The University of Las Palmas de Gran Canaria (ULPGC) is a Higher Education and Research Institution with a distinguished reputation both within and beyond our borders, committed to building a better future and putting its knowledge at the service of society.

Since its foundation in 1989, ULPGC has firmly established itself as a public university where every major field of learning can be studied. This is demonstrated, on the one hand, by the wide range of official Undergraduate, Master’s and Doctorate degree courses it offers and, on the other, by its own Master’s, University Expert and Special Training programmes.

Our commitment to quality in the teaching, research and services we provide obliges us to improve constantly, and we are convinced this is the only way we can be in a position to offer society competent, cultured, responsible and supportive people.

Rafael Robaina Romero
Rector
Las Palmas de Gran Canaria: population +380,000
Cosmopolitan setting: one of the leading European tourist destinations
Direct flights to and from Europe and Africa
Pleasant subtropical climate
Natural and historical attractions: 4 World Heritage Sites in the Canary Islands
Intense cultural life

(1) Nighttime visit to the beach of Las Canteras (Las Palmas de Gran Canaria)
(2) Roque Bentayga in the centre of the island of Gran Canaria
(3) Carnival parade, a festival with international appeal
(4) A young surfer. ULPGC offers courses in this sport.
(5) Historical quarter of Vegueta in the capital of Gran Canaria
(6) View of the Port of Las Palmas, one of the most important in North Africa
(7) Playa del Inglés, in the south of the island
A Young, Modern, European University

- Students: +19,000
- Erasmus students (Incoming): +600
- Erasmus students (Outgoing): +1,000
- Teaching staff: +1,700
- Annual budget: + €140 million
- 4 campuses and satellites on two islands: Fuerteventura and Lanzarote
- Site of two international institutes: the Confucius Institute and the King Sejong Institute

- Teaching centres: 16
- Own science and technology park with 6 locations
- Leading university in e-learning: +19,000 students on virtual campus and +500 work groups in virtual environment
- Unesco Chairs: 4

(1) e-Learning Centre
(2) Faculty of Physical Activity and Sports Science
(3) School of Telecommunications and Electronic Engineering
(4) Faculty of Health Sciences
(5) Faculty of Law
4 CAMPUSES
3 ISLANDS
1 SCIENCE PARK

- School of Architecture
- School of Telecommunications and Electronic Engineering
- School of Computer Engineering
- School of Industrial and Civil Engineering
- e-Learning Centre
- University School of Tourism in Lanzarote
- Faculty of Physical Activity and Sports Science
- Faculty of Education Sciences
- Faculty of Health Sciences
- Faculty of Marine Sciences
- Faculty of Law
- Faculty of Economics, Business and Tourism
- Faculty of Philology
- Faculty of Geography and History
- Faculty of Translation and Interpreting
- Faculty of Veterinary Science

(1) La Granja building, site of the Confucius Institute and the King Sejong Institute
(2) Faculty of Veterinary Science
(3) School of Architecture
(4) Taliarte Marine Science and Technology Park
(5) Faculties of Philology, Geography and History, and Translation and Interpreting
UNDERGRADUATE DEGREES IN ALL FIELDS RECOGNISED ALL OVER EUROPE

DEGREE COURSES (1)

School of Architecture
- ARCHITECTURE

School of Computer Engineering
- COMPUTER ENGINEERING

School of Industrial and Civil Engineering
- CIVIL ENGINEERING
- ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING
- INDUSTRIAL ELECTRONIC ENGINEERING AND AUTOMATION
- INDUSTRIAL DESIGN AND PRODUCT DEVELOPMENT ENGINEERING
- INDUSTRIAL ORGANISATION ENGINEERING
- NAVAL TECHNOLOGY ENGINEERING
- GEOMATICS ENGINEERING
- MECHANICAL ENGINEERING
- CHEMICAL ENGINEERING
- INDUSTRIAL CHEMICAL ENGINEERING
- Double degree programme: INDUSTRIAL ORGANISATION and BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION AND MANAGEMENT

School of Telecommunications and Electronic Engineering
- TELECOMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY ENGINEERING
- Double degree programme: TELECOMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY ENGINEERING and BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION AND MANAGEMENT

University School of Tourism in Lanzarote
- TOURISM

e-Learning Centre (distance learning)
- PRIMARY EDUCATION
- LABOUR RELATIONS AND HUMAN RESOURCES
- SECURITY AND RISK MANAGEMENT
- SOCIAL WORK
- TOURISM

Faculty of Physical Activity and Sports Science
- PHYSICAL ACTIVITY AND SPORTS SCIENCE

Faculty of Education Sciences
- EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION
- PRIMARY EDUCATION
- SOCIAL EDUCATION

