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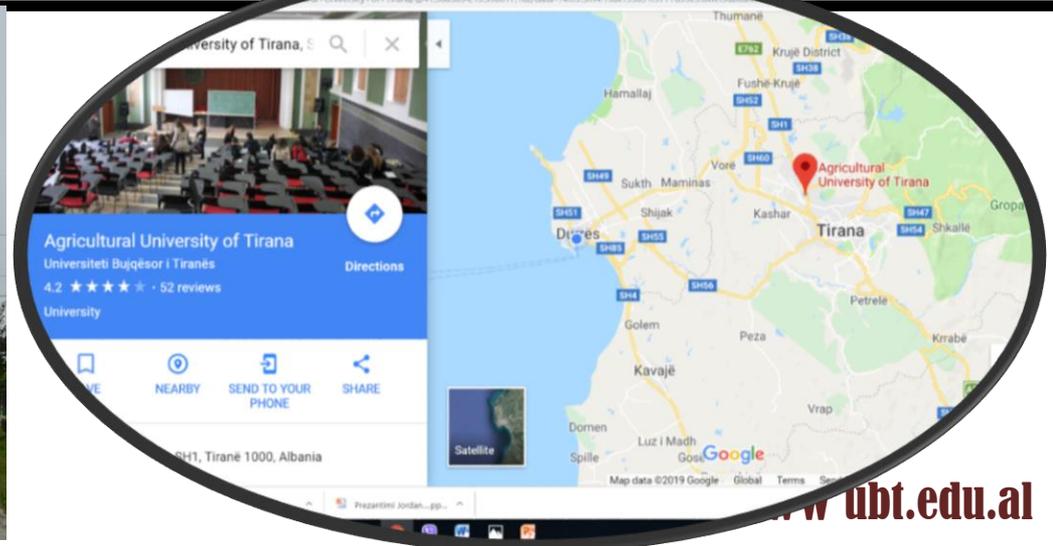
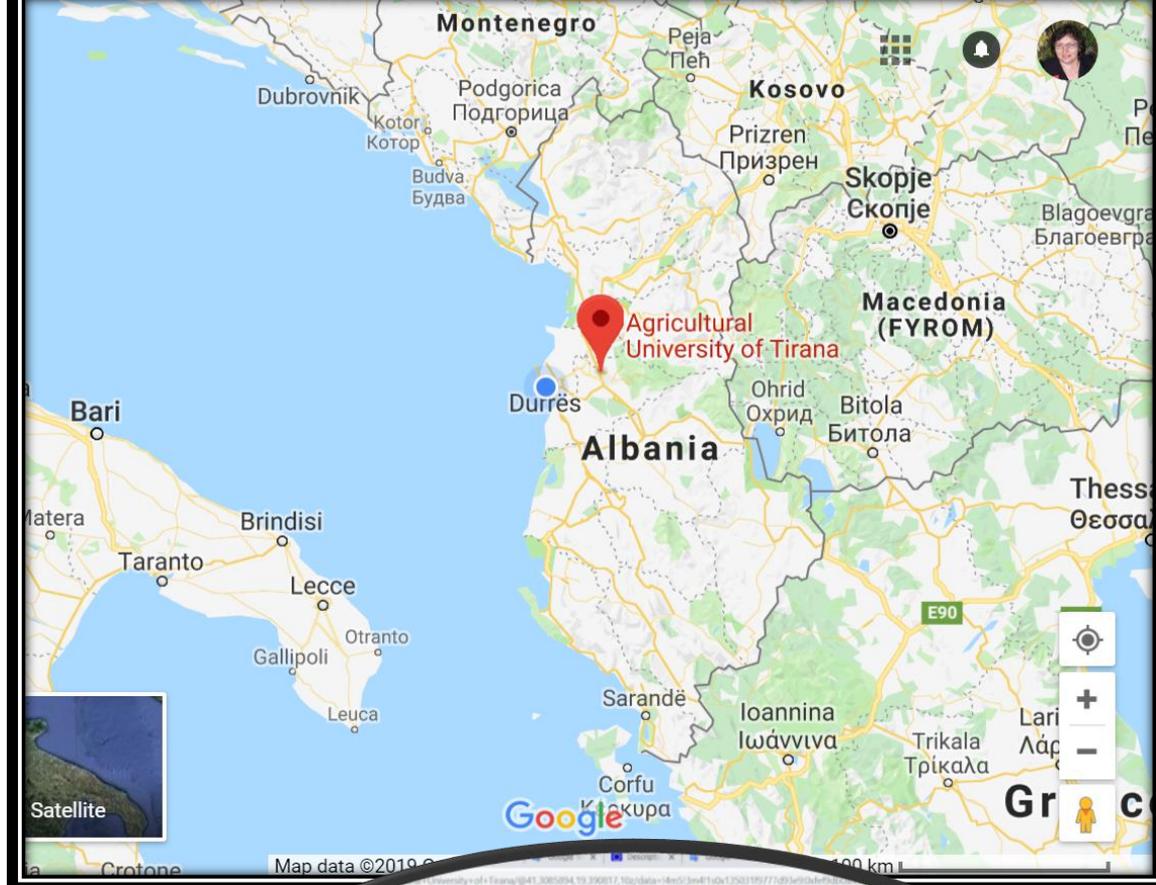
Agricultural University of Tirana (AUT)



