



STUDY IN BRAZIL

GET TO KNOW THE FEDERAL UNIVERSITY OF UBERLÂNDIA

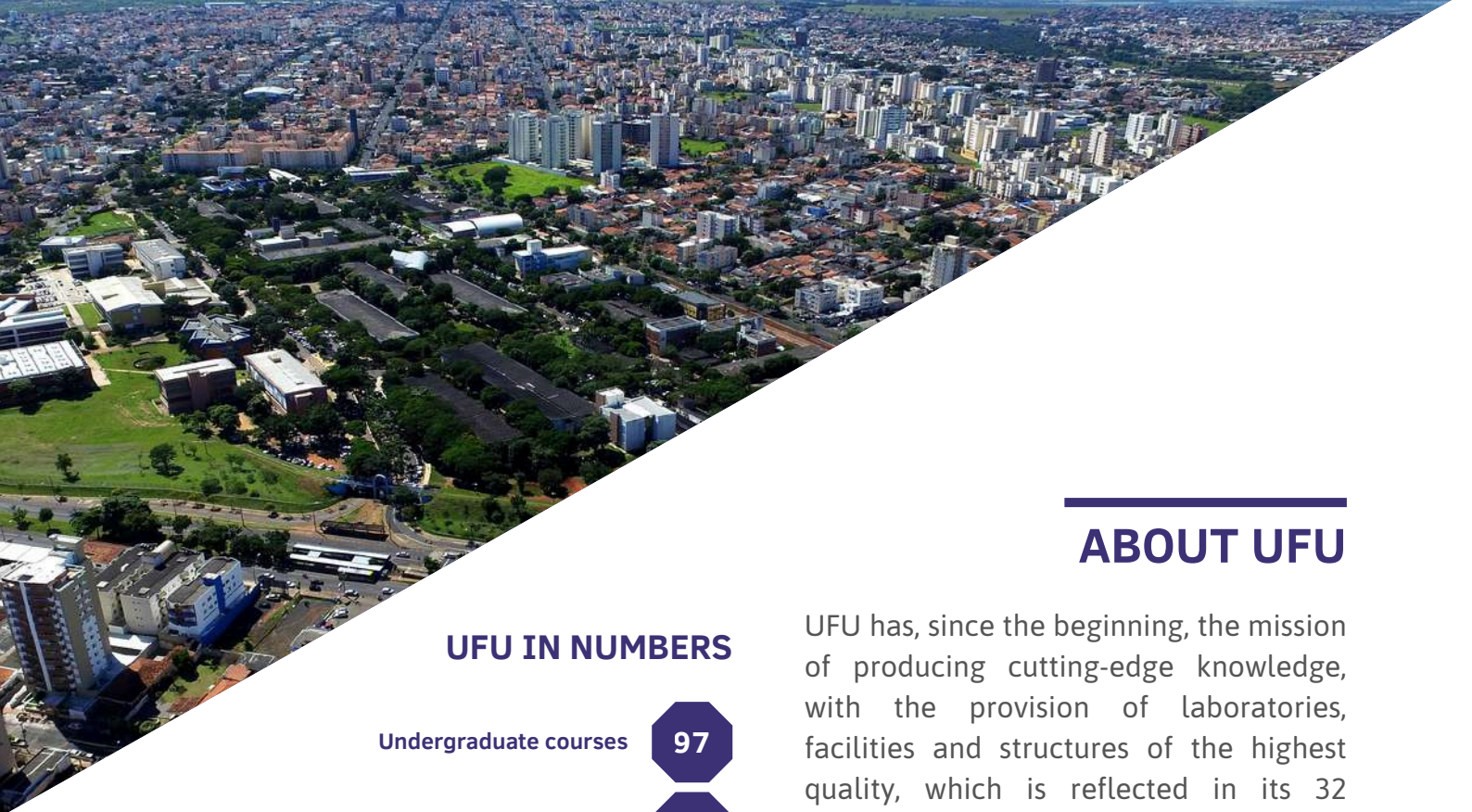


UFU
Universidade Federal de Uberlândia



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ABOUT UFU

UFU IN NUMBERS

Undergraduate courses	97
Academic masters	42
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UFU has, since the beginning, the mission of producing cutting-edge knowledge, with the provision of laboratories, facilities and structures of the highest quality, which is reflected in its 32 faculties and institutes distributed on 7 campuses. Committed to constant improvement, the UFU seeks to strengthen its international cooperation agreements with more than 130 institutions in over 20 countries, through the exchange of cultures and ideas and the personal and professional enrichment of students, which contributes to a more plural and multicultural university.

