The Internet Can Be Your Friend: Online Tools in International Credential Evaluation

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Credential Evaluation – Basic Principles

- Validity of the credential
- 'Official' nature of the documents
- Level of the qualification
- Conversion of credits (quantification of education)
- Conversion of grades (quantification of performance)

Validity of the credential

- Who does it belong to?
 - Does it belong to the individual who presented it for evaluation?
- What does it represent?
 - Eg. Completion of the program, or award of a qualification?
- Can this be used in the home country for academic purposes?
 - What is required domestically?

Official Documents

- Are they issued by the appropriate institution?
 - What is the appropriate office or institution?
- Does it have any security features?
 - Stamps, seals, signatures, etc.?
- How was it issued and delivered to you?
 - Sent directly, sent electronically, copied, submitted by applicant?
- Is it authentic?
 - Does it represent an the work actually earned? Is the performance assessment accurate? Is the translation correct?

Determining the level of the qualification

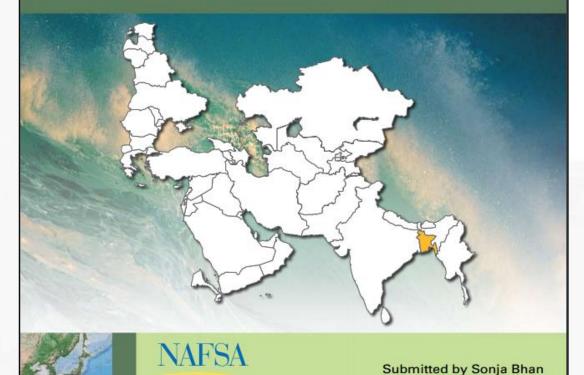
- Resource libraries
 - Print, electronic, periodical, databases, conference materials
 - Country pages and sample documents
- Electronic resources
 - Published by ministries and other governmental authorities
 - Published by US non-governmental organizations
 - Published by non-US non-governmental organizations

Free, Electronic Resources



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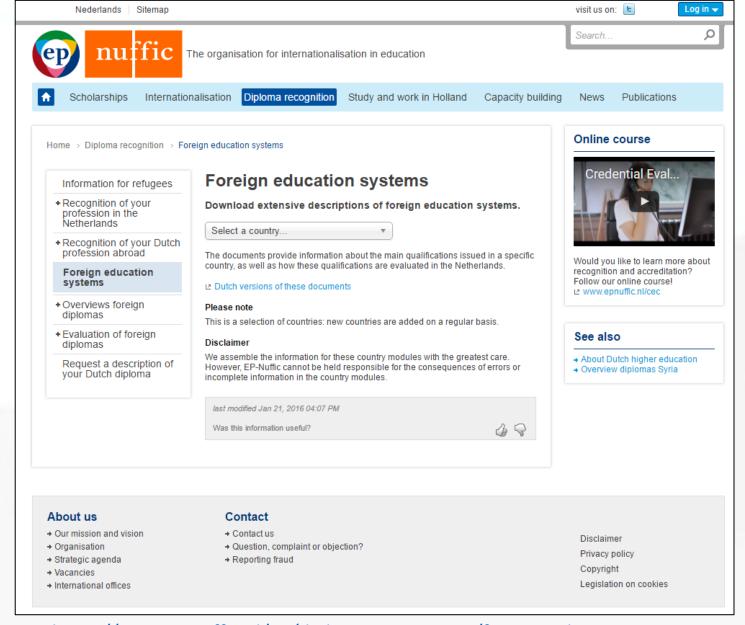


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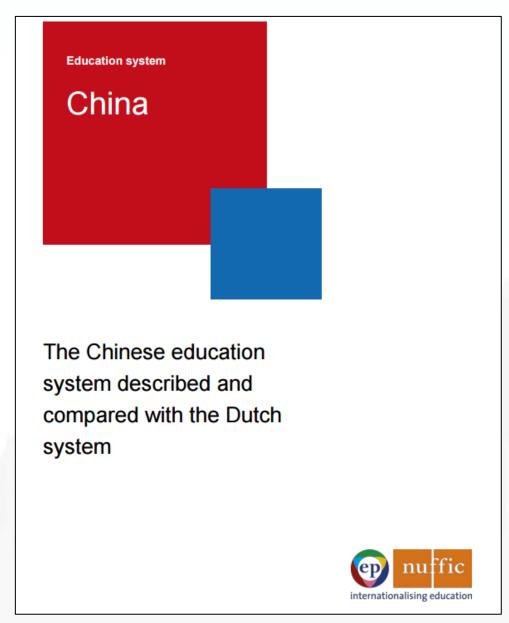
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Great for information like standard program length and degree/certificate names

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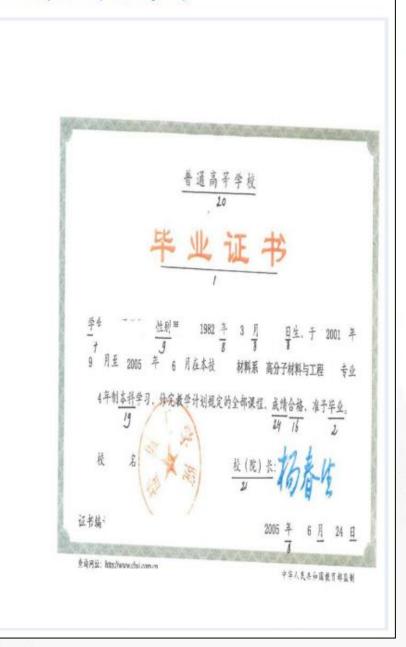


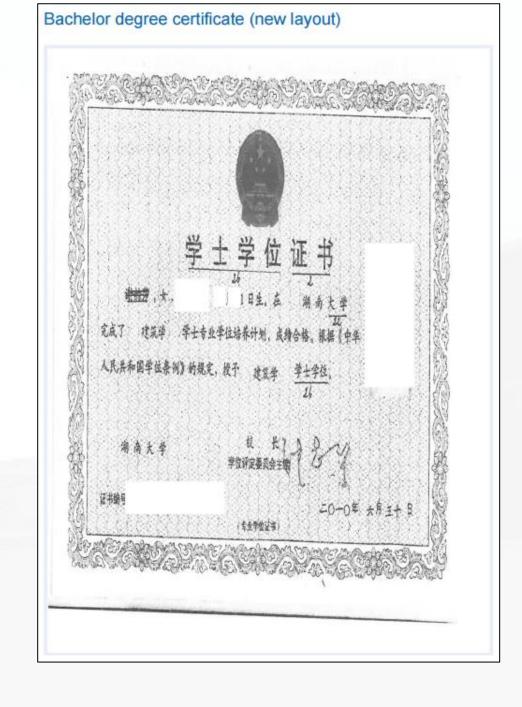
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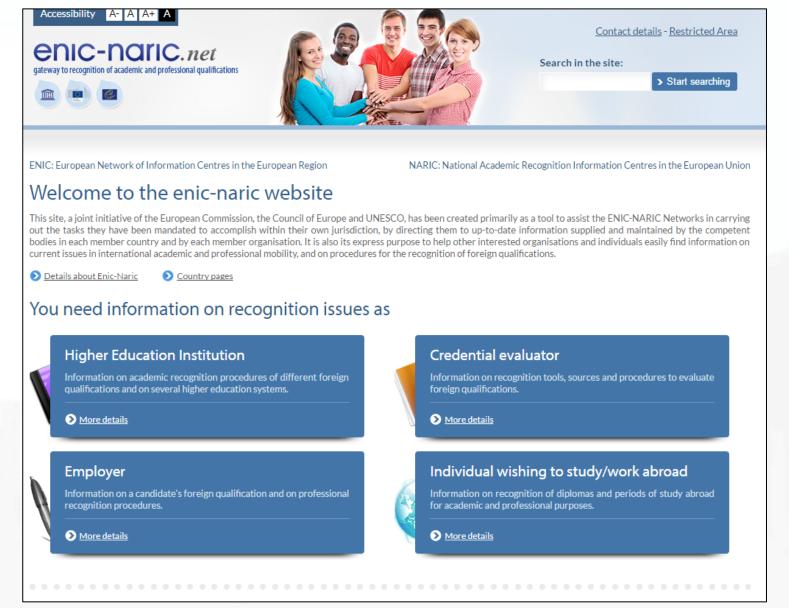
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Bachelor diploma (new layout)





NUFFIC provides sample documents!