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AUT is one of the highest educational institutions located in Tirana

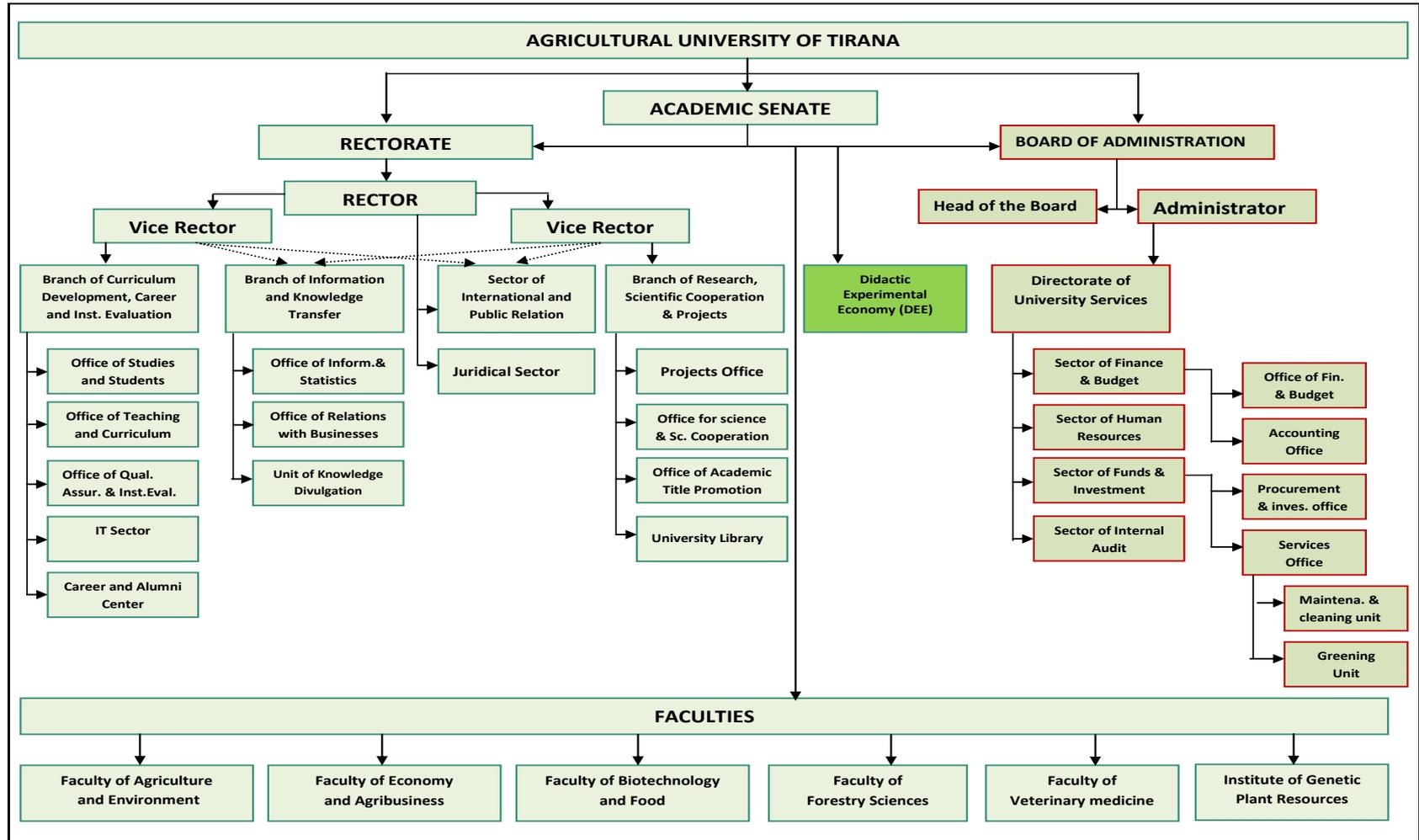
- 145 ha Surface =
- 13 ha University Campus
- + 132 ha EDC





