and Technology (UAST)

At a Glance



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Introduction



- University of Applied Science and Technology (UAST) is the largest public university in Iran.
- UAST was established in 1992 aiming at improving technical and vocational education and training (TVET) to meet the requirements of occupational skills in different sectors.
- UAST is responsible for planning, organizing, technically supporting, monitoring and evaluating the quality of TVET throughout the country.



UAST Mission



- The mission of this entrepreneurial university is to help the public and private sectors to play their role in training skilled human resources required for various economic, social and cultural sections in the country.
- UAST Centers and Institutes constitute the executive body of skilled higher vocational training and education aiming at developing knowledge and skills required for the job market.
- UAST is also involved in providing refreshing courses for university graduates and graduates in intermediate levels empowering them to enhance their job opportunities.



UAST Objectives



- 1. Creating a conducive environment for multilateral activities towards development of applied science and research.
- 2. Developing quantitative and qualitative indicators related to applied education in the society.
- 3. Providing a proper ground to utilize theoretical knowledge to solve practical problems.
- 4. Supplying a proper ground to transfer modern technologies.



UAST Unique Features



- 1) Degree programs and academic curricula are planned only based on the needs and requirements of an affiliated organization and/or various economic sectors. Every program is thus designed based on the skilled needed in a job.
- 2) A program is designed by the experts and specialists having experience in the relevant job.
- 3) A program is designed in a very flexible way and according to the real needs of job market.
- 4) About **70%** of the curricula in each program is practical.
- 5) The programs are executed using financial resources and facilities by various public and private sectors.



UAST Unique Features (Cont.)

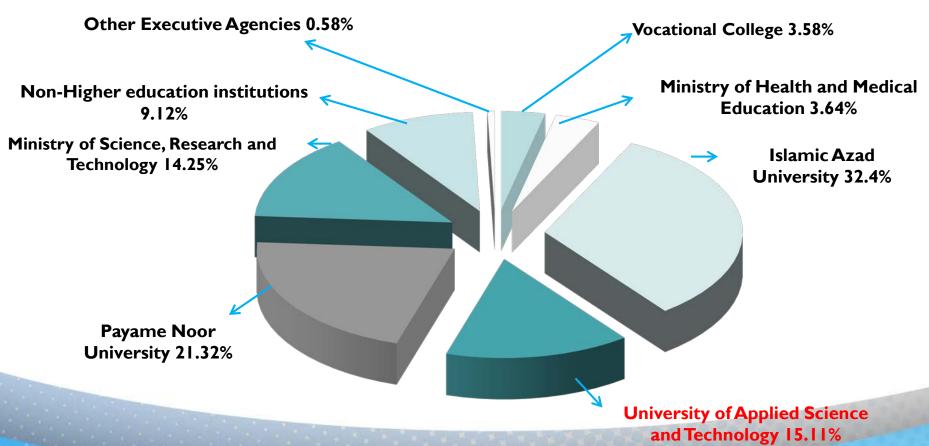
- 6) Students in all programs are offered a common set of courses required for University Of Applied job market called The Common Skills.
- 7) Internships are offered at three different stages (at the beginning, middle and the end of the programs) to prepare students for the job market.
- 8) Postgraduate programs are problem-based.
- 9) The graduates are given official degrees by which they can continue their education.
- 10) Unemployment rate among the graduates is very low.





Percentage Distribution of Students According to the Type of Executive Agency





Academic Groups & Programs



Industry

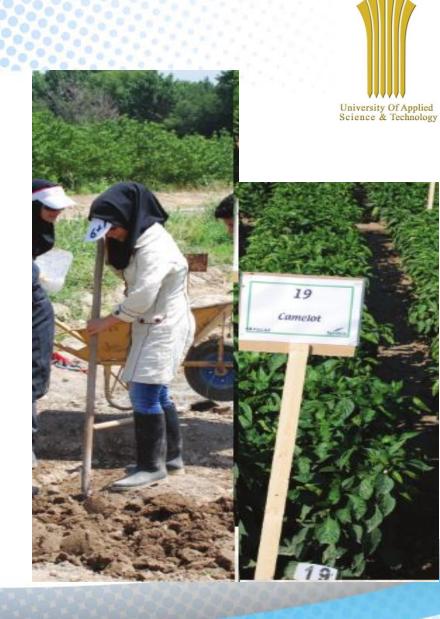
- 1. Electrical and Electronic Eng.
- 2. Water, Dams and Network.
- 3. Metallurgy and Material Eng.
- 4. Mining Eng.
- 5. Power Planet and Energy Eng.
- 6. Medical Equipment
- 7. Civil Eng. and Architecture
- 8. Industry Management
- 9. Machinery and Automobile Eng.
- 10. Textile and Leather Cellulose Eng.
- 11. Transport and Logistics Eng.
- 12. Food Science
- 13. Computer and IT
- 14. Chemical, Oil, and Gas