Faculty of Health Sciences
- NURSING
- PHYSIOTHERAPY
- MEDICINE

Faculty of Marine Sciences
- MARINE SCIENCES

Faculty of Legal Sciences
- LAW
- LABOUR RELATIONS AND HUMAN RESOURCES
- SOCIAL WORK

Faculty of Economics, Business and Tourism
- BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION AND MANAGEMENT
- ECONOMICS
- TOURISM
- Double degree programme: BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION AND MANAGEMENT and LAW

www.ulpgcparati.es/grados
SPECIALISED MASTER’S DEGREES DESIGNED TO SUPPLEMENT YOUR STUDIES

MASTER’S DEGREES (1)

Faculty of Architecture
- ARTISTIC HERITAGE, MUSEUM AND ART MARKET MANAGEMENT

Faculty of Industrial and Civil Engineering
- INDUSTRIAL ENGINEERING

Faculty of Telecommunications and Electronic Engineering
- TELECOMMUNICATIONS ENGINEERING

Faculty of Veterinary Science
- VETERINARY SCIENCE

INTERNATIONAL DUAL DEGREE COURSES

- University College Birmingham (Inglaterra): INTERNATIONAL TOURISM BUSINESS MANAGEMENT BA (Hons) / BUSINESS ENTERPRISE BA (Hons) / DIGITAL MARKETING BA (Hons) / MARKETING MANAGEMENT BA (Hons) / SPORTS MANAGEMENT BA (Hons) / SPORTS THERAPY BSC (Hons) / SPORTS & FITNESS STUDIES BA (Hons) / STRENGTH CONDITIONING AND SPORTS NUTRITION BSC (Hons)

- University of Napier (Escocia): INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION BA (Hons)

- Kiel University of Applied Sciences (Alemania): BETRIEBSWIRTSCHAFTS-LEHRE BACHELOR (BWL)

- Université de La Rochelle (Francia). La Rochelle Business School: BBA La Rochelle International Management / Bachelor Tourism

- Peoples’ Friendship University of Russia (RUDN University) (Russia): ECONOMICS (Bachelor Degree)

DEGREE COURSES (2)

Faculty of Philology
- SPANISH LANGUAGE AND HISPANIC LITERATURE
- MODERN LANGUAGES

Faculty of Geography and History
- GEOGRAPHY AND LAND-USE PLANNING
- HISTORY

Faculty of Translation and Interpreting
- TRANSLATION AND INTERPRETING: ENGLISH-GERMAN
- TRANSLATION AND INTERPRETING: ENGLISH-FRENCH
- Double degree programme: TRANSLATION AND INTERPRETING: ENGLISH-GERMAN and TRANSLATION AND INTERPRETING: ENGLISH-FRENCH
- Double degree programme: TRANSLATION AND INTERPRETING: ENGLISH-GERMAN and TOURISM

Faculty of Veterinary Science
- VETERINARY SCIENCE

INTERNATIONAL DUAL DEGREE COURSES

- University College Birmingham (Inglaterra): INTERNATIONAL TOURISM BUSINESS MANAGEMENT BA (Hons) / BUSINESS ENTERPRISE BA (Hons) / DIGITAL MARKETING BA (Hons) / MARKETING MANAGEMENT BA (Hons) / SPORTS MANAGEMENT BA (Hons) / SPORTS THERAPY BSC (Hons) / SPORTS & FITNESS STUDIES BA (Hons) / STRENGTH CONDITIONING AND SPORTS NUTRITION BSC (Hons)

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MASTER’S DEGREES
(2)

Faculty of Economics, Business and Tourism
- ACCOUNTANCY, AUDITING AND BUSINESS TAXATION
- BUSINESS MANAGEMENT AND HUMAN RESOURCES
- MARKETING AND INTERNATIONAL TRADE

Faculty of Philology
- AUDIOVISUAL AND LITERARY CULTURE
- CONTENT AND LANGUAGE INTEGRATED LEARNING (to be introduced)

Faculty of Geography and History
- HISTORICAL, CULTURAL AND NATURAL HERITAGE
- SPANISH-AFRICAN RELATIONS

Faculty of Translation and Interpreting
- SPANISH AND ITS CULTURE: PROFESSIONAL AND BUSINESS DEVELOPMENTS
- PROFESSIONAL TRANSLATION AND INTERCULTURAL MEDIATION

University Institute for Applied Microelectronics
- APPLIED ELECTRONICS AND COMMUNICATION ENGINEERING
  (to be introduced)
- TELECOMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGIES

University Institute for Animal Health and Food Safety
- ANIMAL HEALTH AND FOOD SAFETY

University Institute for Intelligent Systems and Digital Applications in Engineering
- INTELLIGENT SYSTEMS AND DIGITAL APPLICATIONS IN ENGINEERING

University Institute for Tourism and Sustainable Economic Development
- ECONOMICS OF TOURISM, TRANSPORT AND THE ENVIRONMENT