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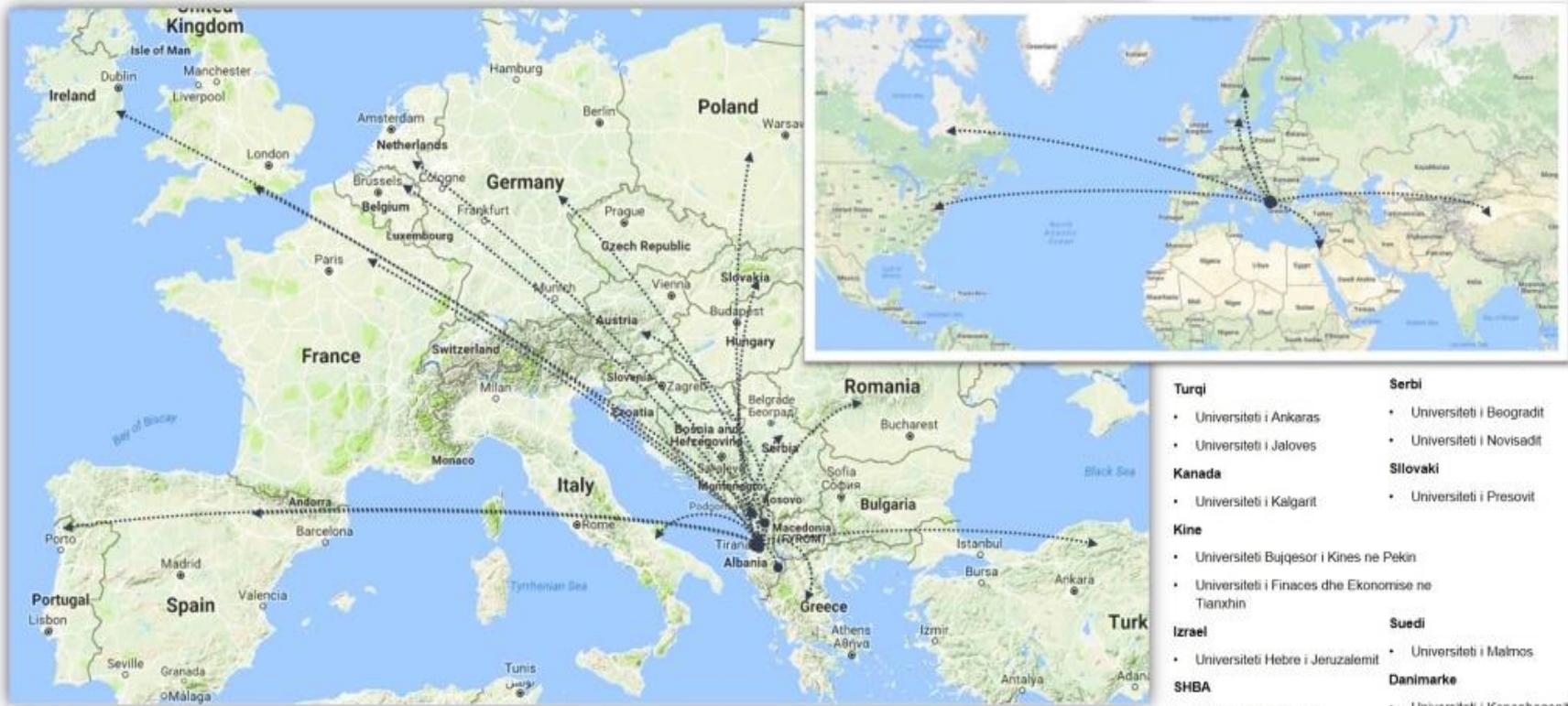
AUT Organizational Structure





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AUT & International Cooperation



- Austri**
- Universiteti BOKU ne Vjene
 - Universiteti i Gracit

- Belgjiqe**
- Universiteti i Gentit

- Britani e Madhe**
- Universiteti i Londres

- France**
- CIHEAM- IAM Montpellier

- Greqi**
- Universiteti i Selanikut

- Gjermani**
- Universiteti i Hohenheimit
 - Universiteti i Humboldt ne Berlin
 - Universiteti i Gisenit

- Hollande**
- Universiteti i Vageningenit

- Irlande**
- Universiteti i Dublinit
 - Universiteti i Limerikut

- Portugali**
- Instituti Politeknik i Viana do Kasteleos

- Itali**
- Universiteti i Milanos
 - Universiteti i Barit
 - Universiteti i Peruxhias
 - Universiteti i Torinos
 - Universiteti i Tor Vergates ne Rome

