



**CAMPUS  
INTERNACIONAL**



**UNIVERSITY OF EXCELLENCE**

**Educating global innovative leaders**

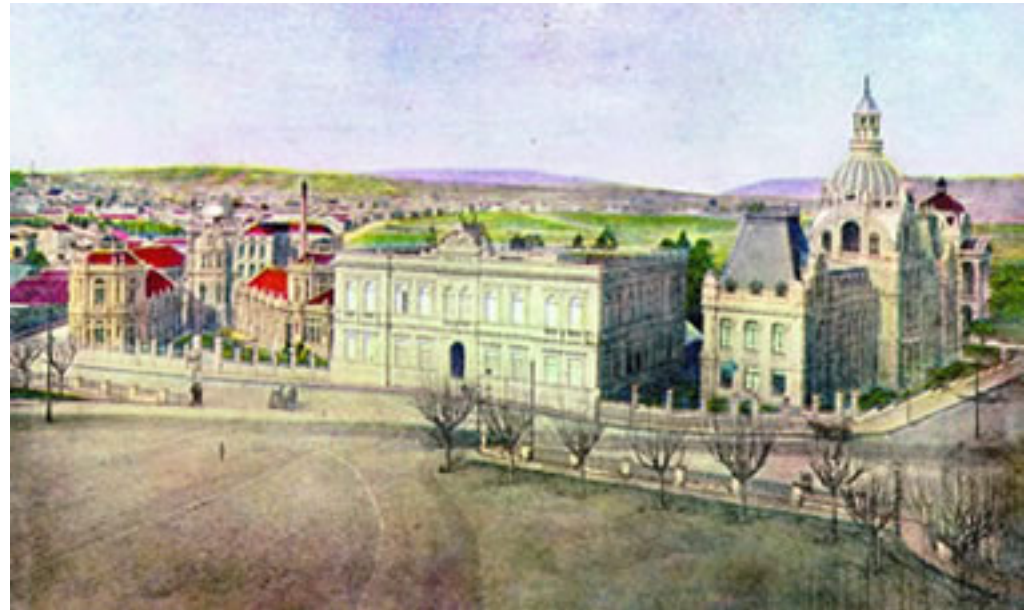
**UFRGS** is located in **Porto Alegre**, capital of Rio Grande do Sul, the southernmost state of Brazil.

Having Uruguay and Argentina as neighbors; Rio Grande do Sul has a strategic position in MERCOSUL a region that encompasses 60% of all Latin American economy.





- The city was founded in 1742 by immigrants from the Azores region (**Portuguese** immigrants).
- Since the 19<sup>th</sup> century, Porto Alegre has been receiving immigrants, particularly from Europe (**Germans** and **Italians**), which were of decisive importance, influencing architecture and cuisine, among other cultural aspects.
- Products of the rich agriculture and livestock such as soybeans, leather, canned food, meats, and rice are exported to several countries.
- Its population is about **1,500,000** inhabitants.



The Universidade Federal do Rio Grande do Sul (UFRGS), was founded in 1934 as a result of a gathering of independent schools and institutes that were created in the 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> centuries.





With its **51,000** students and staff members, UFRGS figures today among the three largest federal universities in Brazil, and is recognized as having one of the highest academic standards among Latin American universities, according to national and international ranking systems.



- Webometrics - UFRGS is the third best in Latin America.
- ARWU – ranking Shanghai – UFRGS is the 8-10th best in Latin America, among the 500 of the world.
- QS – 14th best in Latin America, among the 550 of the world.
- IGC/MEC 2012 - top university in Brazil - UFRGS has been indicated as the best of 180 Brazilian universities among the public and private institutions evaluated in the general courses index (IGC), released 2012 by the Ministry of Education.



