
<b>577</b>	In 1 <sup>st</sup> Cycle / Degree (BSc) and Integrated Masters (BSc + MSc)
<b>324</b>	In 2 <sup>nd</sup> Cycle / Masters (MSc)
<b>208</b>	In 3 <sup>rd</sup> Cycle / Doctorate (PhD)
<b>57</b>	Post-Doctoral Researchers
<b>61</b>	Different Nationalities







The University of  
Porto is the **biggest**  
producer  
of **science** in  
Portugal, producing  
one fifth of  
scientific articles  
published **each** year.



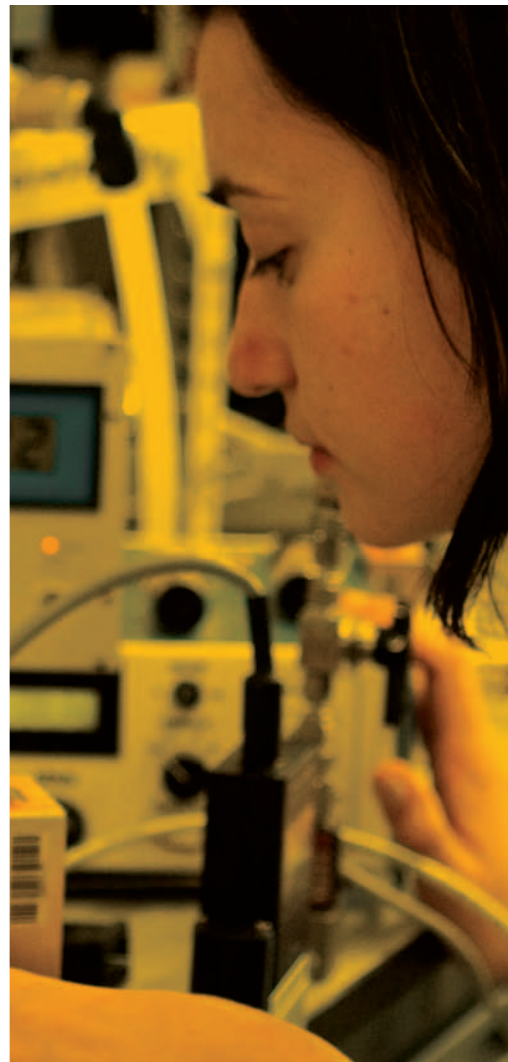
The University of Porto dominates the portuguese scientific production, and is internationally recognised in various fields of research. Over 22% of the scientific articles produced each year in Portugal come from research units within the University of Porto.

Nearly half of these were classified as “Excellent” or “Very Good” by the latest independent evaluations. In fact, the University of Porto has some of the most advanced and internationally renowned Portuguese R&D centres.

69	Research Units
31	Units classified as “Excellent” or “Very Good”
13	State Associated Laboratories
1,721	Scientific articles indexed in the ISI Web of Science in 2007
22.4%	Of scientific articles produced in Portugal in 2007

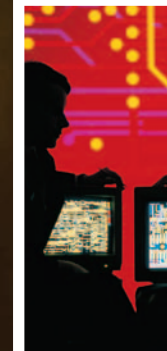
Some of the  
most relevant  
innovations in  
Portuguese  
industry have  
come from the  
research centres of  
the University of  
Porto.

Partnerships between the University of Porto and industry have already resulted in several successful products on national and international markets, from the featherweight gas canisters to new alcohol-free beers. The innovation produced by the University of Porto has also led to the start-up of several new businesses. The institution is responsible for 31 patents, 21 of which were recorded during the three-year period from 2005 to 2007.



Just in service provision, the University has secured revenue of 12,2 million Euros for 2008, 34,5% higher than recorded revenue from this source in 2007.

These figures show the focus of the University in terms of providing greater economic value to its scientific production.







The University of Porto is one of the most active promoters of social and cultural development in the city and the region.