- Turqi**
- Universiteti i Ankaras
 - Universiteti i Jaloves

- Kanada**
- Universiteti i Kalgarit

- Kine**
- Universiteti Bujqesor i Kines ne Pekin
 - Universiteti i Finaces dhe Ekonomise ne Tianxhin

- Izrael**
- Universiteti Hebre i Jeruzalemit
- SHBA**
- Universiteti i Arizones
 - Universiteti i Florides

- Rumani**
- Universitetin e Shkencave Bujqesore dhe Veterinarise ne Timishoare

- Spanje**
- Universiteti i Kordobes
 - IAMZ Instituti i Zaragozes - CIHEAM

- Serbi**
- Universiteti i Beogradit
 - Universiteti i Novisadit

- Slovakia**
- Universiteti i Presovit

- Suedi**
- Universiteti i Malmos

- Danimarke**
- Universiteti i Kopenhagenit
- Poloni**
- Universiteti i Varshaves



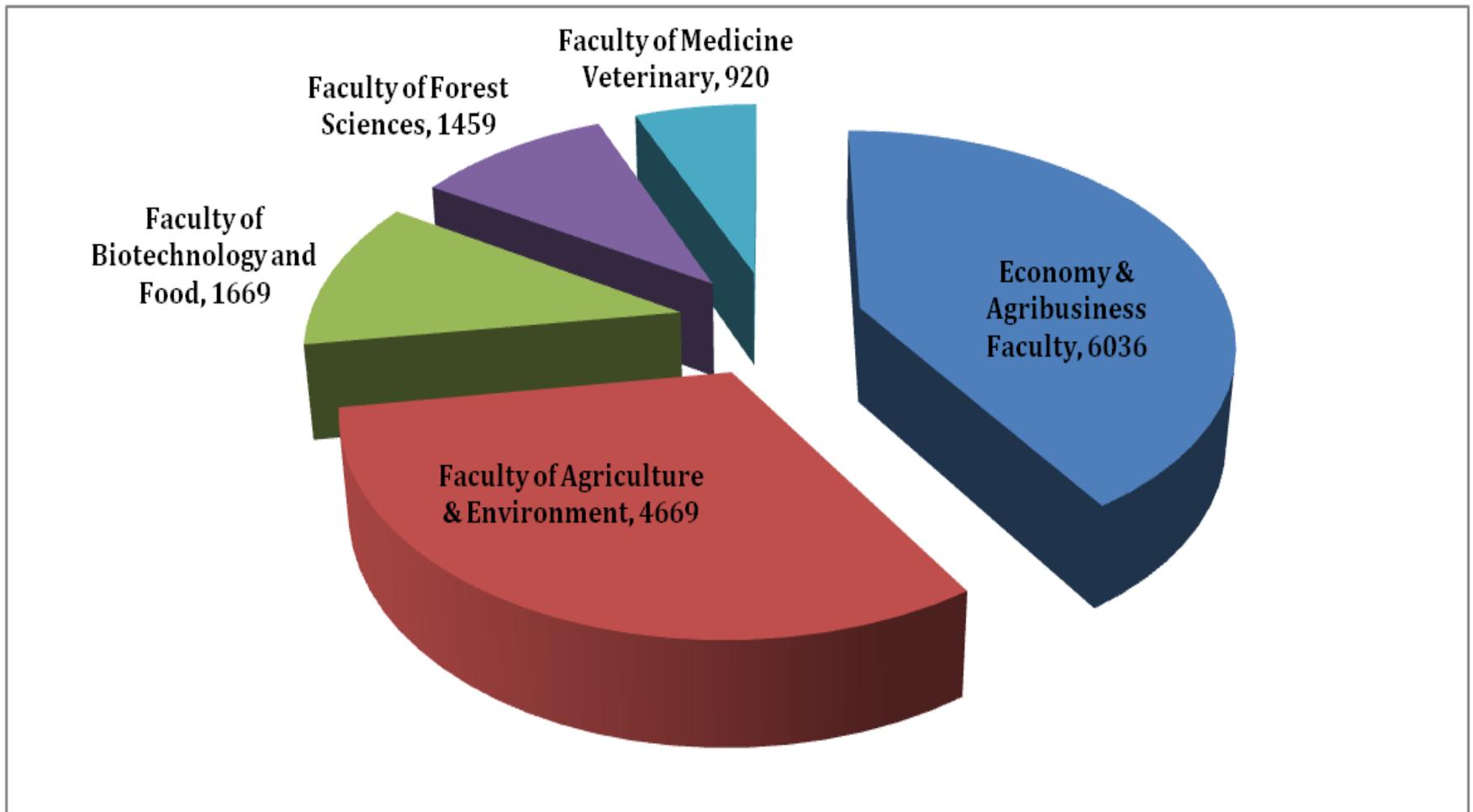
AUT consisting of five Faculties:

- Faculty of Agriculture and Environment
- Faculty of Economics and Agribusiness
- Faculty of Biotechnology and Food
- Faculty of Forestry Sciences
- Faculty of Veterinary Medicine

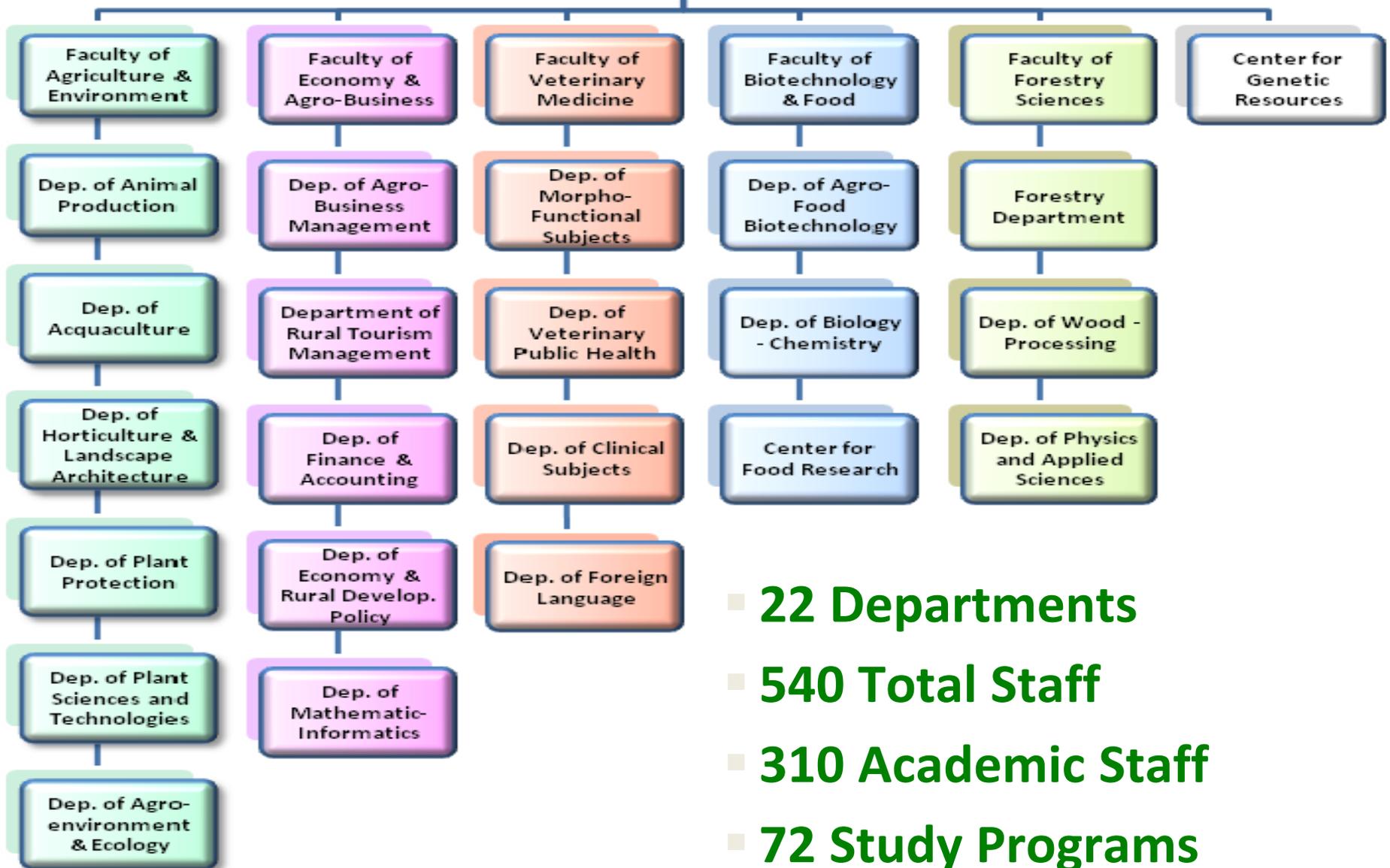




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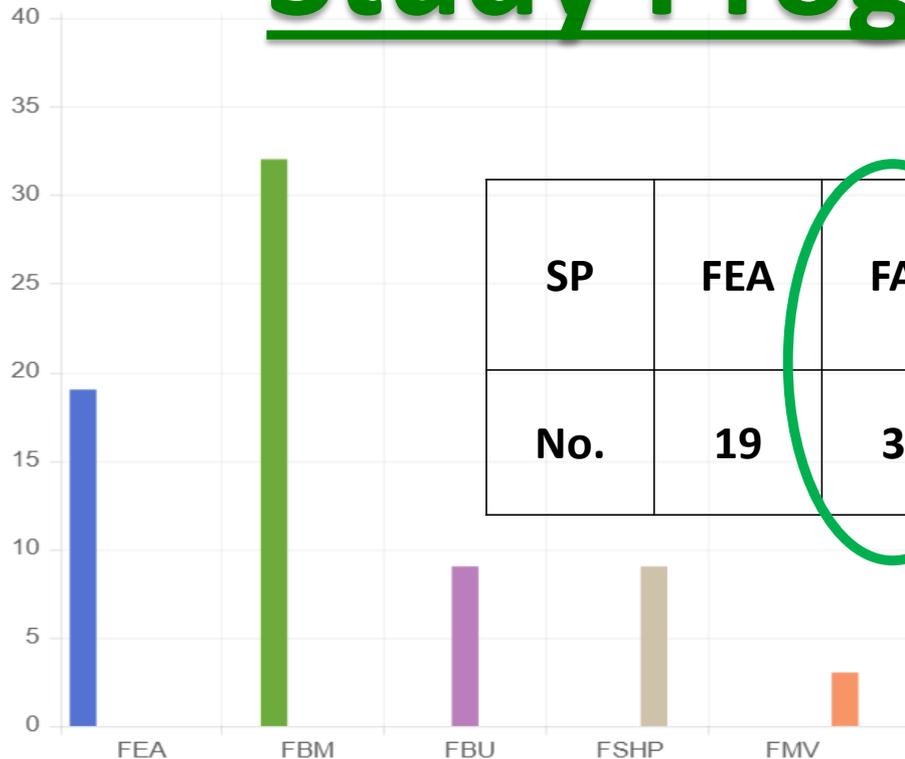
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- **22 Departments**