- The University counts with 27 Academic Units
- Hospital (HCPA)
- Publishing House
- Planetarium
- Radio and Television Networks
- Museum
- Cinema
- 33 Specialized Libraries
- Four Cafeterias
- Three 'Student Houses'
- Marine Studies Center
- Data Center
- Veterinary Hospitals, among other facilities



Over **30,000** undergraduate students, distributed among **87** courses

**16,800** students enrolled in more than **72** graduate programs,  
**2,500** professors

**771** research groups **2,400** undergraduate research students **2,000**  
researchers

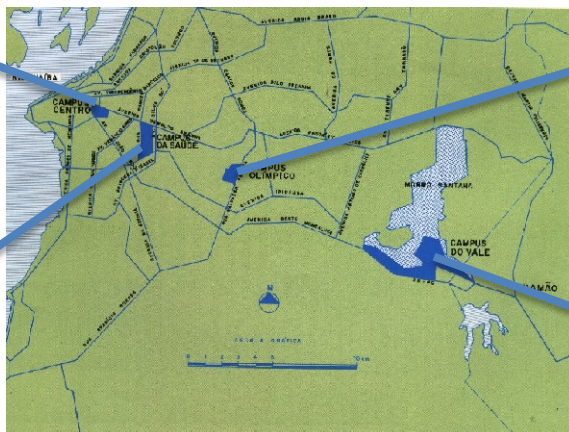


## On-town campuses

**UFRGS** comprises four on-town campuses



Central



Porto Alegre



Olympic



Health



Valley



## Off-town campuses



UFRGS has two off-town campuses



**Coastal and Marine Study  
Centre**



**Experimental Agronomic  
Centre**





## GRADUATE AND UNDERGRADUATE IN A WIDE RANGE OF DISCIPLINES

- Agrarian Sciences
- Biological Sciences
- Engineering
- Exacts and Earth Sciences
- Health Sciences
- Human Sciences
- Languages, Linguistics and Arts
- Applied Social Sciences

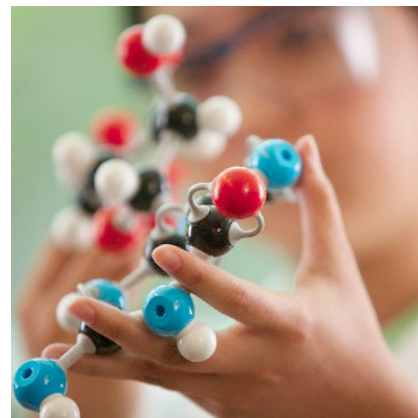


## 27 ACADEMIC UNITS

School of Management  
School of Physical Education  
School of Nursing  
School of Engineering  
Faculty of Agronomy  
Faculty of Architecture  
Faculty of Library and Communications  
Faculty of Economics  
Faculty of Law  
Faculty of Pedagogy  
Faculty of Pharmacy  
Faculty of Medicine  
Faculty of Dentistry  
Faculty of Veterinary Medicine  
Institute of Arts

Institute of Biosciences  
Institute of Basic Health Sciences  
Institute of Food Science and  
Technology  
Institute of Philosophy and Human  
Sciences  
Institute of Physics  
Institute of Earth Sciences  
Institute of Computer Sciences and  
Informatics  
Institute of Languages  
Institute of Mathematics  
Institute of Hydraulic Research  
Institute of Psychology  
Institute of Chemistry