The University of Porto has made a great deal of effort to contribute more actively in the field of social and cultural development in the community. Every year, around 25.000 young people at secondary and primary schools attend the science dissemination events held by the University of Porto. Initiatives such as “Junior University” and “Science, Teaching and Innovation Show” have opened classrooms and laboratories to a new generation of young scientists.



Furthermore, initiatives such as the “University Study Programme for Seniors” or the 400 continuous training courses organised each year by the University of Porto have opened the university’s doors to a new range of the population. The University of Porto has once again established itself as a hub for cultural creation and dissemination, with many of its facilities having joined in the artistic circuit of the city, with an extensive programme of exhibitions, performances and conferences, which have been freely available to the whole community.

# Courses 2008/09

## Key

- 1st Cycle / Degree (BSc)
- Integrated Masters (BSc + MSc)
- 2nd Cycle / Masters (MSc)
- 3rd Cycle / Doctorate (PhD)

In collaboration with others  
Universities  
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- Biodiversity, Genetics and Evolution
- Food Technology, Science and Safety
- Geomaterials and Geological Resources
- Geosciences
- Computer Science
- Mathematics
- Molecular Plant Physiology
- Physics
- Sea Sciences and the Environment
- Sustainable Energy Systems
- Leaders for Technical Industries
- Telecommunications
- Wine production and oenology

Multidisciplinary courses of U.Porto  
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- African Studies
- Applied Mathematics
- Biochemistry
- Bioengineering
- Communication Sciences: Journalism, Media Advising and Multimedia
- Environmental Contamination and Toxicology

- Forensic Sciences
- GABBA – Graduate Programme in Areas of Basic and Applied Biology
- Information Science
- Innovation and Technological Entrepreneurship
- Medical Information Technology
- Medicine and Molecular Oncology
- Microsurgery
- Multimedia
- Neurosciences
- Nutrition and Consumption Sciences
- Nutrition and Food Consumption
- Pathology and Molecular Genetics
- Public Health
- Teaching Visual Arts at 3rd Cycle of Primary Education and Secondary Education

Faculty of Architecture  
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- Architecture
- Intervention Methodologies in Architectural Heritage

Faculty of Fine Arts  
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- Art and Design for Public Venues
- Artistic Studies
- Communication Design
- Contemporary Artistic Practices
- Drawing and Printing Techniques
- Drawing Practice and Theory
- Graphic Design and Editorial Projects
- Image Design
- Painting
- Plastic Arts - Branches: Painting, Sculpture, Multimedia
- Sculpture

Faculty of Sciences  
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- Agronomic Engineering
- Aquatic Biological Resources
- Astronomy
- Biodiversity, Genetics and Evolution
- Biology
- Biology and Geology in School Context
- Biology and Water Quality Management
- Chemistry
- Computer Science
- Curricular Development in Astronomy
- Ecology, Environment and Land
- Engineering Sciences
- Environmental Sciences and Technology
- Forensic Genetics
- Geographical Engineering
- Geographical Information Systems
- Geology
- Landscape Architecture
- Mathematics
- Mathematical Engineering
- Mathematics for Teachers
- Medical Physics
- Modelling, Analysis and Optimisation of Industrial Processes
- Network Engineering and IT Systems
- Physics
- Physical Engineering
- Physics and Chemistry in School Context
- Teaching Biology and Geology at 3rd Cycle of Primary Education and Secondary Education
- Teaching Mathematics at 3rd Cycle of Primary Education and Secondary Education
- Teaching Physics and Chemistry at 3rd Cycle of Primary Education and Secondary Education

Faculty of Nutrition and Food  
Sciences  
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- Clinical Nutrition
- Collective Food Studies
- Nutrition Sciences

Faculty of Sport  
www.fade.up.pt

- Adapted Physical Activity
- High-Yield Sports Training
- Motor Skill Development
- Physical Activity for the Elderly
- Physical and Health Activities
- Sports for Children and Youths
- Sports Management
- Sports Sciences
- Teaching Physical Education and Sports