- **540 Total Staff**
- **310 Academic Staff**
- **72 Study Programs**
- **Approx. 15.000 Students**



Study Programs (SP)



SP	FEA	FAE	FBF	FFS	FVM	Total
No.	19	32	9	9	3	72





Faculty of Agriculture and Environment (FAE)



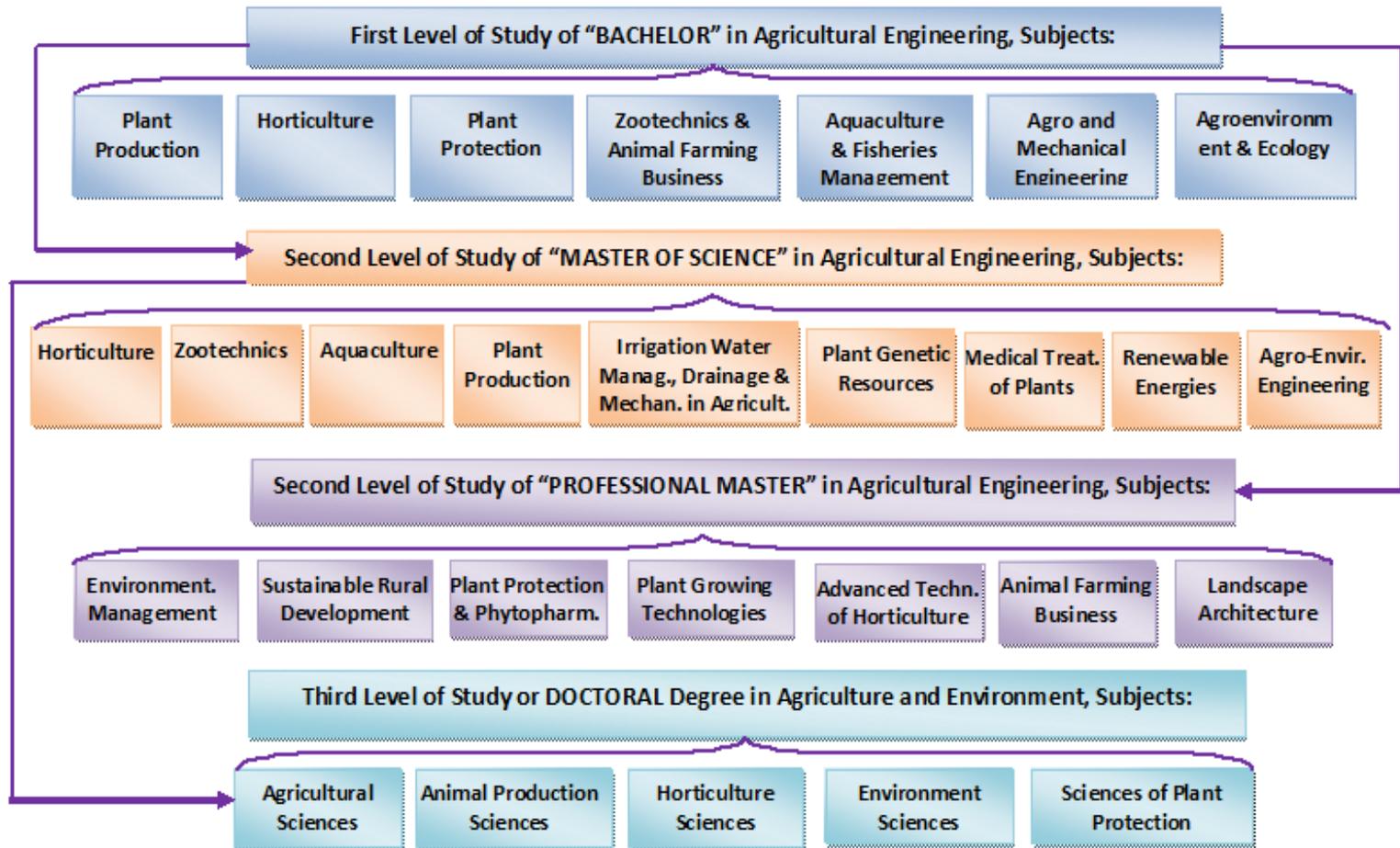
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Faculty of Agriculture and Environment (FAE)