- 1. Plant Breeding, Farming and Gardening
- 2. Animal Husbandry
- 3. Fisheries and Aquaculture
- 4. Environment and Natural Resources
- 5. Agricultural Machinery
- 6. Rural Development Mechanization
- 7. Processing of Agricultural Product
- 8. Water and Soil









- 1. Safety and Protection
- 2. Transport, Logistics and Travel Services
- 3. Accounting, Finance and Trade
- 4. Justice and Legal Affairs
- 5. Administration and Business Services
- 6. Political and Social Affairs
- 7. Sport and Entertainment
- 8. Academic Services





Art and Culture

- 1. Press & Media
- 2. Printing and Publishing
- 3. Cultural Heritage and Crafts
- 4. Cultural Services and Advertising
- 5. English Literature
- 6. Religious Activities
- 7. Tourism and Hospitality
- 8. Visual Arts
- 9. Fashion
- 10. Film Industry
- 11. Performing Arts
- 12. Music











Types of Education at the University of Applied Science and Technology



A) Degree Programs

Technical Associate – Professional Associate
 Professional Bachelor – Technology Engineering
 The Master of Technology Engineering –Professional Master

B) Non-Degree Programs

Skill Non - degree

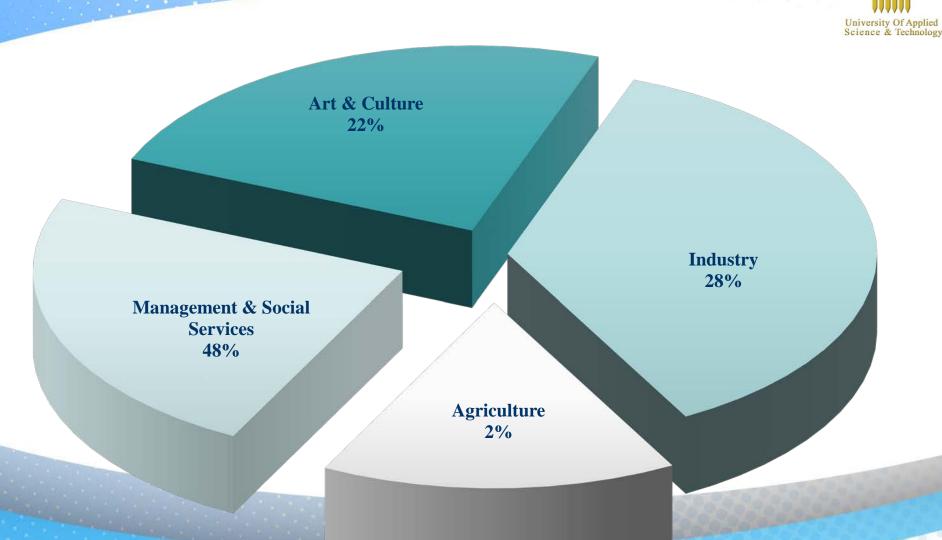
Skill Module





Degree Programs

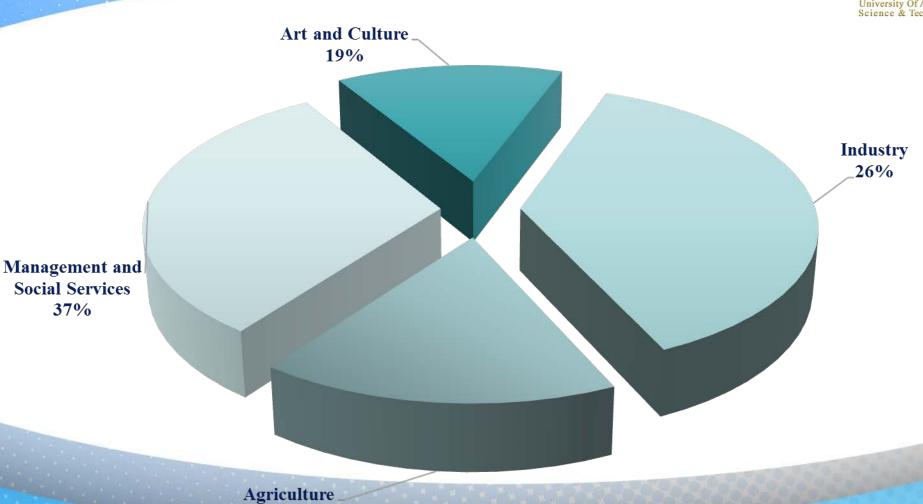






Non-Degree Programs





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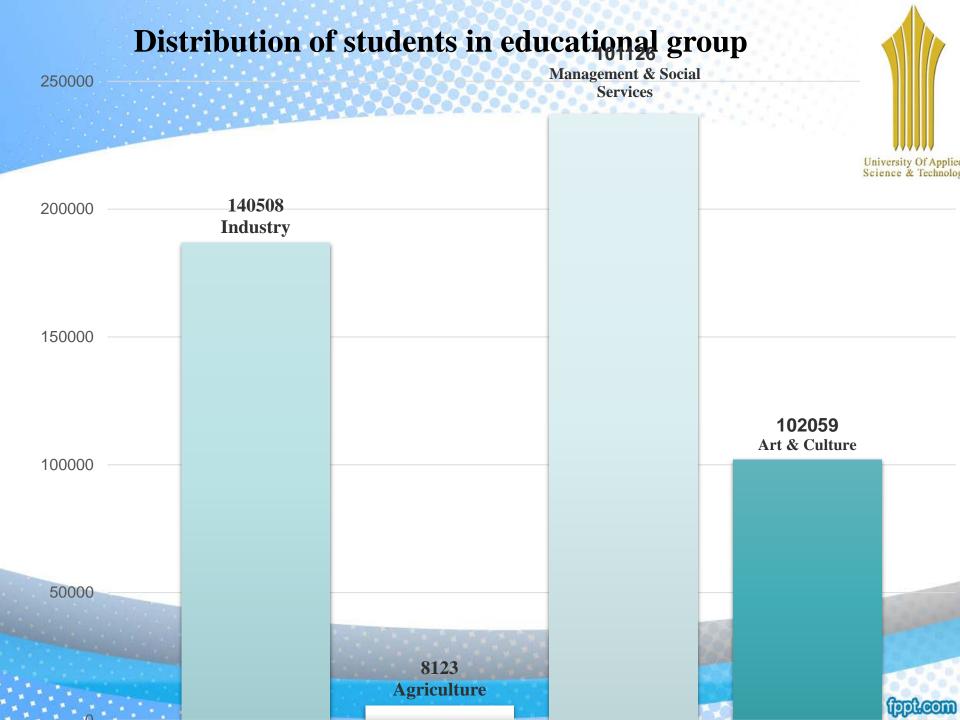


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Degree Programs			Programs				
	Type group	Industry	Management & Social Services	Art & Culture	Agriculture	Total	Percentage
	Associate	54875	94594	42858	3677	196004	58
	Bachelor	39489	66802	32577	2647	141515	42
	Master	1	0	0	0	1	0
	Total	94365	161396	75435	6324	337520	100