MISSION STATEMENT

Develop teaching, research and extension in an integrated manner, performing the function of producing and disseminating science, technology, innovations, culture, arts, and of forming critical citizens committed to ethics, democracy and social transformation.

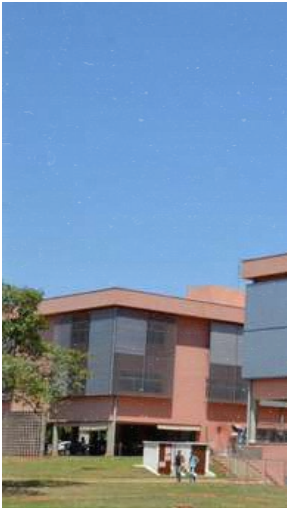
For more information visit:
ufu.br/universidade



COURSES e CAMPUSES

📍 Uberlândia

Campus Santa Mônica



Undergraduate

Business Administration
Architecture and Urbanism
Visual Arts
Computer Science
Accounting Sciences
Economics
Social Sciences
Dance
Design
Law
Biomedical Engineering
Civil Engineering
Computer Engineering
Control and Automation Engineering
Electrical Engineering
Electronic & Telecommunication Engineering
Chemical Engineering
Statistics
Philosophy
Material Science
Physics

Medical Physics
Geography
Information Management
History
Journalism
Modern Languages: Spanish and Spanish Language Literature
Modern Languages: French and French Language Literature
Modern Languages: English and English Language Literature
Modern Languages: Portuguese and Portuguese Language Literature
Modern Languages: Portuguese Language with Sign Language
Mathematics
Music
Pedagogy
Industrial Chemistry
Chemistry
International Relations
Public Health
Information Systems
Theater
Translation



Master

PGA - Administration
PPGAU - Architecture and Urbanism
PROF-ARTES - Arts (professional)
PPGAC - Performing Arts
PPGBIOCOMB - Biofuels
PPGCO - Computer Science
PPGCC - Accounting
PPGCS - Social Studies
PPGDI - Public Policy
PPGECO - Economics
PPGED - Education
PPGEB - Biomedical Engineering
PPGEC - Civil Engineering
PPGEELT - Electrical Engineering
PPGEM - Mechanical Engineering
PPGEQ - Chemical Engineering
PPGECM - Education (math and science, professional)

Profhistória - Teaching (history, professional)
PPGEL - Linguistics
PGLETRAS - Literary Studies
POSFIL - Philosophy
PPGF - Physics
PPGGEO - Geography
Profletras - Modern Languages (professional)
PPGGO - Organizational Management (professional)
PPGHIS - History
PGLETRAS - Literary Theory
PPMAT - Mathematics (professional)
PPGQUI - Multicentric Chemistry of Minas Gerais
PPGMU - Music
PPGQUI - Chemistry
PPGRI - International Relations
PPGAT - Public Health (professional)



Uberlândia

Campus Santa Mônica



Doctorate

PPGA - Administration
PPGBIOCOMB - Biocombusibles
PPGCO - Computer Sciences
PPGCC - Accounting
PPGECO - Economics
PPGED - Education
PPGEB - Biomedical Engineering
PPGEELT - Electrical Engineering
PPGEM - Mechanical Engineering
PPGEQ - Chemical Engineering
PPGEL - Linguistics
PGLETRAS - Literature
POSFIL - Philosophy
PPGF - Physics
PPGGEO - Geography
PPGHIS - History
PPGQUI - Multicentric Chemistry of Minas Gerais
PPGQUI - Chemistry

Uberlândia

Campus Umuarama



Undergraduate

Biomedicine
Biotechnology
Biological Sciences - Bachelors
Biological Sciences - Licensure
Nursing
Medicine
Nutrition
Dentistry
Psychology

Master

PPGBC - Applied Biology of Cell Structure
PPGBV - Plant Biology
PPCSA - Health Sciences
PPCSA - Health Sciences (professional)
PPGECO - Ecology and Conservation of Natural Resources
PPGGB - Genetics and Biochemistry
PPIPA - Applied Immunology and Parasitology
PPGODONTO - Dentistry
PGPSI - Psychology
PPSAF - Family Health (professional)

Doctorate

PPGAGRO - Agronomy
PPCSA - Health Sciences
PPGECO - Ecology and Conservation of Natural Resources
PPGGB - Genetics and Biochemistry
PPIPA - Applied Immunology and Parasitology
PPGODONTO - Dentistry