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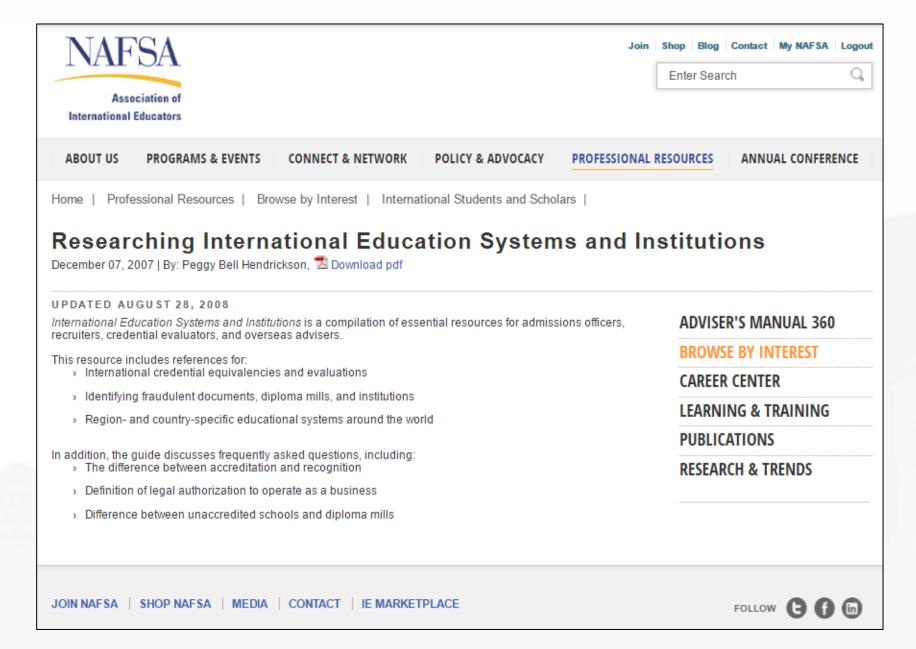
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Country Education Profiles: Hungary. Australian Education International CEP online subscription service. 1992, A\$50.00. https://aei.gov.au/AEI/CEP/Default.htm

Free: Ministry of Education and Culture website: http://www.okm.gov.hu/main.php?folderID=916 and http://www.okm.gov.hu/main.php?folderID=2132

Free: Hungarian Accreditation Committee website:

http://www.mab.hu/english/a lists.html

Free: Legislative Reform in Higher Education. Hungarian Ministry of Education, 2004.

http://www.bologna-bergen2005.no/EN/Bol_sem/Seminars/041104-

06Warsaw/041105 Magyar.pdf

Free: National Institute of Vocational Education website:

https://www.nive.hu/start_en.php

Free: National Institute for Public Education website:

http://www.oki.hu/oldal.php?tipus=kiadvany&kod=eduhun2006

UNOFFICIAL WEBSITES (USE AT YOUR OWN DISCRETION):

Free: Country Dossiers. UNESCO International Bureau of Education. http://www.ibe.unesco.org/countries/countrydossiers.htm

Free: European National Information Centre and National Academic Recognition Information Centre (ENIC-NARIC): The European Gateway to Recognition National Profiles website. http://www.enic-naric.net

Free: Eurydice: The information network on education in Europe website (formerly Socrates). http://www.eurydice.org

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http://www.eaie.nl/publications/results.asp?category=General%3A+HE+Systems&button=category

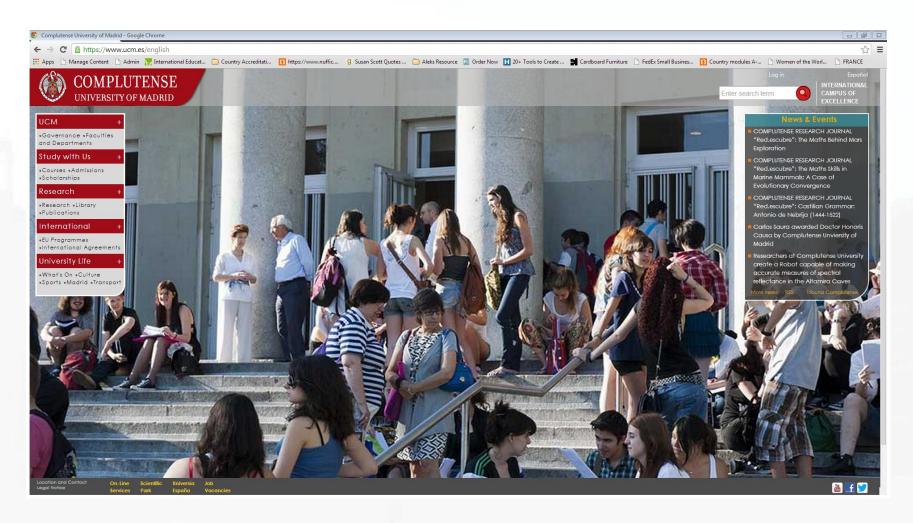
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Primary Resources – Institutions and Recognition Bodies



The first resource for institutional and program information is always the institution's website

http://alexu.edu.eg/index.php/en/



https://www.ucm.es/english

Most universities offer a website in English and the native language



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6 October 2016 — Press release

More young people in apprenticeships than ever before

New figures show almost 3 million apprenticeships created since May 2010 as part of government's drive to create opportunities for



4 October 2016 - Press release

Social mobility package unveiled by Education Secretary

New opportunity areas across England will receive £60 million of funding to help local children get the best start in life.



29 September 2016 — Press release

Thousands more primary pupils on track to be excellent readers

Results of this year's phonics screening check show a continued rise in pupils meeting the expected reading standard. (ministries) can also offer good primary source information

Government organizations

http://www.education.gov.uk/

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What qualification levels mean

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2. Recognised bodies

Recognised bodies are higher learning institutions that can award degrees.

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Anglo-European College of Chiropractic

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Arden University (formerly known as Resource Development International) ₫

Many Ministries will have a page to verify recognition - this is the first place to look when investigating an institution's accreditation/recognition

https://www.gov.uk/check-a-university-is-officially-recognised/recognised-bodies



http://www.moe.edu.cn/publicfiles/business/htmlfiles/moe/moe 2812/200906/48836.html

Fee-based Electronic Resources



subscription rates for colleges and universities are:

AACRAO EDGE

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Welcome to the AACRAO Electronic Database for Global Education (EDGE), a web-based resource for the evaluation of foreign educational credentials. Ultimately every educational system in the world will be included as an EDGE profile. The database currently includes 232 country profiles, and is being expanded regularly and updated as educational systems change.

Each EDGE country profile includes:

- · An overview describing the educational history of the country.
- · An educational ladder or ladders to reflect changes in the educational structure
- Grading system(s)
- Sample credentials
- Placement recommendations
- · List of postsecondary institutions
- Resources used to develop the profile
- Author biography and notes
- Glossary when applicable

Subscribers to EDGE are also automatically added to the EDGE users' listserv. The listserv is the means by which you will be informed of additions and updates to the database, but it will also enable subscribers to ask questions of fellow subscribers concerning the evaluation and placement of students with foreign educational credentials.

The AACRAO EDGE is a dynamic resource for evaluating foreign credentials. The web format enables updating and revision as needed.

We solicit your participation in this updating process. Should you discover new information on a country's educational system we ask you to send that information to us for inclusion in EDGE. If you have original, verified authentic documents, please send such records to us so that we might build the image files of sample credentials. (We will of course preserve privacy by removing student identification information.) We look to subscribers to assist us in making EDGE a valuable and useful resource.

AACRAO wants to thank the Paver Family Foundation for its generous assistance in the launching of EDGE, as well as to those who have so generously donated their time and efforts in bringing this resource to realization. This has been a collaborative effort with many outstanding practitioners authoring profiles — we are most grateful for their continuing contribution.

We hope that you find the AACRAO EDGE to be a valuable and trusted tool in the evaluation of foreign educational credentials.

Dale E. Gough Director, International Education Services, AACRAO



http://edge-preview.aacrao.org/index.php

Electronic Database for Global Education v.1.0

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Author Glossary

Belgium: Overview

Europe: Belgium

The Kingdom of Belgium is located in Western Europe, bordering the North Sea. It shares borders with France, Germany, Luxembourg and the Netherlands. It is about the size of Maryland and, with a population of slightly more than 10 million people, is one of the most densely populated countries of Europe. The capital of Belgium is Brussels.

