International prestige and recognition

According to the QS World University Rankings, UPM is Spain’s leading university for engineering and technology and is within the top 100 universities in the world for employability. The QS ranking evaluates universities based on how well able they are to boost the professional careers of their students. The ranking sets great store by the UPM’s partnerships with industry. The UPM collaborates with 32 of the top international companies on the Fortune 500 and Forbes 2000 lists.
Leader in R&D&I

The UPM is one of Spain’s most active universities in the field of research. It has the largest number of partnerships with the business world and is the country’s leader in terms of competitive funding.

A window on the world

The UPM attaches huge importance to international education. It has 1,600 partnership agreements with international universities, 79 double degree agreements, and over 1,700 UPM students participate in international exchanges every year.

Invest in your future

Recognized for its top-quality education, the UPM provides its students with comprehensive scientific and technical training. It offers a total of 48 internationally accredited degree programmes.

UPM is the Spanish university with the largest number of internationally recognized engineering and architecture degree programmes.

Quality labels

Awarded by independent European and United States agencies, the ABET, Dąb, NAB, EUR-ACE, and EURO-INFO quality labels improve graduates’ international labour market access by equating the UPM’s training process with the best universities in the world.

Campus life

There is much more to university life than just studying. The UPM offers extracurricular activities that foster culture, sports, teamwork or the spirit of solidarity.

The UPM also has a strong and long-lasting commitment to the issues of development, sustainability and SDGs (sustainable development goals).

RESEARCH

- 16 research centres
- 5 research institutes
- 3 innovation centres

ENTREPRENEURSHIP

- 320+ start-ups funded by ActúaUPM

PATENTS

- Top Spanish university in terms of patent awards (more than 605 patents in force currently)

VISIBILITY

- Nº 1 Spanish university in terms of visibility (H2020 return)
- 549 awarded projects

The Universidad Politécnica de Madrid leads the EELISA European Alliance, which encompasses a community of over 180,000 students and 16,000 academic staff at 10 European universities.

56 Bachelor’s and joint bachelor’s degrees

100 Master’s and joint master’s degrees

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