Uberlândia

Campus Glória

Undergraduate

- Agronomy
- Aeronautic Engineering
- Environmental Engineering
- Mechanical Engineering
- Mechatronic Engineering
- Veterinary Medicine
- Zootechnics (animal husbandry)



Master

- PPGAGRO - Agronomy
- PPGCVET - Veterinary Sciences
- PPGMQ - Environment and Environmental Quality



Doctorate

- PPGAGRO - Agronomy
- PPGCVET - Veterinary Sciences

Uberlândia

Campus Educação Física



Undergraduate

- Bachelor of Physical Education
- Physical Education Licensure
- Physiotherapy



Master

- PPGFISIO - Physiotherapy

Patos de Minas

Campus Patos de Minas

Undergraduate

- Biotechnology
- Food Engineering
- Electronic & Telecommunication Engineering



Master

- PPGBIO - Biotechnology
- PPGEA - Food Engineering





Monte Carmelo

Campus Monte Carmelo

Undergraduate

- Agronomy
- Surveying and Cartographic Engineering
- Forestry Engineering
- Geology
- Information Systems



Master

- PPGAIG - Agriculture and Geospatial Information



Ituiutaba

Campus Pontal



Undergraduate

- Business Administration
- Biological Sciences - Bachelor's
- Biological Sciences - Licensure
- Accounting
- Production Engineering
- Physics - Licensure
- Geography
- History
- Mathematics - Bachelor's
- Mathematics - Licensure
- Pedagogy
- Chemistry - Bachelor's
- Chemistry - Licensure
- Social Work

Master

- PPGEP - Geography

GRANTS

UFU offers grants for student assistance that seek to assist students in conditions of socioeconomic vulnerability.

For further information, please contact PROAE:
www.proae.ufu.br

LIBRARIES

UFU has a Library System, Sisbi/UFU, which has 9 libraries.

The libraries have a collection of more than 390 thousand printed and electronic copies and more than 180 thousand titles.

Furthermore, various tools and functionalities are made available, such as more than 400 mobile devices for students.

More information about Sisbi/UFU is available at:
bibliotecas.ufu.br

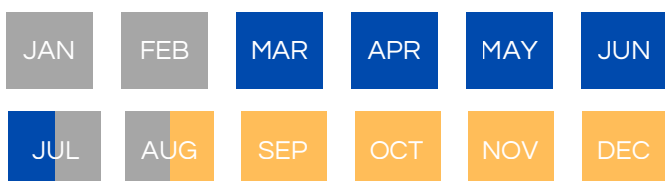


Umuarama Campus Library

GRADES AND SCHEDULE

Each UFU professor may choose a different assessment method. Some prefer to assess through assignments, others through exams or a combination of different methods.

In order to be approved, the student must achieve a minimum of 60 points in the performance aspect and 75% in the attendance aspect of the curricular activities. The academic year is divided into two semesters.



FIRST SEMESTER SECOND SEMESTER HOLIDAY

UFU MOBILE

UFU Mobile is the first official application of the Federal University of Uberlândia (UFU), developed to facilitate access to information for students, professors, administrative technicians and other members of the community.

Within the app, it is possible to access intercampi schedules, the RU menu, campus maps and news from Comunica UFU.

You can download the app from Google Play and the App Store Brazil.



Monte Carmelo campus lab

FREE INTERNET

By joining UFU, you guarantee Wi-Fi connection, services offered by Microsoft 365 online, data storage in the cloud and access to several journal portals.

To register, access the link:
www.idufu.ufu.br

STUDENT IDENTITY

The Student Identity Card is digital and can be used in libraries, university restaurants, to pay half entrance to cinemas and cultural and sporting events.

SOME NUMBERS

UFU aims to foment scientific production and thinking among undergraduate students. To this end, two types of scientific initiation are offered: PIBIC and PIBITI, in partnership with FAPEMIG and CNPQ, which offers scholarships for scientific and technological research available through public notices, and PIVIC, which is the voluntary scientific research registration.

For further information: www.propp.ufu.br/

UFU is constantly listed in the most renowned university rankings, such as the QS Latin America University Rankings 2020 and THE World University Rankings 2020.