Educational Ladders

On 4 October 1830, Belgium declared its independence from the Netherlands. It is a federal parliamentary democracy under a constitutional monarch. As a result of a 1993 constitutional revision, there are three levels of government (federal, regional and linguistic community) with a complex division of responsibilities. The official languages of Belgium are Dutch (60%), French (40%) and German (less than 1%).

Education in Belgium falls under the authority of the linguistic communities—Dutch, French and German. Dutch and French are the predominant languages of instruction. Thus, much of the power over educational policies and their implementation lies with the Cultural Council of the Flemish (Dutch) community and the Cultural Council of the French community.

The Belgian Constitution grants the right of education to everyone. To promote this right, education in Belgium is compulsory between the ages of 6 and 18 years of age. This compulsory education is free of charge. The communities provide pre-school (nursery school), primary school, secondary schools and technical schools. Vocational and technical education begin at the secondary education level, as does art education.

Although the educational system is divided by language, there are some shared requirements. A law passed on 20 January 1981 listed several subjects that are compulsory during primary education. And, since 1989, the core curriculum is very important at the secondary education level. Access to tertiary education is available to anyone who has completed secondary education.

Tertiary education—university education and non-university higher education—in Belgium is the responsibility of the Flemish and French communities. Each community has its own Ministry of Education. Even so, the traditional structures of tertiary education are similar, with the same degrees/diplomas being awarded by both systems. Now, however, with the introduction of the Bologna Process, this is changing.

The Flemish Parliament passed The Act on the Structure of Higher Education in the Flemish Community on 4 April 2003. This piece of legislation started the process to reform the Flemish higher education system. The old and the new structures will coexist, with the old structure being gradually phased out by 2011. In March of 2004, the French community adopted a law that reorganizes the higher education system to make it compatible with the European Higher Education Area. The application of the new structure was scheduled to begin in September 2004, with the old structure being phased out by the academic year 2007-2008.







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Country Education Profiles

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The Country Education Profiles (CEPs) is an online qualifications recognition tool designed to help organisations understand overseas higher education and postsecondary technical and vocational educational qualifications. It can be used by universities and other education providers, professional bodies, employers, international organisations and governments to help understand the level of an overseas qualification.

CEPs are not intended to be used by individuals wanting to know how their overseas qualification is recognised in Australia - see Who can assess my qualifications?

The Country Education Profiles provide authoritative information for 127 countries from Africa, Asia Pacific, Europe, Subcontinent and the Middle East and the Americas and include:

- assessment guidelines for higher education and postsecondary technical and vocational education qualifications and how they compare with Australian Qualifications Framework qualifications
- Iists of institutions recognised by the relevant country authority
- education system information and national qualifications framework diagrams
- descriptions for higher education, technical and vocational education and school education sectors
- key information on grading systems, language of instruction, academic year, admission requirements, courses and qualification requirements, types of institutions, accreditation and quality assurance
- key quality indicators
- practical guidance on understanding qualification documents
- user-friendly navigation.

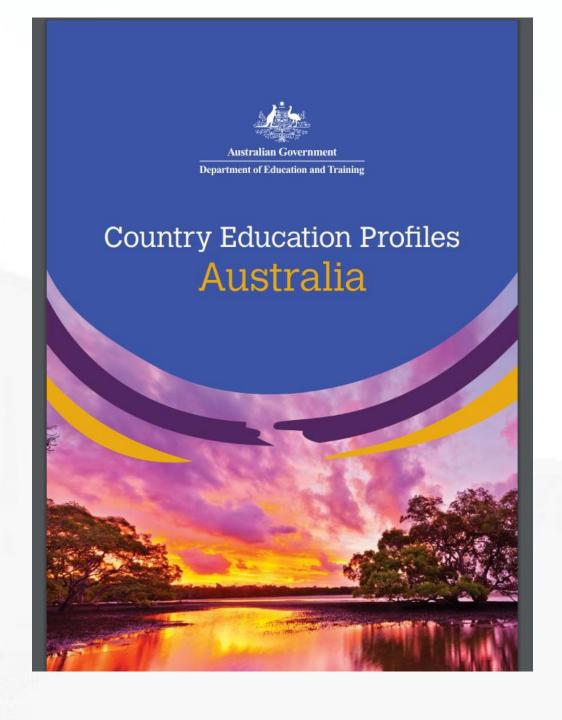
To sample content, see the Kyrgyzstan Country Education Profile or the Australia Country Education Profile.

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Flexible subscription options are available. Subscriptions are available for the world set, regional sets or individual countries.

Product	Up to 6 users (AUD)	7 or more users (AUD)
Single CEP	45.45	45.45
Africa Regional Set	318	497
America Regional Set	340	531
Asia Pacific Regional Set	390	609
Europe Regional Set	473	739
Middle East and Subcontinent Regional Set	355	555
World Set	1,500	2,344
10 days world set access in 6 months	200	Not available
20 days world set access in 12 months	400	Not available

https://internationaleducation.gov.au/Services-And-Resources/services-for-organisations/Pages/Services-fororganisations.aspx



 Australia and Kyrgyzstan available for free!

https://internationaleducation.gov.au/Documents/ED15-0091 INT Australia Country Education Profile 2015 ACC.pdf

Conversion of Grades

- Most common grading system in the US is the A-F scale
- Overall performance is represented in the form of a GPA
- GPA = a mathematical average of all course results factored by the designated weighting of each course
 - Different than a major subjects GPA, overall grade, CGPA, qualification result, etc.
- Online tools can be immensely helpful

Conversion of Grades – Grading Scales

- Grade conversion scales differ
- Grades are interpretive and qualitative
- Scales can be tailored to suit an institutional purpose consider the source.
- Considerations:
 - Word descriptors
 - Classifications
 - Highest grade possible, and minimum pass

Grade Conversion Resources

- Internal country pages
 - Table of Contents and sample can be found:

 http://www.nafsa.org/Find_Resources/Supporting_International_Students_And_Scholars/Network_Resources/International_Enrollment_Management/Table_of_Contents_Template_for_Credential_Evaluation_Manual/
- NAFSA Online Guides to Education Systems Around the World

 http://www.nafsa.org/Resource_Library_Assets/Publications_Library/Online_Guide_to_Educational_Systems_Around_the_World/
- Print Publications (Pier Guides, ECE Presents, Etc.)
- Online Databases (AACRAO EDGE, GRADE Database, Classbase, Etc.)

Table of Contents Template for Credential Evaluation Manual

Sample – Saudi Arabia

Sample Policy Page: Saudi Arabia

Documentation Requirements:

- Secondary: General Secondary Education Certificate (Tawjihiah examination)
 - Request annual results on a case by case bases
 - Original documents should be sent by Ministry of Education. Consider accepting from Saudi Arabian Cultural Mission
 - o Documents issued in English
- · Post-secondary: Transcripts, confirming graduation
 - Request original transcripts sent directly by the issuing institution. Consider accepting from Saudi Arabian Cultural Mission
 - o Transcripts typically issued in English

Institutional Recognition:

- Ministry of Higher Education lists
 - Public: http://www.mohe.gov.sa/en/studyinside/Government-Universities/Pages/default.aspx
 - o Private: http://www.mohe.gov.sa/en/studyinside/privateedu/Pages/default.aspx
 - TVTC (Technical and Vocational Training Corporation): http://www.tvtc.gov.sa/English/Pages/default.aspx

Grade Conversion:

Grading Scale (post-secondary): 90-100 =A

80-89 = B 70-79 = C 60-69 = D

o Note: GPA on transcript uses 5-point scale. Always recalculate using 4-point scale

Credit Conversion:

- Secondary School: See curriculum in resources
- Post-secondary: Credit System, similar to USA, no conversion required

Campus Notes:

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Useful Websites / Resources:

- o NAFSA Online Guide: https://www.nafsa.org/_/File/_/ges/Saudi%20Arabia.pdf
- o Ministry of Higher Education: www.mohe.gov.se
- o SACM (Saudi Arabian Cultural Mission): http://www.sacm.org/
- TVTC (Technical and Vocational Training Corporation): http://www.tvtc.gov.sa/English/Pages/default.aspx
- o University of Dammam: http://www.ud.edu.sa/DU/en/
- o King Faisal University: http://www.kfu.edu.sa/en/pages/home.aspx

https://www.nafsa.org/Professional Resources/Browse by Interest/International Students and Scholars/Network Resources/International Enrollment Management/Table of Contents Template for Credential Evaluation Manual/

Other Free, Electronic Resources

Classbase:

http://www.classbase.com/

WES Country Profiles:

http://www.wes.org/wes_tools/profile.asp

NCAA International Standards

http://www.ncaapublications.com/p-4416-international-standards-2015-2016-guide-to-international-academic-standards-for-athletics-eligibility-updated-october-2015.aspx

Alberta International Education Guides:

http://work.alberta.ca/Immigration/international-education-guides.html

UK NARIC International Comparisons Databases

https://www.naric.org.uk/naric/Organisations/Product%20Catalogue/Online%20Databases.aspx

NORRIC Publications:

http://norric.org/publications/publications#countries

Non-US

Conversion of Grades – GPA calculation

- Domestic GPA calculators
 - Excellent for calculating an average once grades are converted to the US system
 - Frequently available from your university (HI, CA, eg.)
 - If not available from your own university, consider US grades available:
 - +/- grades, policy on failures, D grades, etc
- International GPA calculators
 - WES, Classbase

GPA Calculators

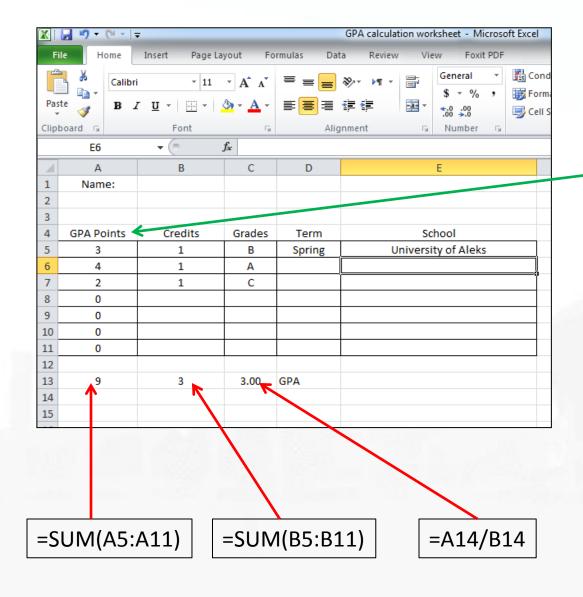
- Excel-based Calculators
 - Any grading scale you input
 - Built-in algorithm calculates
 GPA based on your inputs
 - Internal use
 - Easily modifiable data
 - Can be saved

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4	Α		0	4
4	Α		0	4
5	Α		0	5
3	В		0	0
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- Online GPA Calculators
 - Domestic or international
 - Internal or external
 - University-based, or third party
 - Modifications only by the developer
 - Can you save your work?

	Class	Credits or hours	Grade	US Grade	GPA
1		3	92	А	4.00
2		3	92	А	4.00
3		4	93	Α	4.00
4		4	94	Α	4.00
5		5	92	Α	4.00
6		3	89	В	3.00

Cumulative GPA: 3.86

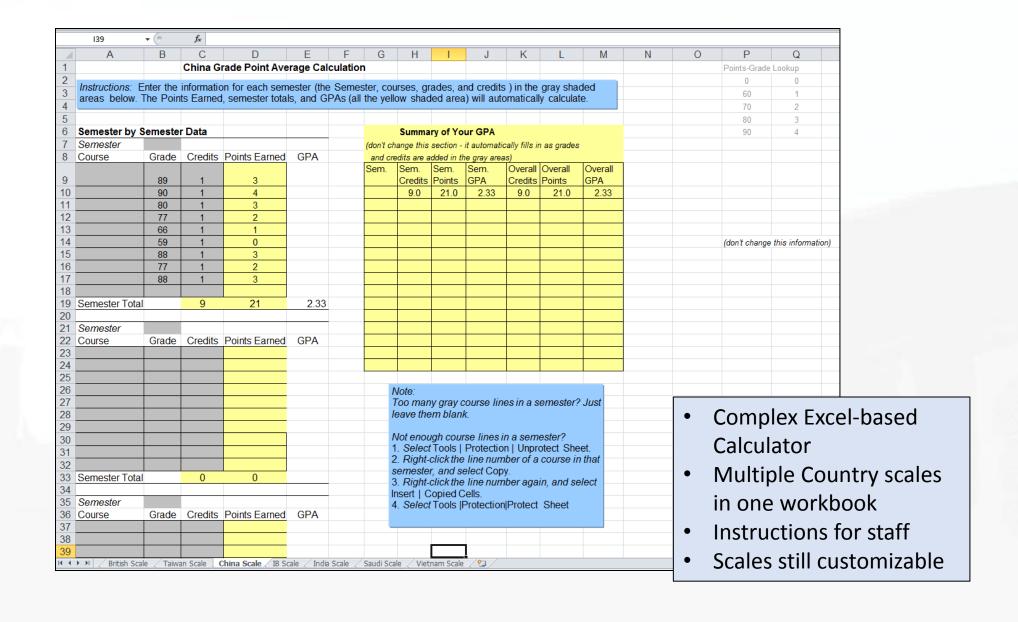


- In this version, you must enter Grade Points yourself
- Remember to multiply the grade point value by the number of credits

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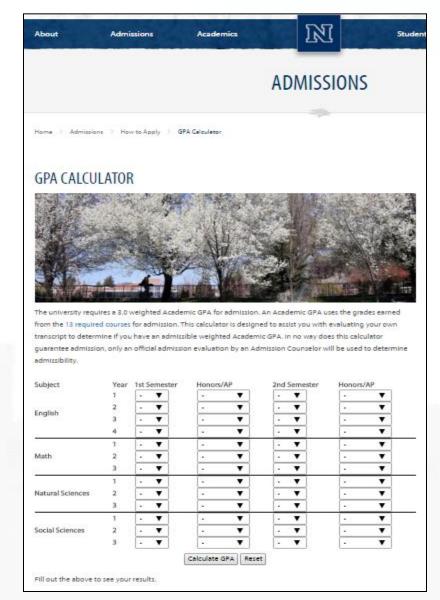
Screen shot of internal, excel-based GPA calculator.

- Edit-able, save-able,
- Limited information
- Less elegant
- Works only for one grading scale

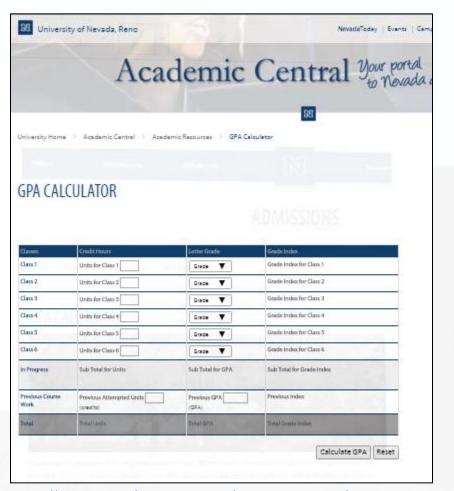


Online GPA Calculators

- Your institution may already have one!
 - Usually domestic grading scale only
 - Can be tailored to undergraduate or graduate, current students or applicants
 - Can be institutionally-based, or link to a third-party website



http://www.unr.edu/admissions/how-to-apply/gpa-calculator



http://www.unr.edu/academic-central/academic-resources/gpa-calculator



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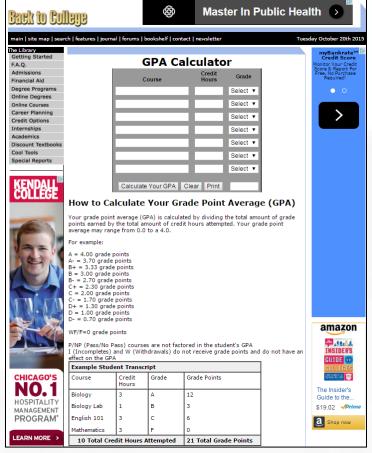
Other helpful resources

Calculate your grade point average (GPA)*

*Note: Estimated, not official, GPA calculation; to be used as a guide only. Links to outside, non-UH Hilo website.

