

Western's International Research Collaborating Institutions 2013-2017

In the period 2013-2017, institutions in nine countries had the most intensive student mobility activity and research publication collaborations, with Western – and the ranked list is in the table below. Those that have existing agreements with Western are marked with an asterisk. Also identified, are institutions that are members of regional groupings of leading research-oriented universities. The regional groupings are as follows: China's C-9 Consortium (CC9), Leading European Research Universities (LERU), The Association of East Asian Research Universities (AEARU), Association of American Universities (AAU), The Russell Group (RG), Association of Commonwealth Universities (ACU) and Australia's Go8 (Go8). Western is a member of Canada's U-15 Group of Canadian Research Universities. Each institution's 2019 QS world universities ranking (WUR) is indicated.

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* Fudan University WUR: 44 CC9 and AEARU member	Universite de Lorraine WUR: 701-750	Free University of Berlin WUR: 130	*Seoul National University WUR: 36 AEARU member	*University of Groningen WUR: 120	*City University of London WUR: 351 ACU member	Harvard University WUR: 3 AAU member	*University of Sydney - AUS WUR: 42 Go8 and ACU member
* Sun Yat-sen University WUR: 295 CC9 member	Universite Sorbonne WUR: 75 LERU member	Humboldt University WUR: 121	*Korea University WUR: 86	*Erasmus University of Rotterdam WUR: 179	University College London WUR: 10 LERU, RG and ACU member	University of California – San Diego WUR: 41 AAU member	University of Melbourne - AUS WUR: 39 Go8 and ACU member
* Central South University WUR: 801-1000	Universite Lille-Nord-de France WUR: 651-700	Charite Medical University WUR: 90	Kyung Hee University WUR: 264	Wageningen University WUR: 125	Oxford University WUR: 5 LERU, RG and ACU member	University of California – Los Angeles WUR: 32 AAU member	*Monash University - AUS WUR: 59 Go8 member
* Nanjing University WUR: 122 CC9 and AEARU member	*Universite de Paris Diderot WUR: 295	Ruprecht Karls University Heidelberg WUR: 64	*Yonsei University WUR: 107	*University of Amsterdam WUR: 57 LERU member	University of Cambridge WUR: 6 LERU, RG and ACU member	University of California – San Francisco WUR: Ranked #5 for Pharmacy and Pharmacology only	*University of Western Australia WUR: 91 Go8 member
* Peking University WUR: 30 CC9 and AEARU member	Universite de Lille WUR: 651-700	Ulm University WUR: 332	*Soonchunhyang University Asian University Ranking: 301-350	*Radboud University WUR: 204	Imperial College London WUR: 8 LERU and RG member	*University of California Irvine WUR: 169 AAU member	*University of New South Wales - AUS WUR: 45 Go8 and ACU member
* University of Science & Technology of China (Chinese Academy of Sciences) WUR: 98 CC9 and AEARU member	*Universite Grenoble Alpes WUR: 289	*Technical University of Munich WUR: 61	University of Ulsan WUR: 501-510	Utrecht University WUR: 124 LERU member	*University of Birmingham WUR: 79 RG and ACU Member	Stanford University WUR: 2 AAU member	University of Queensland - AUS WUR: 48 Go8 member
University of the Chinese Academy of Science (Chinese Academy of Sciences) WUR: 51 – 100	Universite Paris Sud - Paris 11 WUR: 239 LERU member	University of Bielefeld WUR: 701-750	Pusan National University WUR: 501-510	*Maastricht University WUR: 211	*University of Southampton WUR: 96 RG and ACU member	University of Pennsylvania WUR: 19 AAU member	University of Adelaide -AUS WUR: 114 Go8 and ACU member

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*Wuhan University WUR: 257	*Universite de Toulouse WUR: 78	*Karlsruhe Institute of Technology WUR: 116		*Leiden University WUR: 122 LERU member	University of Leicester WUR: 223 ACU member	Columbia University WUR: 16 AAU member	*Australian National University WUR: 24 Go8 member
*Sichuan University WUR: 601-650	Universite de Rennes 1 WUR: 701-750	University of Hamburg WUR: 223			*Kings College London WUR: 31 RG and ACU member	Johns Hopkins University WUR: 21 AAU member	*Griffith University - AUS WUR: 329 ACU member
*Zhejiang University WUR: 68 CC9 member	*Universite de Tours WUR: 401 - 450	Eberhard Karls University WUR: 168			*Newcastle University - England WUR: 141 RG and ACU member	New York University WUR: 43 AAU member	*Flinders University – AUS WUR: 478
Suzhou University WUR: No QS ranking		*Dresden University of Technology WUR: 191			*Queen Mary University London WUR: 119 RG member	University of Alabama Birmingham WUR: 199	James Cook University – AUS WUR: 369
*Nanchang University WUR: No QS ranking		Justus Liebig University Giessen WUR: 551-560			*University of East Anglia WUR: 269	Northwestern University WUR: 34 AAU member	University of Newcastle -AUS WUR: 214 ACU member
*Shanghai University (CAS) WUR: 422		University of Gottingen WUR: 197			*University of Sheffield WUR: 75 RG and ACU member	Yale University WUR: 15 AAU member	Western Sydney University – AUS WUR: 498 ACU member
*Tsinghua University WUR: 17 CC9 and AEARU member		University of Freiburg WUR: 186 LERU member			*University of Manchester WUR: 29 RG and ACU member	Duke University WUR: 26 AAU member	*La Trobe University – AUS WUR: 397
*Huazhong University of Science & Technology WUR: 415					*University of Exeter WUR: 154 RG and ACU member	University of North Carolina WUR: 83 AAU member	*Deakin University – AUS WUR: 309
Tianjin Normal University WUR: No QS Ranking					*University of Edinburgh - Scotland WUR: 18 LERU, RG and ACU member	University of Pittsburgh WUR: 136 AAU member	*University of Auckland -NZ WUR: 85 ACU member
*Beijing Normal University WUR: 292					*University of Aberdeen - Scotland WUR: 172	University of Michigan WUR: 20 AAU member	*University of Otago – NZ WUR: 175 ACU member

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* China University of Geosciences WUR: 101 – 150 (Ranked for Earth and Marine Scie. only)					*Heriot Watt University - Scotland WUR: 302 ACU member	University of Chicago WUR: 9 AAU member	*Auckland University of Technology -NZ WUR: 464 ACU member
* Harbin Institute of Technology WUR: 285 CC9 member					*University of Glasgow WUR: 69 RG and ACU member	Cornell University WUR: 14 AAU member	*University of Canterbury - NZ WUR: 231 ACU member
* Soochow University WUR: 201 -250 (Ranked for Material Scie. only)					University of Dundee - Scotland WUR: 272	University of Utah WUR: 345	Massey University - NZ WUR: 332 ACU member
					*University of St Andrews WUR: 97	University of Minnesota WUR: 156 AAU member	*Victoria University Wellington -NZ WUR: 221 ACU member
					*Swansea University - Scotland WUR: 435 ACU member	California Institute of Technology WUR: 4 AAU member	
					*Cardiff University WUR: 145 RG and ACU member		
					*Bangor University - Wales WUR: 435		
					Aberystwyth University - Wales WUR:432		
					Queens University Belfast WUR: 180 RG and ACU member		
					Ulster University – N. Ireland WUR: 601-650 ACU member		