INTERNATIONAL RANKINGS

- 1st** Number of PhD professors in Latin America
QS Latin America University Rankings (2021)
- 18th** Best University in Brazil
THE World University Ranking (2022)
- 56th** Best University in Latin America
THE Latin America University Rankings (2021)
- 401-600** Most sustainable university in the world
THE Impact University Rankings (2022)
- 401+** Best Young University in the world
THE Young Universities Ranking (2021)
- 501-600** World's best university in the health field
THE Universities Ranking by Subject (2022)

INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

- 340** Patents applied for
- 20** International patents applied for
- 28** Cultivars
7 with definitive protection and 3 under analysis
- 66** Industrial Design

RESEARCH AT UFU

- 1209** Research projects in progress
2021
- 613** Completed research projects
Projects with scholarships



PROINT

The Training Program for Internationalization is a teaching, research, and extension initiative of UFU, in partnership with DRI, active since April 2018. It brings together students from various fields of knowledge, including international students, with a focus on promoting university internationalization through diversity of knowledge and collaboration across disciplines. The project seeks to improve the experience of international students at UFU by providing support, welcoming initiatives, and PLE classes (Portuguese as a Foreign Language), taught by students from the Language and Literature program. In partnership with IsF (Languages without Borders), we offer English courses to the academic community. We also organize events, excursions, workshops, and research on internationalization.

Some of the activities carried out by ProInt include INTERUFU (UFU Internationalization Week), the Polyglot Teenagers course, and the Reception of international students.



ProInt's team 2025

MIGUFU

Have you ever heard of the Global Integration Mentorship Program of the Federal University of Uberlândia? MIGUFU is a program in which UFU students help students from other countries who are beginning their studies at the University. Would you like to have a MIGUFU mentor to help you?



International student receptions 2025

MIGUFU (Global Integration Mentor of UFU) was created in 2018 by the Training Program for Internationalization (PROINT), in partnership with the International Relations Office of UFU (DRI/UFU), and aims to promote dialogue and integration between international students and the academic community of UFU. The proposal is a voluntary initiative by UFU students to provide assistance to students in international mobility through various actions, such as offering support before their arrival at UFU by providing information about cost of living and housing; introducing the University and the city of Uberlândia; and participating alongside the international student in integration activities, such as those promoted by ProInt/DRI.

If you are interested in participating in the program as a volunteer, please send us a message at prointufu@gmail.com or migufu.mentoria@gmail.com.

PORTUGUESE COURSES

Portuguese as a Foreign Language (PLE) classes are intended for exchange students in international mobility who come to study at UFU. The classes are taught by students from the Language and Literature programs — English, French, Spanish, Portuguese, and Portuguese with proficiency in Libras — as well as undergraduate interns from the same programs who are part of the Training Program for Internationalization (ProInt), under the guidance and pedagogical coordination of Prof. Dr. Máira Córdula, in addition to the direction of Prof. Valeska Soares and the administrative and institutional coordination of Renata Soares and Verônica Freitas. The courses are offered every semester in partnership with the Institute of Language and Linguistics (ILEEL), addressing the specific needs of international students. For more information, please contact: maira.cordula@ufu.br. There is also PAMB, an online Portuguese course for Beginners' Orientation, which includes WhatsApp support, synchronous meetings, and asynchronous activities.



WELCOME TO UFU

The course “Welcome to UFU” is an initiative linked to the MIGUFU Project whose purpose is to support the academic and cultural integration of international students by providing guidance on how the university operates, its services, the academic routine, and practical aspects of life in Brazil. In this way, the course serves as an introductory guide and a preparation tool to ensure that the university experience at UFU is more informed, safe, and enriching. It must be completed on the Moodle platform as soon as the student arrives in Brazil.

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Studies are the fundamental part of the UFU experience, but there are countless possibilities to explore the University! With over 20,000 students, we have several extracurricular activities. Stay tuned and don't miss out!

UFU has excellent infrastructure: multi-sports courts; gymnasiums and fitness centers; stages for musical, theatrical and dance performances; a choir; museums of art, indigenous memory, science, minerals and rocks; and much more.



University Olympics at Sabiazinho Gymnasium



LIVING IN UBERLÂNDIA

Uberlândia is located in the state of Minas Gerais and is the largest city in the interior of Minas Gerais. It is located in the west of the state, in the Triângulo Mineiro region. Currently, it is one of the fastest growing cities in the state and its economy is based on agro-industry. Uberlândia has an airport with daily connections to the main capitals of the country, such as São Paulo, Rio de Janeiro and Belo Horizonte. It also has two shopping malls, parks, museums and beautiful waterfalls. The predominant climate is tropical and semi-humid. Therefore, during most of the year, you will encounter high temperatures.



