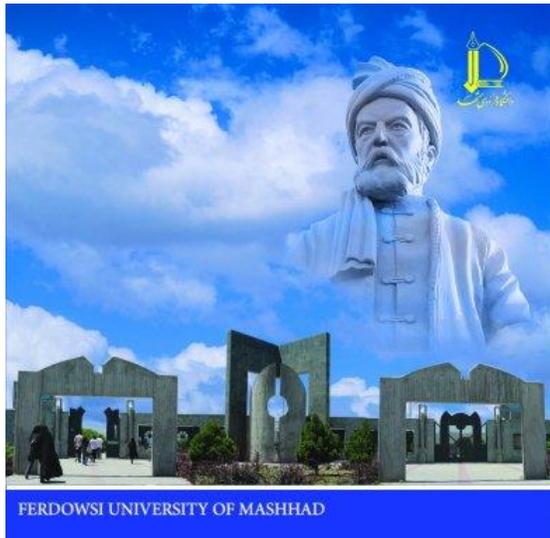

Collaboration between Ferdowsi University of Mashhad and German Universities In Humanities and Social Sciences

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An Introduction to Ferdowsi University of Mashhad (FUM)

Ranked 1 for International Collaborations 2016-2017

- Established in 1949, named after great epic poet and scholar *Ferdowsi*, the creator of “*Epic of Kings*”
- Ranked 3 amongst the top 5 Comprehensive Universities
- *Third oldest university in Iran and largest in the Northeast Iran .*



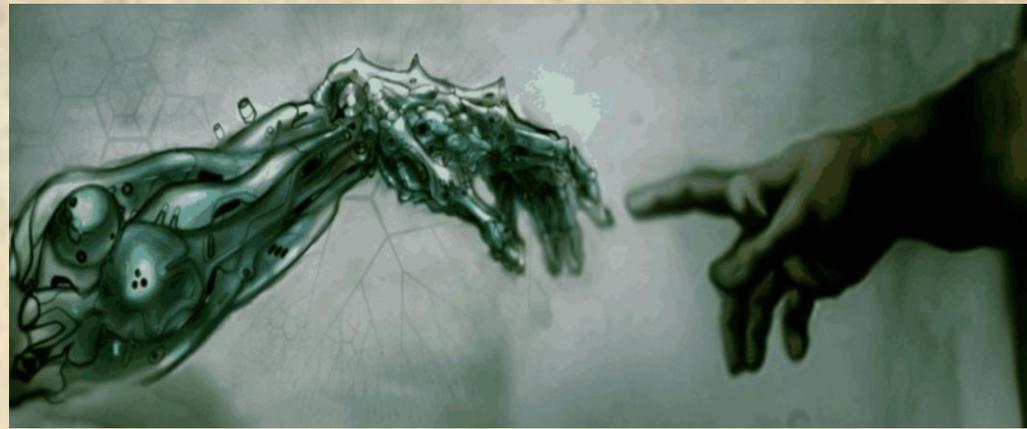
FUM in Numbers

- **Number of students: 23000**
- **Number of International Students: 1500**
- **Academic Staff: 850**
- **Fields of Study: 180**
- **Faculties: 13**
- **Centers of Excellence: 7**
- **Research Centers: 30**
- **Research Schools: 5**
- **Journals: 30**

International student admission

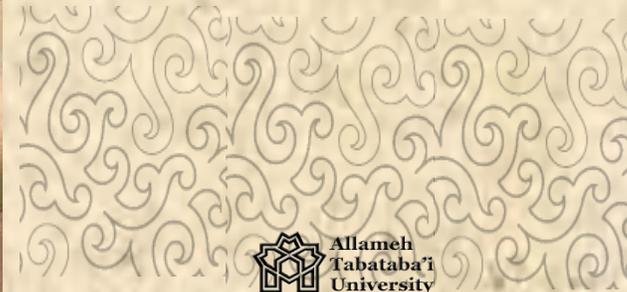
- Iranian government scholarship
- Fee paying degree students
- Exchange on MOU
- International Student Mobility Programs





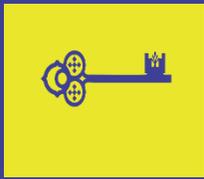
- IAU
- FUIW
- IICAS
- Erasmus Mundus
- Erasmus +

Membership in International Networks



Joint Programs

- Dual PhD. with Gent University Belgium
- Dual PhD degree in Management with University of Warsaw, Poland



Future Programs



- To start E-Learning based Msc. Program for Afghanistan from next session



- Dual degree PhD programs with European universities (to start with dual PhD with Sorbonne – Nouvele on French literature



- MSc with University of Moscow on Russian literature



Faculty of Theology and Islamic Studies

Founded in 1958, Faculty of Theology and Islamic Studies has enjoyed a long history at FUM providing a wide range of programs, including BA and several specialized MA and PhD programs.