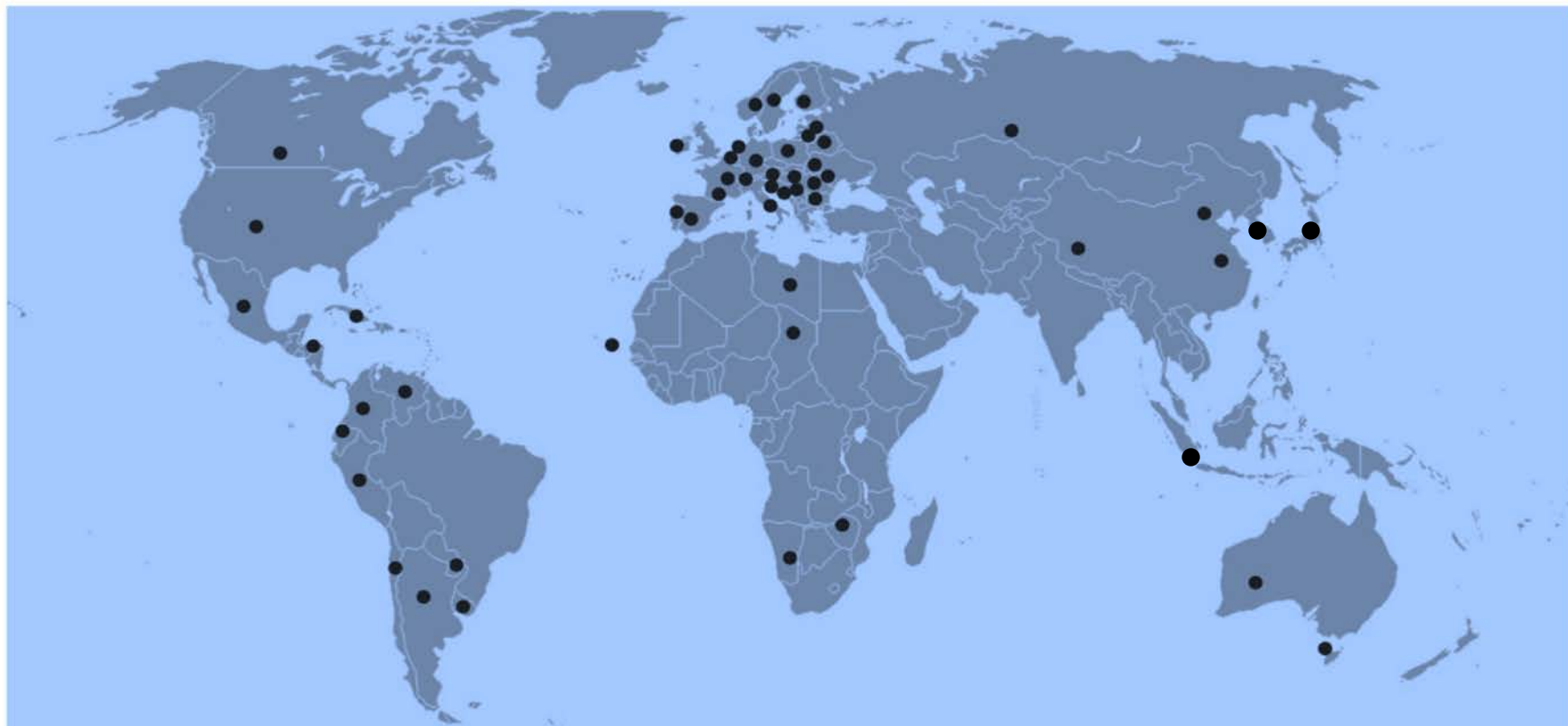




**771** research groups in all disciplines promote creative findings and scientific innovation.

## UFRGS PARTNERSHIP ALL OVER THE WORLD

Partnership with over 50 countries and 216  
Institutions all over the world.





Every year UFRGS welcomes nearly 700 students.

Every year almost 750 students study abroad as part of exchange programs.

Our staff is constantly working to provide **full assistance** and support to every exchange student.

**The International Office organizes a gathering s to welcome our international students and many other integration events.**











## Bus tour: partnership with the City Hall























[www.ufrgs.br/relinter](http://www.ufrgs.br/relinter)

[www.facebook.com/relinter](http://www.facebook.com/relinter)

<http://twitter.com/relinter>



The image shows a Facebook profile for 'Relinter Ufrgs'. The profile picture is a logo with a red flame above the text 'UFRGS RELINTER' and 'UNIVERSIDADE FEDERAL DO RIO GRANDE DO SUL'. The cover photo is a collage of images showing people and university buildings. The bio states: 'Secretaria de Relações Internacionais na empresa UFRGS', 'Estudou no(a) Universidade Federal do Rio Grande do Sul', 'Mora em Porto Alegre, Rio Grande do Sul', 'Fala Língua inglesa, Língua portuguesa, Língua alemã e outros 3', and 'De Porto Alegre, Rio Grande do Sul'. There are buttons for 'Status', 'Foto', 'Link', 'Vídeos', and 'Perguntar'. A post from August 12th is visible, titled 'Welcome to Germany - Study in Germany' with a link to 'www.study-in.de'.



The image shows a Twitter profile for '@relinter'. The header includes the Twitter logo, a search bar, and navigation links for Home, Profile, Messages, and Who To Follow. The profile picture is the same 'UFRGS RELINTER' logo. The bio reads: 'RELINTER | UFRGS', '@relinter Porto Alegre - RS - Brasil', 'Notícias da Secretaria de Relações Internacionais da UFRGS com as informações mais relevantes sobre oportunidades de mobilidade acadêmica.', and 'http://ufrgs.br/relinter'. On the right, statistics are shown: 297 Tweets, 50 Following, 788 Followers, and 30 Listed. At the bottom, there is a link to 'Similar to you · view all'.