Aerial view of Uberlândia

CLIMATE

The city of Uberlândia has a tropical climate, with a climate throughout the year considered warm, with its most common variations between 15°C to 30°C, with the coldest days reaching 11°C, and the warmest at 34°C. The hot season in the city comprises the months of September, October and November, the hottest being October, with a maximum of 29°C and a minimum of 19°C. The season with the mildest weather in Uberlândia is the months of May, June and July, with June being the coldest.

We recommend that you bring fresh clothes for your study period



Location of Uberlândia

HOUSING

The cost of living in Uberlândia varies between R\$1000 to R\$1600, depending on the student's choice of housing and food options.



Individual apartments or studios



República



Pensionato



Hotel



Hostel



Airbnb



Student housing

FOOD

The city has numerous restaurants, bars and snack bars. We recommend that you try the rich cuisine of Minas Gerais and Brazilian delicacies during your stay. Uberlândia also has a vast gastronomic network that includes international dishes, such as Mexican, Japanese and Italian cuisine, among others.



Santa Monica campus University Restaurant

UFU has snack bars and University Restaurants (RU) that cost R\$3,00 per meal. Around the university, it is also possible to find a variety of restaurants offering meals at different prices.



Regional sweets



Typical cheese of Minas Gerais

REGIONAL CUISINE

Pão de queijo is a very popular snack in Minas Gerais, made from cassava powder and local cheeses.

The rural cuisine of Minas Gerais is known for its wide variety of traditional recipes, such as the sweets made with local fruit.

Minas Gerais is known for producing several types of cheese, some of which have even been awarded international prizes.



Pão de queijo

HEALTH



Hospital das Clínicas - UFU

The student must present, obligatorily, a health insurance before the beginning of the mobility.

However, the city also offers public medical care through the Integrated Care Units (UAs), which have emergency and ambulatory care, where it is possible to receive and schedule free medical care.

UFU has a large hospital that offers free care in various medical fields and is a regional reference. The university also offers psychological care through Disau of the Prorectory of Student Assistance (PROAE).

TRANSPORT



Uberlândia has the third largest airport in the state of Minas Gerais, which connects the city to the major capitals of the country.



Currently, public transport in the city is free for students upon through previous registration. UFU provides free buses that circulate between the campuses of Uberlândia.



In Uberlândia, you will find a complete taxi fleet, besides the convenience of the platforms Uber and 99.

LEISURE AND ENTERTAINMENT



Sabiá Park Stadium



Sabiazinho Gymnasium

The UFU campuses are located in very diverse cities. Uberlândia is the largest of them and has several entertainment options. Besides the many options of parties and events, we recommend a cultural tour to the Municipal Market, located in the city centre, where you can find shops specializing in handicraft items and typical foods. It also has a sports arena and a football stadium, which host major sporting events such as volleyball games, cheerleading championships and even international band concerts.

The other cities, Monte Carmelo, Patos de Minas and Ituiutaba, are smaller, but rich in historical content. They also have shopping centres, parks, museums, cinemas, theatre and many other leisure attractions in the locations.



Uberlândia Theatre



Uberlândia Market



Sabiá Park in Uberlândia

PARKS

If you want an afternoon outdoors, the Parque do Sabiá is a great option. The place has running tracks, snack bar, zoo, aquarium, lake and other attractions to ensure a pleasant afternoon with nature.



LINKS AND USEFUL CONTACTS

Site UFU
<https://ufu.br/>

Site DRII
www.dri.ufu.br

Events happening at UFU
eventos.ufu.br

ProInt/MIGUFU
prointufu@gmail.com
migufu.mentoria@gmail.com

Academic Calendar
<https://prograd.ufu.br/central-de-conteudos/documentos/2025/03/calendario-academico-de-2025-2026-e-2027-graduacao-e-estes>

Questions about vacancies and processes
international@ufu.br

UFU Student Portal
<https://www.portalestudante.ufu.br>

E-mail UFU
<https://www.mail.ufu.br/>

SOCIAL NETWORKS

 Instagram UFU
[@UFU_oficial](https://www.instagram.com/UFU_oficial)

 Instagram DRI
[@driufu](https://www.instagram.com/driufu)

 Instagram ProInt
[@prointufu](https://www.instagram.com/prointufu)

 Instagram Idioma sem Fronteiras
[@isf.ufu](https://www.instagram.com/isf.ufu)

 Facebook DRI
[fb.com/driufu](https://www.facebook.com/driufu)

 Facebook UFU
[fb.com/comunicacaoufu](https://www.facebook.com/comunicacaoufu)

APPLY TO HAVE A MIGUFU MENTOR



MAPS

Access the UFU maps!
www.prefe.ufu.br/central-de-conteudos/documentos/mapas-dos-campi





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