100	Percentage	28	48	22	2	100	

Non-Degree Programs



Type Group	Industry	Management & Social Services	Art & Culture	Agriculture	Total	Percentage
Module	94365	161396	75435	6324	337520	
Non- degree	11	50	55	14	130	23
Total	109	212	156	91	568	100
Percentage	19	38	27	16	100	



Types of Affiliation of Applied Science Institutes & Centers



Type of Affiliation	Private Centers	Public Centers	Affiliated centers/institutes	Industrial centers	Other centers	Total
Number of Institutes & Centers	287	217	23	23	50	600



Geospatial Distribution of UAST Centers





Quick Facts about UAST (2018)



Enrolled Students	337520
Lecturers	54726
Graduates Since 1992	1556649



Academic Staff Statistics in 2017



Academic Group	Prof. Dr.	PhD	Master
Sum	596	3068	47075
Total	50739		



Foreign Students Statistics - 2017



Row	Country	Number
1	Iraq	61
2	Afghanistan	207
3	Pakistan	4
4	Others	6
	Total = 298	



UAST Deputies of Vice-President, Education



- Lectures and Trainers Affairs
- Educational Services
- Educational Planning
- Graduated Affairs



UAST Deputies of Vice-President, Supervision



Supervision & Evaluation

Assessment & Examination

Professional Qualification

Coordination among Provinces



UAST Deputies of Vice-President, Research and Technology



Research and Technology Affairs

ICT Sector

Publication

Industry Relations and Entrepreneurs



UAST Deputies of Vice-President, Cultural and Students Affairs



Cultural & Social Office

Cultural & Students Office

Physical Education Office

Quran Center



Selected Top Research Achievements

Electric Wheelchair





Wire Rope Hanker

Elevator Engine



Automatic Elevator Door



Selected Top Research Achievements (Cont.)

