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Vision
TU Delft believes its role in society is to supply technological solutions that take us significantly further along the road towards sustainability and a flourishing economy. We position ourselves as an open academic community which, through its academic staff and graduates, is represented throughout the academic world and also rooted in our own regional and national, social and economic environment.

Mission
TU Delft’s mission is to make a significant contribution towards a sustainable society for the 21st century by conducting ground-breaking scientific and technological research – acknowledged as world class; by training scientists and engineers with a genuine commitment to society; and by helping to translate knowledge into technological innovations and activities with both economic and social value.

Values
The core values that guide all those associated with TU Delft are:

- Respect
- Integrity
- Expertise
- Transparency
- Avoidance of conflicts of interest

Our modus operandi as an institution is trust – by which we mean that every member of our community is expected to comply with our core values, to draw inspiration from them and to feel responsible for upholding them. Everyone at TU Delft should act with a sense of social responsibility and be aware of technology’s value to and impact upon society.
Delft University of Technology at a Glance
## Faculties

- Architecture and the Built Environment
- Civil Engineering and Geosciences
- Electrical Engineering, Mathematics and Computer Sciences
- Industrial Design Engineering
- Aerospace Engineering
- Technology, Policy and Management
- Applied Sciences
- Mechanical, Maritime and Materials Engineering

## Finances

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## Valorisation

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• TU Delft has developed a portfolio of 16 BSc programmes (including two joint degrees), which cover the broad range of engineering disciplines.

• The university offers more than 30 MSc programmes, several of which are unique in the Netherlands.

• Some of these degree programmes are offered in conjunction with other institutions, under the auspices of either the 3TU Federation (the collaborative venture of the three Dutch universities of technology) or our alliance with Leiden University and Erasmus University Rotterdam.

• Our MSc programmes are taught in English, as are our Aerospace Engineering and Applied Earth Sciences BSc programmes.
Bachelor

- Aerospace Engineering
- Applied Earth Sciences
- Applied Mathematics
- Applied Physics
- Architecture, Urbanism & Building Sciences
- Civil Engineering
- Clinical Technology (joint degree)
- Computer Science & Engineering
- Electrical Engineering
- Industrial Design
- Life Science and Technology
- Marine Technology
- Mechanical Engineering
- Molecular Science and Technology
- Nanobiology (joint degree)
- Systems Engineering, Policy Analysis & Management

Master

- Aerospace Engineering
- Applied Earth Sciences
- Applied Mathematics
- Applied Physics
- Architecture, Urbanism and Building Sciences
- Biomedical Engineering
- Chemical Engineering
- Civil Engineering
- Computer Engineering
- Computer Science
- Construction Management and Engineering
- Design for Interaction
- Electrical Engineering
- Embedded Systems
- Engineering and Policy Analysis
- Geomatics
- Industrial Ecology
- Integrated Product Design
- Life Science and Technology
- Management of Technology
- Marine Technology
- Materials Science and Engineering
- Mechanical Engineering
- Nanobiology (joint degree)
- Offshore and Dredging Engineering
- Science Education and Communication
- Strategic Product Design
- Sustainable Energy Technology
- Systems and Control
- Systems Engineering, Policy Analysis and Management
- Transport Infrastructure and Logistics

Post-master

- Berlage Master in Architecture and Urban Design
- European Postgraduate Masters in Urbanism
Online Education
MOOCS in 2015 and 2016

• Data Analysis: Take it to the MAX()
• Introduction to Water & Climate
• Solar Energy
• Product Design: The Delft Design Approach
• Industrial Biotechnology
• Introduction to Functional Programming
• The Basics of Transport Phenomena
• Circular Economy: reuse, recycle, reuse
• The Next Generation of Infrastructure
• Introduction to Drinking Water Treatment
• Sustainable Urban Development: Discover Advanced Metropolitan Solutions
• Leadership for Engineers
• Responsible Innovation
• Geohydrology
• Estimation Theory
• Introduction to the Treatment of Urban Sewage
• Open Government
• Building with Nature
• Pre-University Calculus
• Framing: Learn How to Debate and Create Powerful Messages
• An Introduction to Credit Risk Management
• Topology in Condensed Matter: Tying Quantum Knots
• Creative Problem Solving and Decision Making
• Introduction to Aeronautical Engineering
• Wind Energy