➤ The curricula and teaching programs are in compliance with the Bologna Declaration

➤ It's purpose is the improvement of the education and scientific research, thus approaching the European Qualifications Framework (EQF)





Learning Opportunities and Qualifications in Europe

Information about courses, work-based learning and qualifications

European Commission > Descriptors defining levels in the European Qualifications Framework (EQF)



Descriptors defining levels in the European Qualifications Framework (EQF)

Each of the 8 levels is defined by a set of descriptors indicating the learning outcomes relevant to qualifications at that level in any system of qualifications.

	Knowledge	Skills	Responsibility and autonomy
	In the context of EQF, knowledge is described as theoretical and/or factual.	In the context of EQF, skills are described as cognitive (involving the use of logical, intuitive and creative thinking) and practical (involving manual dexterity and the use of methods, materials, tools and instruments).	In the context of the EQF responsibility and autonomy is described as the ability of the learner to apply knowledge and skills autonomously and with responsibility



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FAE offers contemporary academic programs:

- Undergraduate studies, which provide students with respective professional knowledge for all degree directions (EQF level 6)
- Post graduate education, which offers a deeper professional knowledge through advanced programs (EQF level 7)
- PhD studies proffer the students with a deep familiarity of their own branch of science (EQF level 8)



Department of Plant Protection

- started to function as an education and research unit under the Institute of Agriculture in 1964
- In 1994, Plant Protection was incorporated into the Department of Horticulture thus creating DHPP (composed of the sections of horticulture and plant protection)
- The PP section joined the PP Research Institute in 2006, creating DPP which consists of 20 members: 14 academic staff and researchers, and 6 supporting staff
- Two didactic and research Groups Phytopathology (7) and Entomology (7)