Single Phase Elevator

Power Supply: Solar Panels









Brushless Control Board



Hospital Bed



The Share of Employment in Major Sectors of the Job



Year	Industry (%)	Agriculture (%)	Management & Social Services (%)
2012	34.7	16.1	49.2
2013	34.4	16.9	48.7
2014	34.5	17.5	48
2015	33.6	19	47.4
2016	34.6	17	48.7
2017	34.5	17.5	48







		Science & Icer
Row	Country	University / Research Center
1	Iraq	Salahaddin University
2	¬	Sulaimani University
3	¬	Sulaimani Polytechnic University
4	7	Almostafa Universal University
5	¬	The Middle Technical University
6	7	Mad Oil Institute
7	¬	Koya University
8	Turkey	Izmir University
9	¬	Ege University
10	٦	Mustafa Kemal University

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Row	Country	University	versity On
11	Turkey	Ahi Evran University	
12	٦	Artvin Coruh University	
13	П	Kahraman Maras University	
14	٦	Ardahan University	
15	Republic of Ireland	Dublin Institute of Technology	
16	China	Xiamen University	
17	Kenia	Pwani University	
18	North Cyprus	Near East University	
19	¬	University of Kyrenia	
20	The Netherlands	Saxion University of Applied Science & Technology	
21	Germany	DBHW	ÎD!

INCUBATORS OF TECHNOLOGY CLUSTERS NETWORK



Incubators of Technology Clusters Network is a set of interrelated Incubators in different areas with joint activities which physically or electronically share their information, facilities and achievements.

So far, 12 UAST centers have succeeded in obtaining the preliminary license for establishing Incubators of Technology Clusters from the Ministry of Science, Research and Technology.





UAST Incubator Clusters



		Science & Technolog
Row	Center	
1	Tehran Elevator Incubator Cluster	
2	Damavand Elevator Incubator Cluster	
3	Karaj Sugar, Candy & Chocolate Incubator cluster	
4	Tehran Bread and Flour Incubator Cluster	
5	Tehran Social Security and Welfare Institute Incubate	or Cluster
6	Zanjan Biscuits Incubator Cluster	







UAST Incubator Clusters (Cont.)





7	Shiraz Industries Incubator Cluster

- 8 Mazandaran Fish Incubator Cluster
- 9 Isfahan Gaz, Candy and Chocolate Incubator Cluster
- 10 Isfahan Stone Incubator Cluster
- 11 Isfahan Home Appliance Incubator Cluster

12 Kerman Precious Stones, Turquoise Incubator Cluster





Some UAST Workshops

Welding Workshop





Milling Machine Workshop

Mechanics Workshop



Some UAST Workshops

Elevator Workshop

Casting Workshop





Strength of Materials Lab.





Art Gallery

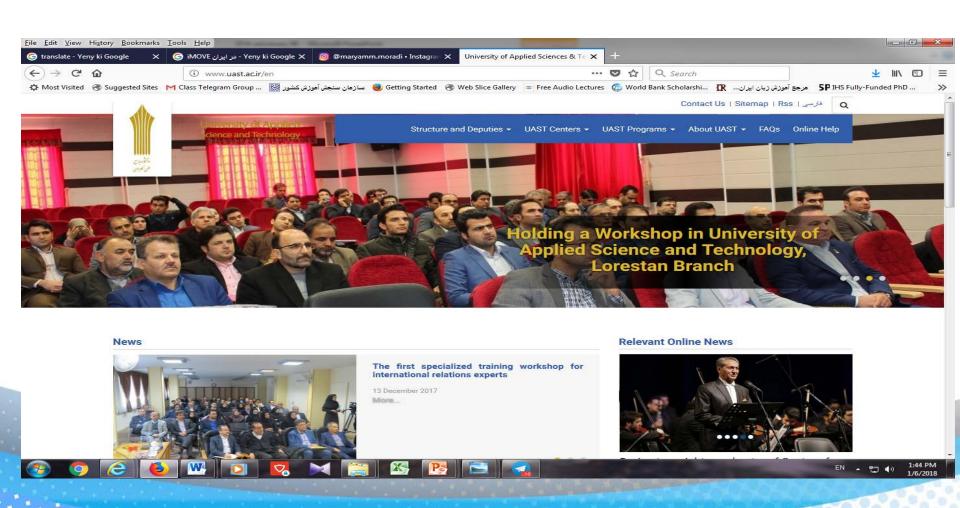




Activities undertaken by the International and Scientific Cooperation Office of the UAST:



UAST website http://www.uast.ac.ir/en



UAST International Catalogue

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Establishment of the International Center for Vocational Higher Education and Training of the University of Applied Science and Technology (UAST) in Collaboration with Germany (Under Negotiation)







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