Professional Education Courses

• Economics of Cyber Security
• Text Mining and Analytics
• Energy Friendly Renovation Processes
• Forensic Engineering
• Dashboards with Excel
• Advanced Credit Risk Management
• Data Governance
• Algorithmic Governance
• Responsible Innovation
• Design of Closure Works
• Membrane Filtration

Online Courses

• Aerospace Engineering
• Wind Energy
• Solar Energy
• Engineering & Policy Analysis
• Drinking Water Treatment
• Sanitary Engineering
• Waste Water Treatment
• Urban Drainage and Water Management
• Costa land Ocean Engineering
• Project Management
Scientific Focus
Architecture and the Built Environment

- Architecture
- Architectural Engineering & Technology
- Urbanism
- Management in the Built Environment
- OTB Research for the Built Environment

Civil Engineering and Geosciences

- Structural Engineering
- Geoscience & Engineering
- Hydraulic Engineering
  - Water Management
- Geoscience & Remote Sensing
- Transport & Planning

Industrial Design Engineering

- Design Engineering
- Industrial Design
- Product Innovation Management

Technology, Policy and Management

- Engineering Systems & Services
- Multi Actor Systems
- Values, Technology & Innovation
Aerospace Engineering

• Aerodynamics, Flight Performance and Propulsion & Wind Energy
• Aerospace Structures & Materials
• Control & Operations
• Space Engineering

Applied Sciences

Bionanoscience • Biotechnology • Chemical Engineering • Imaging Physics; Radiation • Quantum Nanoscience • Radiation Science & Technology •

Mechanical, Maritime and Materials Engineering

• Biomechanical Engineering • Systems & Control • Maritime & Transport Technology • Precision & Micro-systems Engineering • Process & Energy • Materials Science & Engineering

Electrical Engineering, Mathematics and Computer Sciences

Applied Mathematics • Electrical Sustainable Energy • Intelligent Systems • Microelectronics • Software & Computer Technology •
Delft Research-based Initiatives
• Its public mission and core values place TU Delft as an academic institution at the heart of society.

• Its scientists and researchers are working to resolve some of the great and pressing issues of our time in four main areas: energy, health, the living environment, and infrastructure and mobility.

• Helping to solve these and similar problems requires a considerable amount of innovative research and represents an enormous challenge for our staff and students.

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<td>• Interventions &amp; Care</td>
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2009
8 Faculties

2009
5 faculties

2009
6 Faculties

2015
8 Faculties
TU Delft has collated certain specific fields into a number of university-wide institutes. Each TU Delft institute is headed by one of our leading scientists.

**TU Delft Process Technology Institute**
The TU Delft Process Technology Institute (DPTI) focuses its educational and research efforts on realising significant scientific breakthroughs that enable (bio)chemical, energy and materials industries to meet sustainability challenges of the future.

**TU Delft Robotics Institute**
This institute unites all the university’s research in the field of robotics. The scientific challenge facing the robotics institute is to get robots and humans to work together effectively in unstructured environments and real settings.

**TU Delft Transport Institute**
Transport is an essential part of our society. Whether driving to work in a car, cycling to the supermarket, or having a package delivered to your home, we all use transport on a daily basis. However, we also experience the disadvantages of transport every day, in the form of traffic jams, accidents and environmental pollution.

**TU Delft Climate Institute**
Spread all over the TU Delft campus are researchers working on the topic of ‘climate’, either by producing climate sensors or models that describe our climate, or by working on ways to cope with climate change. Their expertise is brought together in the TU Delft Climate Institute.

**TU Delft Wind Energy Institute**
DUWIND is TU Delft’s wind energy research organisation. Its research programme covers almost all aspects of modern wind turbine technology, and is conducted across five faculties in 13 research groups. Each of the groups at these faculties has its own specific expertise, but an increasing number of research questions require a multi-disciplinary approach.