- · Calculate your grade point average
- Calculate how to raise your grade point average

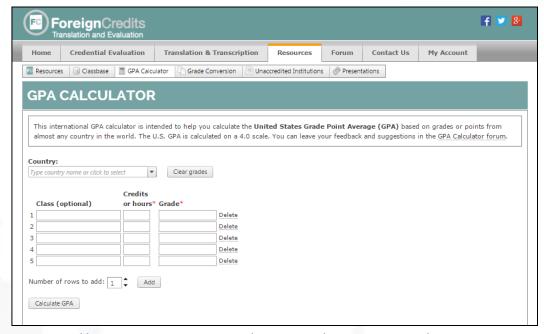
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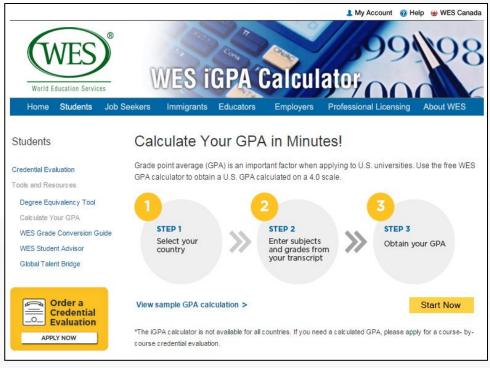
http://www.back2college.com/gpa.htm

Online GPA Calculators (International)

- Grading scale limited to those input by the administrator
 - Not customizable
- Can be used by prospective applicants or current students
- Large data set required (many grading scales)
- Can results be saved?
- Free or fee-based?



http://www.foreigncredits.com/Resources/GPA-Calculator/



http://www.wes.org/students/igpacalc.asp

How is GPA calculated?

1) First, the grades are converted to the U.S. equivalent for countries other than the U.S.

Chinese Grade	U.S. Grade
90	А
85	A-
80	В

2) The GPA converter converts each U.S. grade equivalent to points using the following scale:

U.S. Grade	Points
A+	4.0
А	4.0
A-	3.7

U.S. Grade	Points
B+	3.3
В	3.0
B-	2.7

U.S. Grade	Points
C+	2.3
С	2.0
C-	1.7

U.S. Grade	Points
D+	1.3
D	1.0
D-	0.7

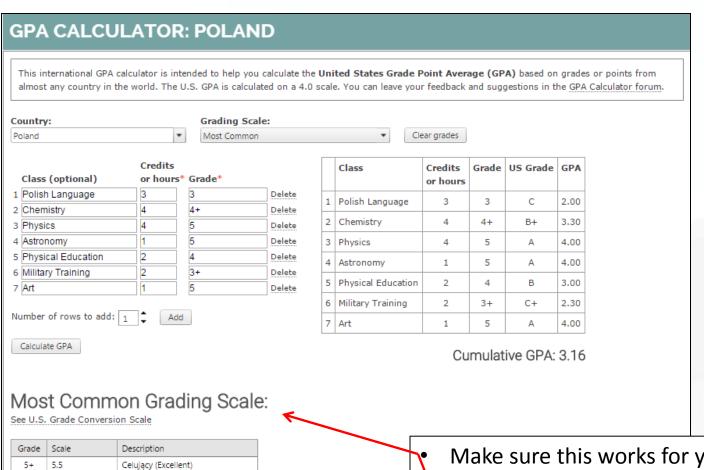
	U.S. Grade	Points
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3) The points for each class are multiplied by the number of credits or hours for that class, added together, and divided by the total number of credits or hours.

Credits	U.S. Grade	Points
3	А	4.0
3	A-	3.7
2	В	3.0

		Total Points	
>	3 x 4.0 =	12.0	
	3 x 3.7 =	11.1	
	2 x 3.0 =	6.0	

_	12.0 + 11.1 + 6.0 =	29.1
	divide by	
\neg /	3 + 3 + 2 =	8
	Cumulative GPA =	3.64



5 - 5.49

4.5 - 4.99

4 - 4,49

3.5 - 3.99

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Bardzo Dobry (Very Good)

Dostateczny Plus (Satisfactory

Niedostateczny (Unsatisfactory)

Dostateczny (Satisfactory)

Dobry Plus (Fairly Good)

Dobry (Good)

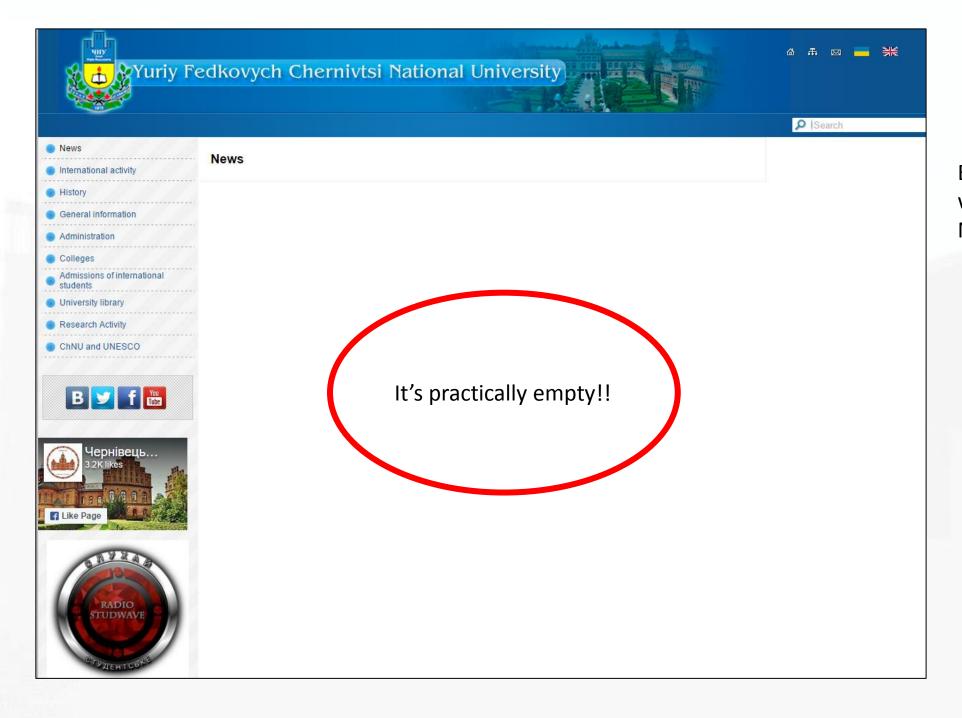
Make sure this works for your credential and your institution

U.S. Grade	Points	U.S. Grade	Points	U.S. Grade
A+	4.0	B+	3.3	C+
А	4.0	В	3.0	С
A-	3.7	B-	2.7	C-

U.S. Grade	Points	U.S. Grade	Points	U.S. Grade	Points
C+	2.3	D+	1.3	F	0.0
С	2.0	D	1.0	-	
C-	1.7	D-	0.7	-	

Online Tools

- Translation
 - Translating websites
 - Translating input text
 - Entering foreign characters
 - Even useful for verifying names



English version of website for Chernivtsi National University



- Новини
- Вступ на навчання
- Загальна інформація
- Навчання
- Наукова діяльніст
- Гуманітарна освіт
- Міжнародна діяльність
- Прес-центр
- Нормативні документи
- Аспірантура і докторантура
- Фінансово-економічна
- Державні закупівлі
- Структура університету
- Інститути факультети і кафелри.
- Вчена рада
- Наукова бібліотека
- Семінари і конференції
- Університет і ЮНЕСКО
- Екскурсійне обслуювування
- "Університетський вісник"
- Доступ до публічної інформації
- Реквізити ЧНУ
- Пошта ЧНУ





Новини

20-10-2016

У Чернівецькому національному університеті урочисто відкрили 68-му Спартакіаду



Свято здоров'я, спритності і справедливої конкуренції— у Чернівецькому національному університеті імені Юрія Федьковича 19 жовтня урочисто стартувала 68-ма Спартакіада.

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Pretty!