University Institute for Technological Development and Innovation in Communications
- ITC SOLUTIONS FOR WELFARE AND THE ENVIRONMENT

ACCREDITED MASTER’S DEGREES THAT LEAD THE FIELD IN SOME AREAS

(1) Euronews records a documentary at ULPGC on brain tumour research.
(2) Training at the Spanish Algae Bank
(3) Oceanographic campaign for circumnavigation with an unmanned mini-submarine
(4) ULPGC scientists at the launch of a microsatellite

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DOCTORATES

Doctoral School
- SUSTAINABLE AQUACULTURE AND MARINE ECOSYSTEMS
- BUSINESS, THE INTERNET AND COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGIES
- LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE STUDIES IN THEIR SOCIO-CULTURAL CONTEXTS
- CHEMICAL, MECHANICAL AND MANUFACTURING ENGINEERING
- RESEARCH APPLIED TO HEALTH SCIENCES
- BIOMEDICAL RESEARCH
- ATLANTIC ISLANDS: HISTORY, HERITAGE AND INSTITUTIONAL LEGAL FRAMEWORK
- OCEANOGRAPHY AND GLOBAL CHANGE
- ANIMAL HEALTH AND FOOD SAFETY
- TELECOMMUNICATION AND COMPUTATIONAL ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGIES
- TERRITORY AND SOCIETY: HISTORICAL EVOLUTION OF A TRICONTINENTAL SPACE (AFRICA, AMERICA AND EUROPE)
- TOURISM, ECONOMICS AND MANAGEMENT
- ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY AND NATURAL RESOURCES

SPECIAL TRAINING PROGRAMMES
- In these programmes the University opens its doors to different types of people from those it has traditionally catered to and meets unsatisfied demand for teaching.

UNIVERSITY EXTENSION COURSES
- Teaching activities of an extracurricular kind characterised by their academic quality and social interest, aimed at supplementing students’ curricular teaching and/or updating training for professionals.

KNOWLEDGE ALIGNMENT COURSES
- Fundamentally practical courses designed as a means of facilitating study of courses in the first year of university.

CULTURAL COURSES AND WORKSHOPS
- These respond to the cultural demand of the university community and the rest of society in general.

SUMMER SCHOOLS
- Teaching activities conducted during the summer months.

OTHER TEACHING AT ULPGC

OUR OWN PROGRAMMES
- Ongoing teaching certified by the University of Las Palmas de Gran Canaria to meet social and educational needs not included in the official list of university degrees. It is offered at all levels (undergraduate and postgraduate).

(1) Algaculture
(2) Laboratory in the Faculty of Physical Activity and Sports Science
(3) Analysing an archaeological sample
(4) Home automation laboratory in the Science and Technology Park

http://edulpgc.ulpgc.es
https://www.ulpgc.es/otros_estudios_cursos
ULPGC RESEARCH

TRICONTINENTAL ATLANTIC CAMPUS
- A catalyst for talent and for teaching, research, innovation and knowledge transfer projects for the Europe-Africa-Latin America axis. The project is based on three areas of great importance in our environment: Marine and Maritime Sciences and Technologies, Astrophysics, and Biomedicine.

ULPGC SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY PARK
- Linking innovative companies and research centres.

RESEARCH INSTITUTES
- University Institute for Cybernetic Sciences and Technologies (IUTC)
- University Institute for Applied Micro-electronics (IUMA)
- University Institute for Animal Health and Food Safety (IUSA)
- University Institute for Intelligent Systems and Digital Applications in Engineering (SIANI)
- University Institute for Technological Development and Innovation in Communications (IDeTIC)
- University Institute for Tourism and Sustainable Economic Development (Tides)
- University Institute for Oceanography and Global Change (IOCAG)
- University Institute for Textual Analysis and Applications (IATEXT)
- University Institute for Biomedical and Healthcare Research (IUIBS)
- University Institute for Sustainable Aquaculture and Marine Ecosystems (IU-ECO Aqua)
- University Institute for Research in Environmental Studies and Natural Resources (i-UNAT)

RESEARCH GROUPS (+100)

TEACHING AND RESEARCH PERSONNEL

UNITWIN-UNESCO CHAIRS
- Management of the Environment and Marine Resources in Coastal Areas
- Tourism Planning and Sustainable Development
- Research, Planning and Development of Local Health Systems (IPSILOS)
- Human Rights and Democracy

(1) Oceanographic campaign
(2) ULPGC robot used in educational innovation projects
(3) Laboratory animal facility in the Faculty of Health Sciences
(4) Microcontroller system
WIDE RANGE OF CULTURAL, SPORTS AND LANGUAGE ACTIVITIES

