

Over 40,000 students start the new semester

This semester, 40,708 students are to study on one of the undergraduate, degree and university master's degree courses offered by the UOC. Of these, 24.01% (9,776) are students starting on courses for the first time at the University.

The majority of students on officially recognised courses have chosen one of those adapted to the European Higher Education Area (EHEA) offered by the UOC. Specifically, 13,430 students have enrolled on an EHEA degree and 1,642 on an EHEA university master's degree.

The most popular courses were the Degree in Business Sciences, with 5,145 enrolled students this semester; the EHEA Degree in Psychology, with 3,281, and the Degree in Law with 2,257. With respect to the master's degrees, the Master's Degree in Education and ICTs (e-learning) stands out, with 580 students, followed by the Master's Degree in Health and Safety, with 508. Finally, 2,242 students are to study on one of the courses offered within the framework of the University @thenaeum.

📌 Over 50% of students are women

Whereas in the year 2000, the number of women enrolling for the first time at the UOC represented 45.4% of the total, the first semester of the current academic year has seen this percentage rise to 52.4%. This highlights the upward trend in women enrolling for the first time at the UOC.

In terms of specialisations, in the case of women, the highest percentage of enrolments corresponds to the Degree in Business Sciences (12.3%), followed by the EHEA Degree in Psychology (11.3%); whereas for men, the most popular courses were, again, the Degree in Business Sciences (12.9%), followed by the Foundation Degree in Systems IT (8.5%).

📌 Increasingly international

85.2% (34,685) of all the students have enrolled on one of the programmes on the Catalan campus, while the remaining 14.8% (6,023) have enrolled on one of the courses on the Spanish campus.

With regard to the students living outside Spain, the majority are to be found in Andorra, Germany, Colombia, UK, France and Mexico.