Ukrainian version of

Chernivtsi National

University

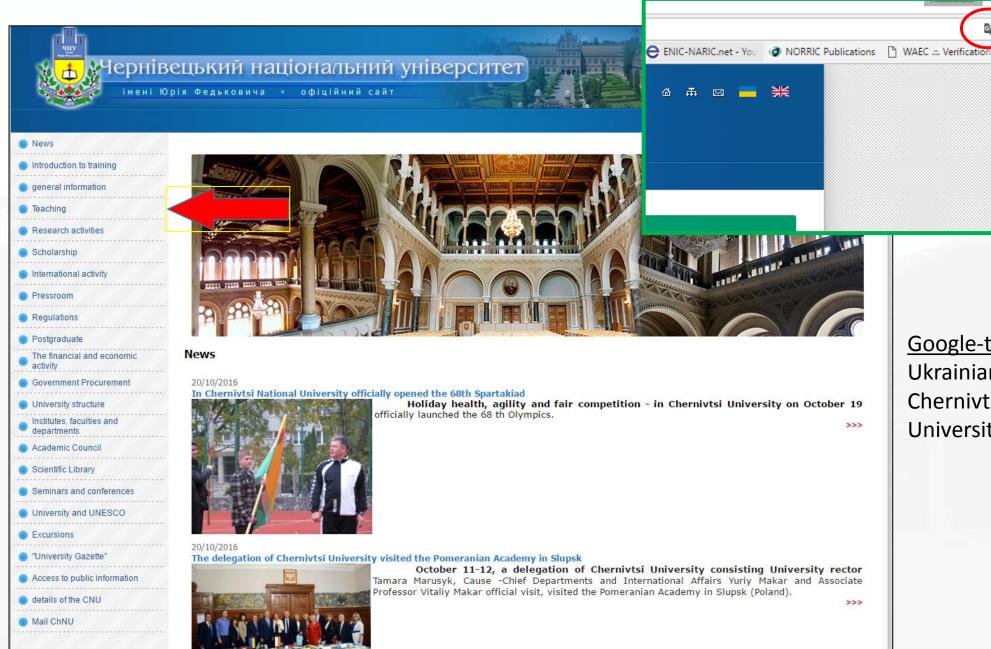
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Делегація Чернівецького національного університету імені Юрія Федьковича відвідала Поморську академію у Слупську



11-12 жовтня делегація Чернівецького національного університету імені Юрія Федьковича у складі проректора університету Тамари Марусик, завідувача кафедри міжнародних відносин Юрія Макара та доцента Віталія Макара з офіційним візитом відвідала Поморську академію у місті Слупськ (Польща).

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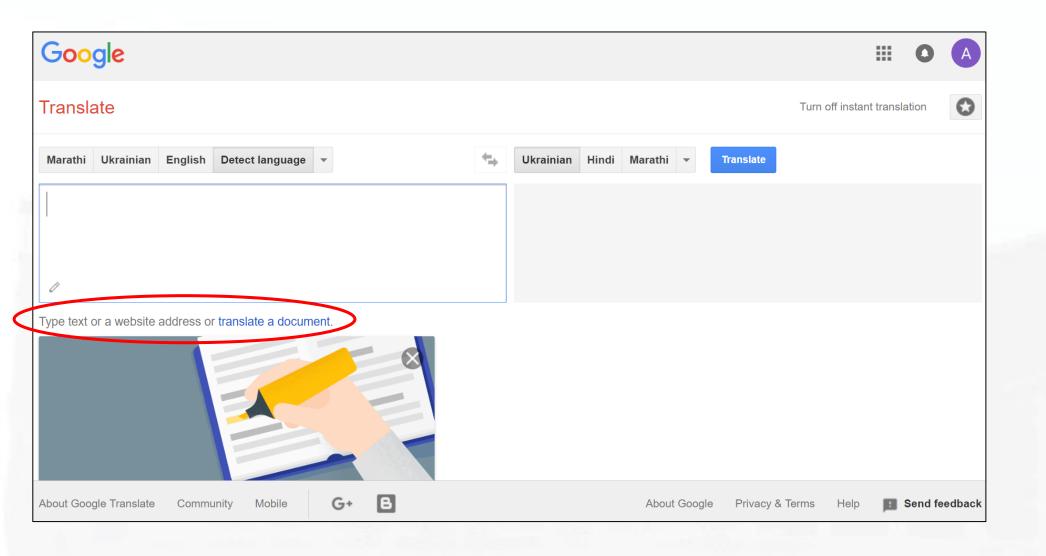


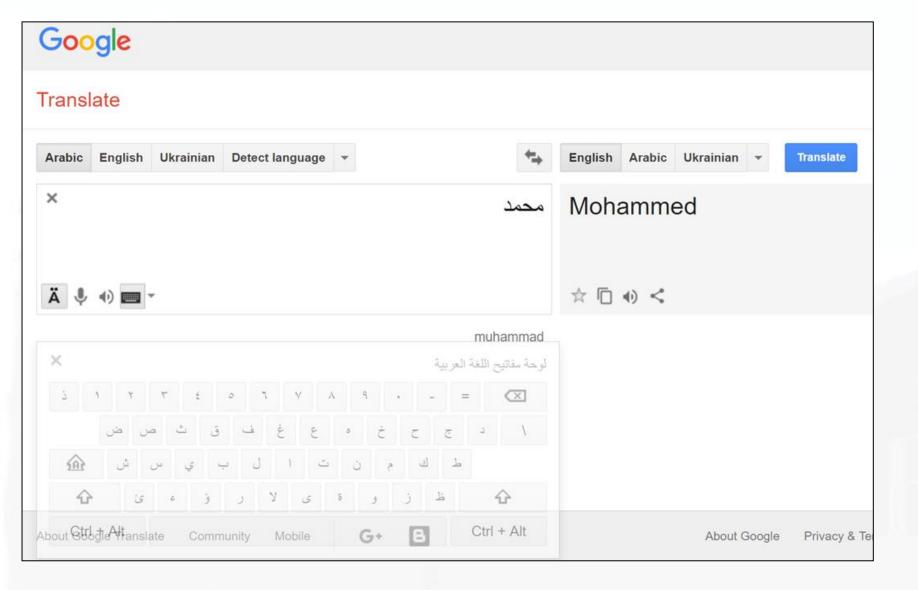
Google-translated Ukrainian version of Chernivtsi National University



October 11-12, a delegation of Chernivtsi University consisting University rector Tamara Marusyk, Cause -Chief Departments and International Affairs Yuriy Makar and Associate

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- People's names
- Institution's names
- Searching in original language

Online Research

- Internet searches in native language
- Setting Google results for obtaining search results only in native language
- Researching third-party information published in languages other than English
- Internet Archive (Wayback Machine)

Online Verification Tools

- National databases confirming graduation and course details
- National databases confirming graduation
- Results checkers
- Institutional databases
- Confirmation of licensure or membership in a professional organization
- QR codes
- Graduation booklets/lists
- Newspaper articles

Additional Types?

Ecuador

Ministerio de Educación

Consulta de Títulos de Bachiller

Choose either search option:

- No. de Identificación (Identification Number)
 - Hint: If listed with a dash, like 12345678-9, don't include the dash. Enter 123456789.
- Apellidos (Names)

Contains records dating back to 1985.



http://servicios.educacion.gob.ec/titulacion25-web/faces/paginas/consulta-titulos-refrendados.xhtml

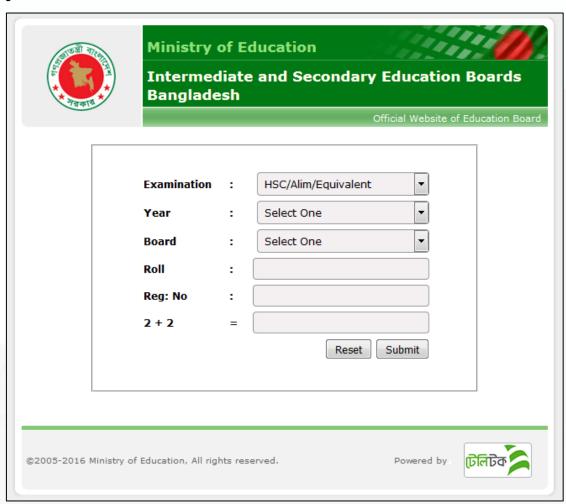
Ecuador Sample: Título de Bachiller (2016)



Bangladesh

Boards of Intermediate & Secondary Education

- Includes all types of intermediate and secondary education including technical and madrasah
- Records go back to 1999
- Consolidates all boards into one portal
- Registration and roll numbers are on both certificate and transcript



http://www.educationboardresults.gov.bd/regular/index.php

Bangladesh Sample: Higher Secondary from BISE Dhaka

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BOARD OF INTERMEDIATE AND SECONDARY EDUCATION, DHAKA.

