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TIMES: UCY hails its place in the biggest international league table

Rector: "UCY community is proud of this significant accomplishment, as the University ranks

#351-400 for a second consecutive year"



The results of the "Times Higher Education World University Rankings 2016 – 2017", released September 21st, 2016, present University of Cyprus being ranked #351-400 for a second consecutive year. This achievement shows UCY's overall quality and commitment to perform at its best.

The *Times Higher Education World University Rankings 2016-17* is the 13th annual publication and this year

it lists 980 institutions from 79 countries. THE World University Rankings are the only global performance tables that judge research-intensive universities across all their core missions: teaching, research, knowledge transfer and international outlook. It uses 13 performance indicators to provide the most comprehensive and balanced comparisons, trusted by students, academics, university leaders, industry and governments. The performance indicators are grouped into five areas: Teaching (the learning environment), Research (volume, income and reputation), Citations (research influence), International outlook (staff, students and research), Industry income (knowledge transfer). The calculation of the Times Higher Education World

University Rankings has been subject to independent audit by professional services firm PricewaterhouseCoopers.

UCY appears to have improved his performance compared to the previous year. Regarding citations, the University presents impressive performance as it has been included in the one third top universities that have contributed substantially to the sum of human knowledge worldwide. As far as its international look is concerned, UCY ranks in the 25% of top universities.

Rector in his statement says: "UCY community is proud of this significant accomplishment. The yesterday releasing of the ranking results justifies the Institution's determination for dynamic growth and the modernization of university law. To improve continuously our performance, to increase funding and revenue from research and innovation, and to secure UCY's future prosperity various things should be done. There is scope for improvement. We should strive to become even better. We definitely can do so".

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