Faculty of Law  
www.fd.up.pt

- Criminology
- Law

Faculty of Economics  
www.fep.up.pt

- Accountancy
- Business Sciences
- Commercial Management
- Data Analysis and Decision Support Systems
- Economics
- Economics and City Management
- Economics and Company Administration
- Economics and Environment Management
- Economics and Human Resource Management
- Economics and Innovation Management
- Economics and International Management

- Finances
- Finances and Fiscal Affairs
- Health Services, Management and Economics
- Management
- Marketing
- Modelling and Economic Simulation
- Quantitative Methods for Economics and Management

Faculty of Engineering  
www.fe.up.pt

- Automation, Instrumentation and Control
- Biomedical Engineering
- Chemical and Biological Engineering
- Chemical Engineering
- Civil Engineering
- Construction
- Electrical and Computers Engineering
- Environmental Engineering
- Industrial Design
- Industrial Engineering and Management
- Informatics and Computing Engineering
- Informatics Engineering
- Mechanical Engineering
- Metallurgical and Materials Engineering
- Mining and Geo-Environmental Engineering
- Occupational Safety and Hygiene Engineering
- Services Engineering and Management
- Transport Engineering and Management
- Transportation

Faculty of Pharmacy  
www.ff.up.pt

- Clinical Analyses
- Clinical and Forensic Analytical Toxicology
- Environmental Analytical Chemistry
- Pharmaceutical Sciences
- Pharmaceutical Technology
- Quality Control

Faculty of Arts  
www.letras.up.pt

- Anglo-Americans Studies
- Applied Languages
- Archaeology
- Contemporary History
- Didactics of Mother Tongue or Foreign Languages and Teaching Support for Languages
- Genetic and Textual Criticism
- Geographical Information Systems and Land Planning
- Geography
- German Studies
- History
- History and Education
- History and Heritage
- History of Art
- History of Portuguese Art
- History, International Relations and Cooperation
- Information and Communication on Digital Platforms
- Language Sciences
- Languages and International Relations
- Languages, Literatures and Cultures
- Linguistics
- Literary, Cultural and Inter-Art Studies
- Mediaeval and Renaissance History
- Philosophy
- Portuguese and Lusophone Studies
- Risks, Cities and Land Planning
- Romance Cultures and Literatures
- Sociology
- Teaching English and German/French/Spanish at 3rd Cycle of Primary Education and Secondary Education
- Teaching English and German/French/Spanish at Primary Education
- Teaching History and Geography at 3rd Cycle of Primary Education and Secondary Education
- Teaching Philosophy at Secondary Education

- Teaching Portuguese and Classical Languages at 3rd Cycle of Primary Education and Secondary Education
- Teaching Portuguese and Foreign Languages at 3rd Cycle of Primary Education and Secondary Education
- Teaching Portuguese as a Second Language / Foreign Language
- Translation and Linguistic Services

Faculty of Medicine  
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- Bioethics
- Clinical and Health Service Research
- Epidemiology
- Evidence and Decisions in Healthcare
- Medicine
- Medicine and Molecular Oncology
- Metabolism – Clinic and Experimentation
- Orthognathic and Orthodontic Surgery
- Psychiatry and Mental Health

Faculty of Dental Medicine  
www.fmd.up.pt

- Community Oral Health
- Conserving Dental Medicine
- Dental Medicine
- Fixed Implants and Conventional Prosthetics
- Implantology
- Occlusion, ATM and Orofacial Pain
- Odontopaediatrics
- Oral Rehabilitation
- Oral Surgery
- Orthodontics
- Periodontology

Faculty of Psychology and Education  
Sciences  
www.fpce.up.pt

- Development Studies in Social and Educational Sciences
- Education Sciences
- Psychology
- Psychology Topics

Abel Salazar Biomedical  
Sciences Institute  
www.icbas.up.pt

- Aquatic Sciences
- Forensic Medicine
- Medicine
- Nursing Sciences
- Oncology
- Sea Sciences – Marine Resources
- Traditional Chinese Medicine
- Veterinary Medicine

EGP - University of Porto  
Business School  
www.egp-upbs.up.pt

- Executive MBA
- The Magellan MBA