BANGLADESH

Higher Secondary Certificate Examination, 2012

Serial No. DBH DBCH



ACADEMIC TRANSCRIPT

Class Interval	Grade Point
80-100	5
70-79	4
60-69	3.5
50-59	3
40-49	2
33-39	1
00-32	0
	80-100 70-79 60-69 50-59 40-49 33-39

Name of Student :
Father's Name :
Mother's Name :

Name of Institution: Bir Shreshtha Munshi Abdur Rouf Public College (1304)

Name of Centre ___: Dhaka - 14

: Dhaka - 14, Dhaka College (115)

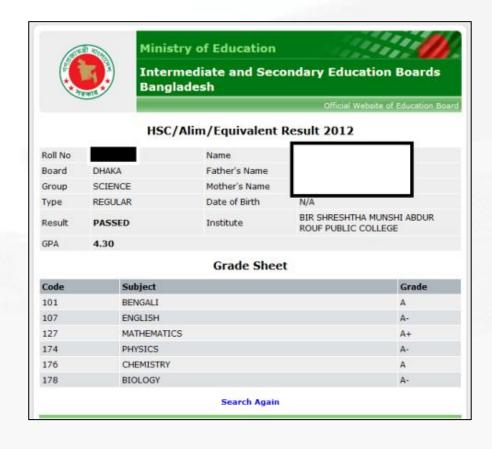
Roll No. Group Registration No. : / 2010

SL. No.	Name of Subjects	Letter Grade	Grade Point	GPA (without additional subject)	GPA
1	Bangla	A	4		
2	English	Α-	3.5		
3	Mathematics	A+	5	4.00	4.30
4	Physics	Α-	3.5		
5	Chemistry	A	4		
Additiona	al Subject :	回回回	JUN !	DEE	
6	Biology	Α-	3.5	GP above 2	

Date of Publication of Results: 18 July, 2012

Controller of Examinations

Results confirm completion and individual grades



Bulgaria

The Bulgarian Ministry of Education, Youth, and Science maintains a register of primary, secondary, and vocational education credentials (Регистърът на Дипломи и свидетелства за завършено основно и средно образование и придобита степен на професионална квалификация) awarded to Bulgarian students after January 2007.

The initial verification option confirms which credential a student has earned. To use this option, the student's national identification number (i.e. **EFH / JHY**, a 10-digit number listed on all official documentation) must be available.

The additional verification option provides access to student's credential in full (e.g. a complete listing of subjects and grades listed on the diploma, and a digital copy of the diploma). To use this option, the student's diploma number must be available.

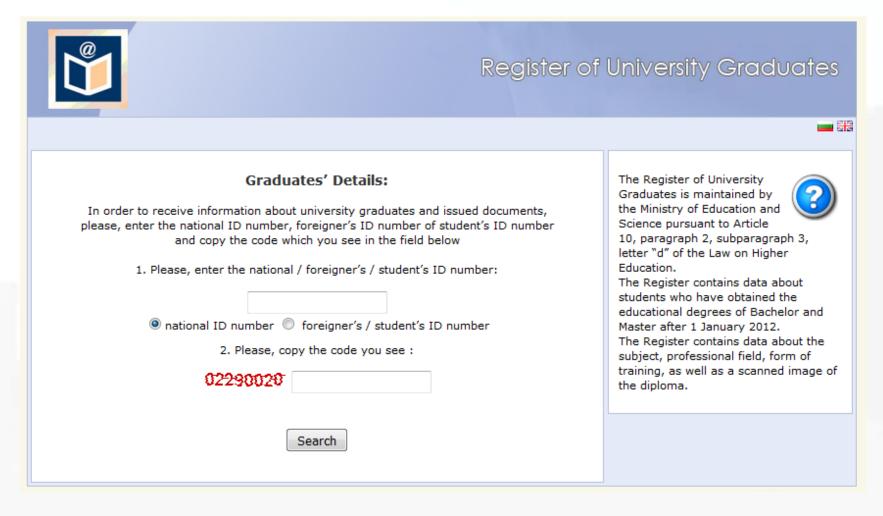
https://www2.mon.bg/AdminRD/mon/

Search Field for National Identification Number

Данни за издадени документи за завършено образование или придобита професионалн квалификация: За да получите подробна информация за издадените документи, моля въведете ЕГН или ЛНЧ и препишете кода, койт		
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Yep, it is in Bulgarian.

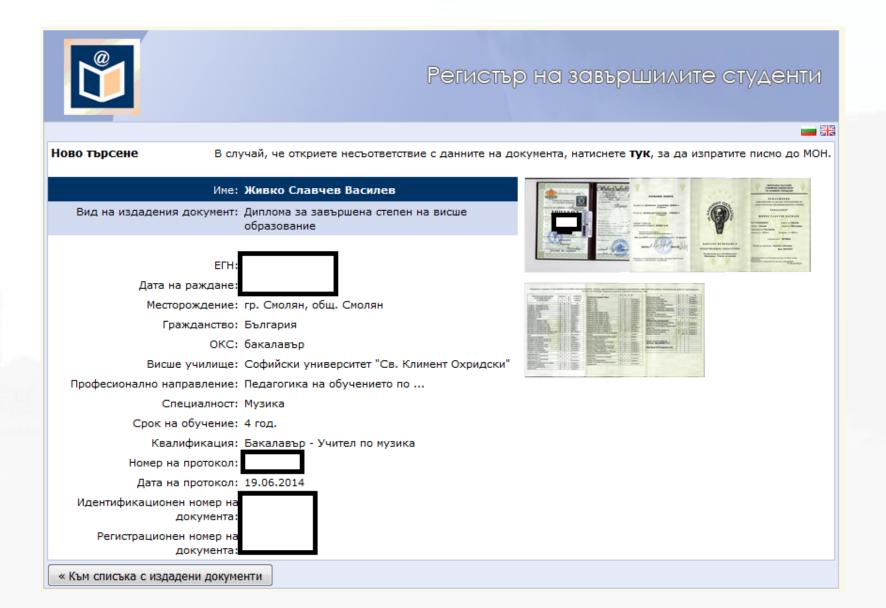
University Verification



Bulgaria Sample: бакалавър degree

РЕПУБЛИКА БЪЛГАРИЯ СОФИЙСКИ УНИВЕРСИТЕТ "СВ. КЛИМЕНТ ОХРИДСКИ" ФАКУЛТЕТ МО НАГАЛНА И ИРГОНИМИНА АИПЛОЛЛА	ЕГН роден на 26.04 19 91 г. в гр. (с) умерти област Омилан до област Омил
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Results with degree confirmation and grades



Mexico

Secretaría de Educación Pública (SEP), Dirección General de Profesiones (DGP)

Registro Nacional de Profesionistas

 Verifies títulos (degrees), even for some secondary-vocational programs that lead to licensable credentials

 Search by cédula number **OR** first last name (paternal) and given name





http://www.cedulaprofesional.sep.gob. mx/cedula/indexAvanzada.action

Mexican Cédula

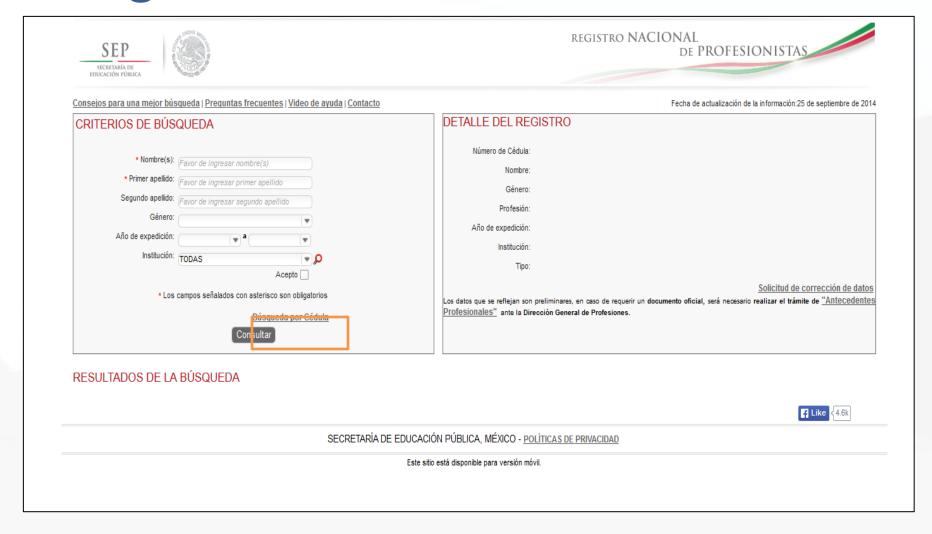


Wallet-sized card that indicates degree in particular licensable field

Can verify using the cédula number from the reverse of the degree or the actual card