CULTURE
• 12 Cultural Groups, with more than 100 organised activities
• Activities in the centres and in the University Library
• Art Gallery in the ULPGC’s Institutional Headquarters
• Scientific outreach activities

SPORT
• Sports Clubs
• Directed activities, health activities, nature activities, marine activities, child-oriented activities and sports promotion
• Rector’s Championships

LANGUAGES
• Language School, courses in European languages and Spanish, face-to-face and online
• ULPGC Confucius Institute, teaching of Chinese language and culture
• ULPGC King Sejong Institute, first official centre in Spain for Korean language and culture
• Examination centre for the Cervantes Institute: Preparation for the Diploma in Spanish as a Foreign Language (DELE)

(1) Work exhibited in the ULPGC’s Art Gallery
(2) ULPGC has its own classical orchestra, the Maestro Valle University Orchestra
(3) Lateen sailing
(4) Canoeing at Las Alcaravaneras beach
(5) Musical performance by a Korean group in the Auditorium
SUMMER AND WINTER SCHOOLS

- For foreign students
- 100% active learning
- 100% student centred
- Outdoor activities to reinforce class contents
- Class methodology is fun and efficient
- Field trips closely related to lectures
- Fees in 2018-2019: €980

MOBILITY PROGRAMMES:

OUTGOING
- Erasmus students - Europe
- Erasmus students - Rest of the world
- Students in training programmes
- Teaching and research Staff
- Training of staff
- Mobility - Rest of Spain

INCOMING
- Erasmus students - Europe
- Erasmus students - Rest of the world
- Students in training programmes
- Teaching and research Staff
- Training of staff

INTERNATIONAL VOLUNTEERING

MOBILITY 2017-18

(1) Students at the ULPGC Welcome Week
(2) Surfing, one of the activities of the Summer and Winter School
(3) Students at the ULPGC Welcome Week
(4) Attendees at III Forum ULPGC -Africa
SERVICES TO EASE YOUR STAY

ACCOMODATION
- 3 University Residences, with 470 places, 24-hour reception, laundry, study areas, room cleaning service, wi-fi, etc.
- Possibility of shared accommodation and family accommodation in the city

SERVICES OFFERED TO OUR STUDENTS
- International Relations Office assists incoming and outgoing students.
- University libraries on every campus
- Canteen at the Tafira Campus
- Learning and work guidance
- Student Information centres
- 24-hour study area
- Computer rooms in the teaching centres
- Free wi-fi on every campus and 10GB mail account

(1) Welcome Week  
(2) University Residence “Campus de Tafira”  
(3) Hall of the University Library’s main building  
(4) Administrative Service facility in Vegueta  
(5) Students’ Information Point at Campus del Obeslco
ACCESS FOR FOREIGN STUDENTS

Students from the EU and EEA, Andorra, Switzerland or China must contact the Universidad Nacional de Educación a Distancia (UNED). Besides, those students who have the European or International Exam Baccalaureate are also included in this group. The UNED has the purpose to verify if you have all the requirements to access to the High Education level in your country. The UNED will issue the digital accreditation:

http://portal.uned.es

These students can improve their admission mark at ULPGC by sitting the Specific Competency Exams (Pruebas de Competencias Específicas) in such subjects with the highest weighting. These exams may be taken at this University.

Then they should apply for admission to ULPGC: PRE-REGISTRATION

https://www.ulpgc.es/acceso/preulp

Students from countries outside of the EU must request the homologation of their pre-university studies for the Spanish baccalaureate or the homologation of their foreign vocational studies for the equivalent Spanish studies. These students can also ask the UNED for their digital accreditation.

Students with partial or total foreign university studies who have not obtained the homologation and wish to continue their university studies at ULPGC must apply directly to the centre imparting the course they wish to study, by post or by any other method that certifies that the application was made during the deadline.

Further information about how to apply to the ULPGC as a foreign student:

http://www.english.ulpgc.es/undergraduate-and-postgraduate-studies?id=141

(1) Map with countries whose student access does not require degree homologation through UNED
(2) Foreign students in an event of the ULPGC Welcome Week
(3) Summer School students
(4) Welcome Week event in Teror (Gran Canaria)
The University of Las Palmas de Gran Canaria (ULPGC) offers Spanish courses in all levels (A1 – C2) for the incoming students.

**COURSES FOR MOBILITY STUDENTS**

**SPANISH FOR FOREIGN STUDENTS**

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**LANGUAGE AND SUBJECTS IN ENGLISH**

The University recommends exchange students to have at least a MCER B1 level of Spanish. Courses are taught mainly in Spanish. There are, however, some subjects taught in English.
CONTACT AND OTHER INFORMATION

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ACADEMIC CALENDAR
• First Semester (Fall): September - Dec. Examination Dates: January
• Second Semester (Spring): January - May. Examination Dates: May-June

(1) The International Relations Office is located in the Institutional Headquarters.