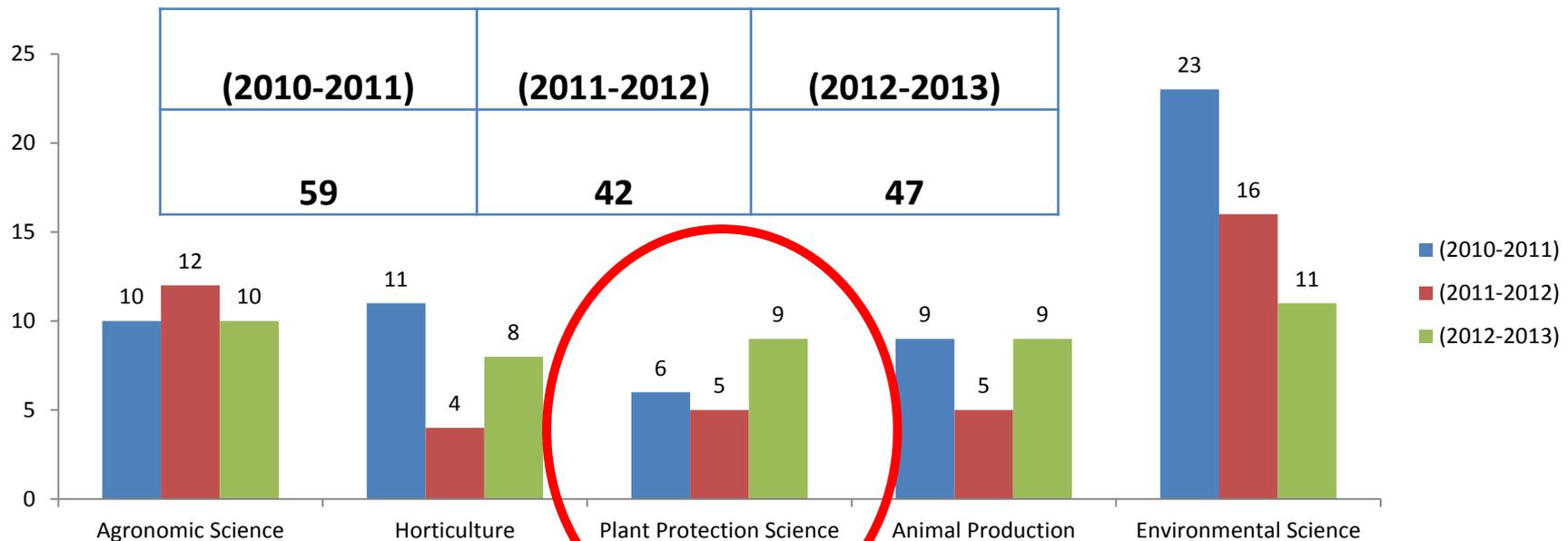


PhD is open with decision of CM Decision in 2009

- ✓ At the beginning it was just with scientific work
- ✓ The first Academic year have been in 2011-2012
- ✓ Later 2012-2013 (**the last year of registrations**)
- ✓ PhD school consist in 60 ECTS
- ✓ 40 obligated + 20 election modules
- ✓ 3 academic years
- ✓ **PhD school is CLOSED from 2013 - 2018**

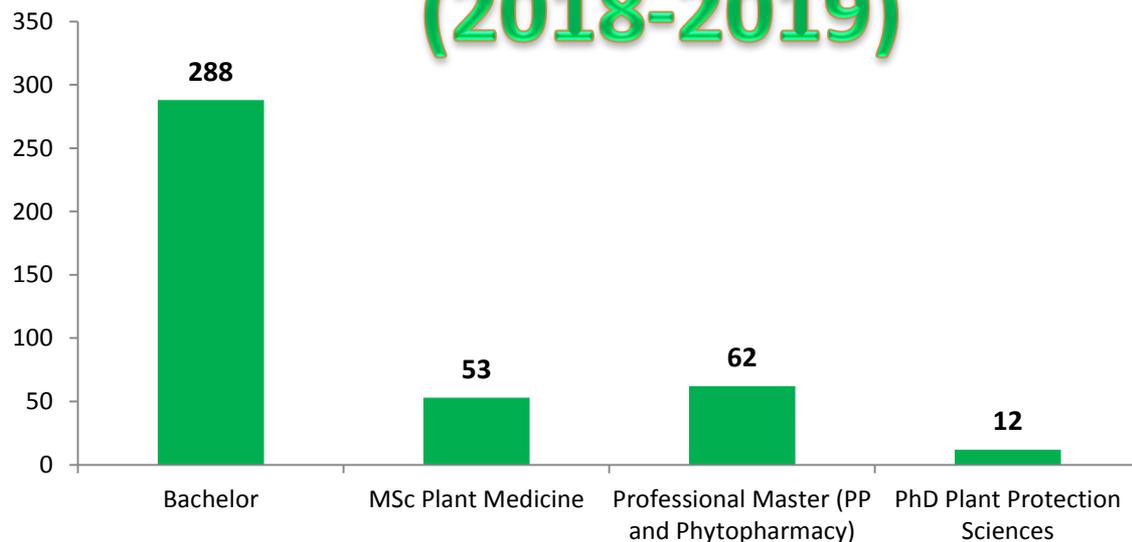


PhD Registration FAE (2010-2013)





Number of students per cycle Department of Plant Protection (2018-2019)



Basic resources relevant for implementation of PhD study programme

1. The National Agency for Scientific Research and Innovation (NASRI)
 - National and bilateral projects
2. Interreg, IPA, ADRION, etc.
3. ERASMUS ICM
4. Private enterprises
5. Self-financing by students



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