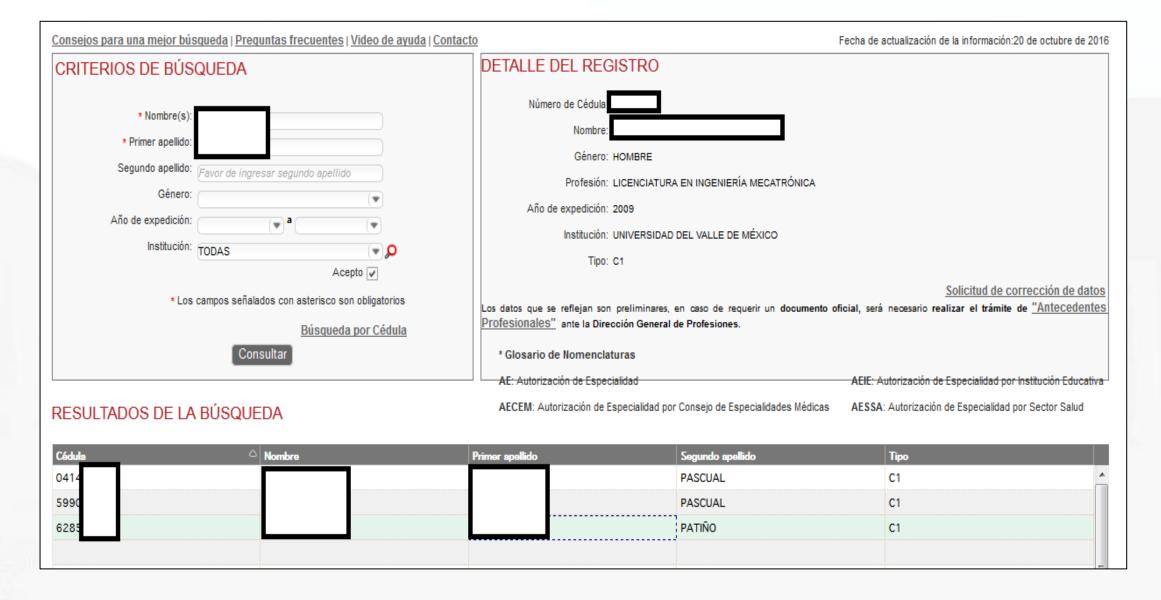
Fancy cards with safety features have been available since 2000

Registro Nacional Search Interface



Hint: Cédulas should have 7 digits. But if yours only has 6 digits, try adding a zero in front.

Results when searching by Name



University of Baghdad Graduation Lists http://www.graduation.uobaghdad.edu.iq/



MINISTRY OF HIGHER EDUCATION AND SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH UNIVERSITY OF BAGHDAD **College of Dentistry**

Registration





Date: 2/7/2015

Transcript Records for Presenting to Higher Study

It is not used for purposes of getting appointed .Any frame or private or coed sectors are fully responsible for any legal consequence owing to the law that the graduates of medical colleges (Medicine, Dentistry and Pharmacy) are committed to being appointed within the staff of Iraqi Ministry of Health on the basis of rule no. 6 in 2000 and its amendments.

This is to certify that (Iraqi nationality) whose photograph is affixed above is a graduate of our college in the year (2013/2014 and was awarded a B.D.S degree in Dental Surgery with (Good) grade on 15/7 /2014 First term. Final average for five years study was (78.784). The following are the marks for the course of study in this college:

First ye	ear 2009/2010			Second	year2010/2011		
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Subject	Subject Marks	Theo.	Lab	Subject	Marks	Theo.	Lab
Medical Physics	60	4	2	Anatomy	65	4	4
Biology	67	4	2	Biochemistry	64	4	2
Dental Anatomy	69	4	2	General Physiology	66	4	2
Computer Science	64	4	2	General Histology	64	4	2
Medical Chemistry	74	2	2	Oral Histology	57	2	2
Anatomy	69	2		Dental Materials	69	2	2
Human Rights	72	2		Prosthodontics	63	2	4
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				Democracy	75	2	
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	Marks	Theo.	Lab	Subject	Subject	Marks	Theo.
Pharmacology	89	4	2	Oral Surgery	85	2	4
General Pathology	84	4	2	Oral Pathology	88	4	3
Microbiology	84	4	2	General Surgery	72	2	2
Prosthodontics	67	2	4	General Medicine	83	2	2
Conservative Dentistry	70	4	4	Prosthodontics	85	2	4
Radiology	76	2	2	Conservative Dentistry	85	2	4
Oral Surgery	71	2	2	Periodontology	87	2	3
Community Dentistry	63	2	2	Orthodontics	82	2	3
		-		Pediatric Dentistry	82	2	

Fifth year2013/2014					
6.00		Units			
Subject	Marks	Theo.	Lab		
Oral Medicine	81	4 111			
Oral Surgery	78	4	6		
Conservative Dentistry	80	2	6		
Prosthodontics	80	2	6		
Orthodontics	86,	2	3		
Preventive Dentistry	84	2	2		
Periodontology	- 78	2	3		
Pediatric Dentistry	74	2	2		
Graduation Project	197	4			

1. Ranked (11) among (175) graduates

- The final average calculated according to these percentage: First year5%, second year10%, third year15%, fourth year30%, fifth year40%. Passing average and passing grade is 50%.

 (*) means pass in 2rd term exam.
- Feaching language is English.
- Duration of study is 5 academic years. Each academic year includes 30 weeks for the 1". 2", and 3" years and 38 weeks for the 4" and 5" years.
 Each hour of theory equals to one credit hours and each 2 hour of lab
- The student completed the requirement of summer training in the academic year 2013 / 2014.
- The document of secondary school has been authentica

ect. Dr. HARRAA SABAH ABDULAMEER

Assistant Dean

Prof. Dr. NABEEL ABDULFATAH HATOOR

http://www.codental.uobaghdad.edu.ia

Iraq Sample: University of **Baghdad** Bachelor of **Dental Surgery**

Verification Links

Ecuador Secondary

 http://servicios.educacion.gob.ec/titulacion25web/faces/paginas/consulta-titulos-refrendados.xhtml

Bangladesh Secondary

http://www.educationboardresults.gov.bd/regular/index.php

Bulgaria Secondary & Post-Secondary

- https://www2.mon.bg/AdminRD/mon/
- http://89.252.196.217/AdminRHE2/default.asp?action=changeLang&lang id=1

Mexico Titles

http://www.cedulaprofesional.sep.gob.mx/cedula/indexAvanzada.action

University of Baghdad Graduation Lists

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Internet Archive – Wayback Machine



https://archive.org/web/

Allows you to view snapshots of websites from the past. Perfect for researching study plans for credit reconstruction, historical recognition status, duration at a certain point in time. Can run the Wayback Machine through Google Translate in order to translate the archived sites. Doesn't work well when you have to actually download an old pdf.

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Date Convertors: Nepal Example

Nepali Date Converter					
Nepali Date Converter converts Bikram sambat Nepali date to English date and vice versa. It is a date converter between Bikram sambat B.5 and Gregorian calendar (Anno Domini)(A.D). Current version of nepali date converter is v5.6. Now Bikram Sambat Nepali Date Converter (Version 5.6) can convert dates from 1970B.5 - 2100B.5 and from English Date 1913A.D - 2043A.D. Nepali Date Converter is functioning almost around 6 years from version 1 to 5.6, in this time several fixes and updates are made to make					
results accurate.					
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Month Kartik ▼	Month October ▼				
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nepali-date-converter.php

Questions?

Presentations available at the following sites:

https://www.ece.org/presentations

http://www.foreigncredits.com/resuorces/presentations

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