**TU Delft Space Institute**
Founded in November 2014, the TU Delft Space Institute is the latest addition to the fold. It brings together five faculties on three research themes: Sensing from Space, Distributed Space Systems and Space Robotics.
TU Delft Sports Engineering Institute
The TU Delft Sports Engineering Institute combines the expertise of five faculties. The aim of the institute is to promote and organise research and education in the field of performance enhancement in elite sports as well as the promotion of sport, play and exercise to create a healthier society.

TU Delft Safety & Security Institute
The TU Delft Safety & Security Institute develops fundamental technologies and models for safety and security in the private sphere, the public sphere, and movements between the two. The institute is a research and capacity-building partner in the field of safety and security. It forms a platform for cooperation with industry and government and encourages multidisciplinary collaboration.
Entrepreneurship@Delft

Building tomorrow’s leading firms
YES!Delft is the high-tech entrepreneurs centre with a clear mission: we build the leading firms of tomorrow. We inspire students, professionals and scientists to take their first steps along the path to becoming an entrepreneur and offer them the necessary support to turn their enterprise into a 'leading firm'. YES!Delft focuses on companies with a technological, innovative and scalable product or process.

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*Companies can be part of multiple focus areas
Valorisation
Valorisation Centre

Knowledge valorisation is the creation of social and economic value on the basis of scientific knowledge and skills. The Valorisation Centre stimulates and facilitates knowledge valorisation and provides necessary support for TU Delft scientists and support staff. This includes R&D subsidies (funding for research projects), R&D project management, Intellectual property, business development and cooperation with companies.

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Grants in 2014

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*STW Valorisation Grants have changed to NWO Take Off Grants as of mid-2013
## Alumni Worldwide 2015
*Based on LinkedIn*

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Global connections
Worldwide Partnerships

TU Delft’s international partnerships’ focus on university to university and research institute relations directly linked with strategic government contacts and worldwide industry partners in finding innovative solutions for global challenges. Our researchers are involved in collaboration activities with a great number of partner institutions around the globe. These connections are based on researcher-to-researcher networks, where shared curiosity and focus bring researchers together in areas of mutual interest in terms of research and/or education. The university’s international strategic partnerships thrive on these solidly-built, long-term researcher relationships, some of which over the past four years have grown into TU Delft Joint Research Centre initiatives based in Brazil (Campinas), China (Beijing, Guangzhou, Nanjing, Wuhan) and Vietnam (Hanoi).

Number of responses from active learners around the world in MOOCs

Network memberships - Some examples

- **3TU**: Eindhoven University of Technology, Twente University and TU Delft
- **LDE**: Leiden University, TU Delft, Erasmus University Rotterdam
- **CESEAR**: 53 universities of technology in Europe
- **IDEA LEAGUE**: ETH Zurich, RWTH Aachen, Chalmers University of Technology, TU Delft
- **EUA**: European Universities Association
Campus & Facilities
An inspiring campus
Our campus provides an attractive environment for everyone who works at, studies at or visits TU Delft. It is organised in a manner designed to appeal to the lifestyle of today’s students and staff, and flexible enough to accommodate education, research, new and established businesses, guest accommodation, as well as sporting, cultural and other leisure activities. The planned Delft Technological Innovation Campus will be closely integrated with the university campus.

Research Infrastructure
In order to attract outstanding scientific talent, conduct ground-breaking research and train new generations of engineers, TU Delft is heavily dependent upon excellent and expensive infrastructure. This is what makes it possible for us to test the real-life practicality of models simulated on computers, for example – something no other Dutch university is able to do on such a large scale. It is a defining element of TU Delft’s profile in the international research landscape.

TU Delft Library
3TU.Datacentrum possesses the knowledge, experience and tools needed to archive research data in a standardised, secure and well-documented manner. It provides the research community with:
• an enduring archive for storing of scientific research data;
• permanent access to research data and tools for its reuse; and,
• advice and support on data management.
Aerospace Engineering
- Aeroplane hangar
- Cessna Citation II jet aircraft
- Clean room for satellite building
- Flight Arena ‘cyberzoo’
- Flight simulator Simona
- Kite laboratory
- Micro Air Vehicle Laboratory
- Propulsionlab (being built now)
- Structures & Materials lab
- Wind tunnels (low and high speed tunnels)