Study of Islam and other religious traditions in areas of Qur'an and Hadith, Philosophy, Jurisprudence and Law, Theology, Mysticism, and History and Civilization. While the Faculty maintains its historic strengths in teaching and research in the fields of Islamic Theology, it is now a major Iranian center for interdisciplinary approaches to Qur'an and Hadith, comparative studies of world religions and mysticism, Comparative study of Western and Islamic Philosophy, joint secular law and Islamic jurisprudence, and the role of religion in public life.

Departments	Programs
Studies of the Qur'an and Hadith	B.A., M.A., Ph.D.
Comparative Religions and Mysticism	B.A., M.A., Ph.D.
History and Civilization of Islam	B.A., M.A., Ph.D.
Islamic Jurisprudence and law	B.A.M.A, Ph.D.
Islamic Philosophy	B.A., M.A., Ph.D.
Islamic Sciences and Theology	M.A., Ph.D.

Faculty of Letters and Humanities

Founded in 1950, Dr. Shariati Faculty of Letters and Humanities offers B.A., M.A., and Ph.D. programs.

103 academic members, 1450 B.A, 950 M.A, and 285 Ph.D. students. Dept. of Persian Language and Literature is considered as a Center of Excellence in Ferdowsi Studies. Also English, French, Arabic and Russian language and Literature, History, Geography, Linguistics and Social Sciences.

Major	Available Programs
Persian Language & Literature	B.A., M.A., Ph.D.
Arabic Language & Literature	B.A., M.A., Ph.D.
Linguistics	M.A., Ph.D.
Social Sciences	B.A., M.A., Ph.D.
Geography	B.A., M.A., Ph.D.
English Language & Literature	B.A., M.A.
French Language & Literature	B.A., M.A.
History	B.A., M.A.
Russian Language & Literature	B.A

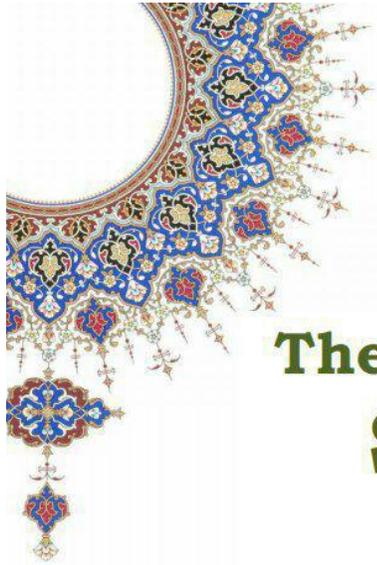
Faculty of Economics and Business Administration

Founded in 1987, the Faculty of Economics and Business Administration currently has 80 faculty members and 2100 students in Economic Science, Law, Accounting, Political Science, and Management studying at 5 departments namely Economics, Law, Accounting, Political Science, and Management.

Major	Program
Economic Sciences-Business Economics	B.A.
Economic Sciences-Theoretical Economics	B.A.
Economic Sciences	M.A., Ph.D.
Economic Development and Planning	M.A.
Business Management	B.A., M.A.
Accounting	B.A., M.A.
Law	B.A.
Public Management	B.A.
Political Science	B.A.

Academic ties with German Uni.s so far

1. Tubingen University
2. Paderborn University
3. Network of Marburg and 3 Iranian Universities under DAAD



The Hermeneutics of Scripture & Tradition

An Academic Workshop

in Collaboration with
Institut für Katholische Theologie
Paderborn University
Germany

21-23 February 2017
Ferdowsi University of Mashhad
Faculty of Theology

Limited seats available for students and scholars

The working language of the workshop is English.

For free registration contact us at

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Deadline: Thursday, 16 Feb 2017





Natural Resource Management and Sustainable Development Summer School

Tarbiat Modares University, Tehran, Iran

24th August – 7th September, 2016



Natural Resource Management and Life Satisfaction

Winter School

Center for Near and Middle Eastern Studies (CNMS),

Philipps-Universität Marburg, Germany

14th November – 28th November, 2016



Platforms for joint seminars

- A joint funded project, “Political Economy of Natural Resource Management”, Conducting by Center for Near and Middle Eastern Studies (CNMS) at Philipps-Universität Marburg in cooperation with University of Tehran, Tarbiat Modares University, and Ferdowsi University of Mashhad

Future works with German Universities in Humanities

- Identity in public space (with Frankfurt Uni.)
- Applicability of academic research activities in humanities and social sciences (German and Iranian Uni.s) in Society
- Identity in public space (The importance of identity in today Religious, Cultural, Social etc.) considering the migrants and refugees entering EU
- The possibility of a fruitful Integration in different cultural background (include the city) representation of minority culture in public space including city media, literature and all different institutions.
- Voice of Women in the literature.

In Theology

- Comparative study of Hermeneutics
- Shia version of Islamic Theology
- Peace and coexistences against Extremism and violence from a religious view in all religions.

Joint Seminars and Schools

Visiting Agreement

- **Visiting** opportunities for graduate students and **Sabbatical** opportunities for professors
- **Persian language and Culture Program at FUM International Center for Teaching Persian to Non-Persian Speakers**