Applied Sciences
- Chemical labs
- Fermentation labs
- Molecular biology labs
- Bioprocess Pilot Facility
- Microscopy labs
- Laser labs
- Cleanrooms
- Nuclear research reactor
Architecture and the Built Environment
- Architecture Model Hall
  - Four 3D printers
  - Experimental 3D lab
  - Five lasercutters
  - Two CNC milling machines
  - Render farm
- Architecture Library
  - 35,000 books
  - 14,000 maps
  - 550 atlases
  - 260 magazine titles

Civil Engineering and Geosciences
- Cloud lab
- CT scanner
- Driving simulator
- Dummy drill pit
- Self-driving car
- Traffic drone
- Water lab

Industrial Design Engineering
- Applied labs
- Consumer Research Product Evaluation Lab
- Foundational labs
- ID Studio lab
- ‘Made Of..’ materials library
- Model making and machine lab
- Perceptual intelligence lab
- Physical and ergonomics lab

Electrical Engineering, Mathematics and Computer Sciences
- Else Kooi Lab, cleanroom for microsystems
- Sustainable Energy and High Voltage lab
- Insight Lab for AI and Computer graphics
- Radar and Telecommunications lab

Mechanical, Maritime and Material Engineering
- Clean room for micro/nano
- Driving and racing simulator labs
- Fluid mechanics lab
- Graphene and thin film deposition lab
- Materials lab
- Mechatronics lab
- Perfect reactors lab
- Process technology lab
- Robotics lab
- Water tank and towing tank

Technology, Policy and Management
- Policy analysis simulation lab
- Serious game

More information can be found at: labs.tudelft.nl
History of the University
1842 - 1864: Royal academy
On 8 January 1842, King Willem II founded the ‘Royal Academy for the education of civilian engineers, for serving both nation and industry, and of apprentices for trade’. The academy also educated civil servants for the colonies and revenue officers for the Dutch East Indies.

1864 - 1905: Polytechnic School
An Act was passed on 2 May 1863 imposing regulations on technical education as well as bringing it under the influence of the rules applying to secondary education. Then, on 20 June 1864, a Royal Decree was issued ordering the Royal Academy in Delft to be disbanded to make way for a new ‘Polytechnic School’. The school went on to educate architects and engineers in the fields of civil engineering, ship-building, mechanical engineering and mining.

1905 - 1986: Institute of Technology
On 22 May 1905, an Act was passed acknowledging the academic level of the Polytechnic School's technical education and it became a Technische Hogeschool, or ‘Institute of Technology’. Queen Wilhelmina attended the institute’s official opening ceremony on 10 July 1905. The institute’s first Rector Magnificus was the Professor of Hydraulic Engineering ir. J. Kraus. The institute was granted corporate rights by an Act passed on 7 June 1956.

1986 - present: Delft University of Technology
It was an Act which took effect on 1 September 1986 that officially transformed the Institute of Technology into Delft University of Technology, abbreviated to ‘TU Delft’ from the Dutch name Technische Universiteit Delft.
### THE Ranking

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The city of Delft
The city of Delft is strategically located at the heart of the Dutch knowledge economy and is within easy reach of the TU Delft campus by bike or public transport. The close connection between the city and the university brings together the best of both worlds. During the past two decades, Delft has rapidly transformed from an industrial centre to a hub for the Dutch knowledge economy. It is a historical city that was established in the 13th century with a rich history including the world-famous ‘Delft Blue’ china, celebrated painters such as Johannes Vermeer, and scientist such as the inventor of the microscope Antoni van Leeuwenhoek. Delft’s slogan is: ‘Delft, creating history’. But Delft also constantly looks to the future in order to keep the city vibrant and prosperous. The university and companies based in Delft play an important role in this mission.

**City of Delft statistics**
Square kilometres: 24
Population: 100,061
Café’s, bars and restaurants: 228

**Connectivity**
To Rotterdam by car 15 km, 20 min
To Rotterdam by train 10 services per hour, 15 min
To Amsterdam by car 66 km, 44 min
To Amsterdam by train 4 services per hour, 58 min
To Schiphol airport by train 6 services per hour, 40 min