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2005 rank	2004 rank	Name	Country	Peer review score (40%)	Recruiter review (10%)	Int'l faculty score (5%)	Int'l students score (5%)	Faculty/student score (20%)	Citations/faculty score (20%)	Overall score
1	1	Harvard University	US	100	100	17	23	21	57	100
2	3	Massachusetts Institute of Technology	US	84	87	12	41	16	53	86.9
3	6	Cambridge University	UK	96	73	65	34	20	16	85.8
4	5	Oxford University	UK	93	70	58	37	23	15	83.9
5	7	Stanford University	US	78	95	10	30	12	56	83.4
6	2	University of California, Berkeley	US	95	62	7	13	7	39	80.6
7	8	Yale University	US	71	43	52	27	42	19	72.7
8	4	California Institute of Technology	US	48	2	27	41	26	100	71.5
9	9	Princeton University	US	69	32	22	30	20	31	64.8
10	27	Ecole Polytechnique	France	37	17	47	36	100	4	61.5
11=	52	Duke University	US	36	79	24	20	66	10	59.1
11=	11	London School of Economics	UK	43	86	99	100	20	1	59.1
13	14	Imperial College London	UK	59	15	63	51	34	10	59
14	23	Cornell University	US	56	71	11	19	17	23	58.1
15	17	Beijing University	China	71	37	7	4	26	0	56.3
16	12	Tokyo University	Japan	73	2	2	12	19	17	55.1
17=	20	University of California, San Francisco	US	24	0	4	6	91	44	54.9
17=	13	University of Chicago	US	52	47	29	29	27	16	54.9
19	22	Melbourne University	Australia	66	27	53	36	9	7	54.5
20	19	Columbia University	US	56	36	11	32	25	17	53.9
21	10	ETH Zurich	Switzerland	49	7	98	35	37	8	53.5
22	18	National University of Singapore	Singapore	62	12	94	45	8	7	53
23	16	Australian National University	Australia	64	8	52	33	13	13	52.9
24=	30	Ecole Normale Supérieure, Paris	France	38	23	26	23	65	9	51.6
24=	21	McGill University	Canada	52	48	33	31	23	8	51.6
26	15	University of Texas at Austin	US	47	29	9	15	7	54	51.5
27	25	Johns Hopkins University	US	50	14	17	20	21	32	50.2
28	34	University College London	UK	46	19	45	46	30	10	48.4
29	37	University of Toronto	Canada	51	34	40	14	6	22	47.8
30	48	Edinburgh University	UK	48	47	33	28	15	10	47.7
31	29	Kyoto University	Japan	57	2	20	9	28	10	47.5
32	28	Pennsylvania University	US	42	41	20	25	28	15	47.3
33	33	Monash University	Australia	55	19	54	49	7	5	46.5
34	32	Ecole Polytech Fédérale de Lausanne	Switzerland	22	3	95	65	64	3	45
35	43	Manchester University & Umist	UK	43	50	47	23	18	6	44.8
36	31	University of Michigan	US	46	32	17	19	17	15	43.9
37	26	University of California, Los Angeles	US	52	6	2	11	12	24	43.3
38=	46	University of British Columbia	Canada	47	12	63	18	6	17	42.6
38=	40	Sydney University	Australia	53	4	53	31	7	8	42.6
40	36	University of New South Wales	Australia	50	12	53	34	11	4	42.5
41	39	Hong Kong University	Hong Kong	43	19	82	21	17	4	42
42	24	University of California, San Diego	US	43	0	3	9	10	43	41.9
43	42	Hong Kong University Sci & Technol	Hong Kong	43	12	93	28	7	11	41.8
44	38	Carnegie Mellon University	US	37	33	34	40	18	10	40.5
45	47	Heidelberg University	Germany	47	12	11	28	14	11	39.6
46	73	Northwestern University	US	28	66	4	20	20	16	39.1
47	49	Queensland University	Australia	46	8	53	24	8	7	38.5
48	50	Nanyang Technological University	Singapore	38	12	95	53	7	2	38.2
49	91	Bristol University	UK	28	63	40	25	13	10	37.2
50	41	Indian Institutes of Technology	India	44	11	1	1	10	20	37
51	84	Chinese University of Hong Kong	Hong Kong	37	12	73	17	14	6	36.4

52	67	Auckland University	<sup>NEW</sup> Zealand	45	0	20	25	18	2	35.8
53	78	Delft University of Technology	Netherlands	35	3	55	17	25	3	35
54	75	Boston University	US	41	3	10	22	16	10	34.9
55	99	Munich University	Germany	39	24	11	21	11	8	34.8
56	79	New York University	US	36	15	5	18	24	6	34.4
57	64	Erasmus University Rotterdam	Netherlands	27	32	19	13	5	31	34
58=	109	Washington University, St Louis	US	25	14	6	17	28	22	33.7
58=	98	Amsterdam University	Netherlands	36	14	18	18	12	14	33.7
58=	35	University of Illinois	US	39	16	12	16	11	9	33.7
61	59	Purdue University	US	36	28	25	20	8	8	33.6
62=	129	Helsinki University	Finland	39	15	12	5	16	7	33.4
62=	61	Tsing Hua University	China	42	4	25	10	18	1	33.4
64	130	Pennsylvania State University	US	34	21	2	1	11	21	33.3
65	94	Vienna University	Austria	40	3	26	26	4	14	33.1
66	63	Copenhagen University	Denmark	39	13	20	4	15	5	32.8
67	68	Macquarie University	Australia	34	22	53	42	4	5	32.7
68	45	Massachusetts University	US	38	0	1	12	7	23	32.5
69	-	IEP Sciences Po, Paris	France	19	16	25	50	43	-	32.2
70	83	Eindhoven University of Technology	Netherlands	20	3	33	7	54	2	32
71	61	Brown University	US	27	6	39	19	19	16	31.9
72	195	Fudan University	China	35	26	13	6	17	1	31.3
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73=	86	Rochester University	US	24	9	10	24	32	13	31.1
73=	66	University Wisconsin-Madison	US	36	0	0	14	17	11	31.1
76	-	Brussels Free University (French)	Belgium	29	3	31	41	20	6	30.9
77=	93	Hebrew University of Jerusalem	Israel	36	0	5	13	5	22	30.8
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83	128	Durham University	UK	24	38	46	22	9	9	30
84	-	Indian Institutes of Management	India	33	24	2	7	21	-	29.9
85	-	Zurich University	Switzerland	22	0	65	22	29	5	29.6
86	77	Vienna Technical University	Austria	33	7	31	32	11	3	29.5
87	113	University of Technology, Sydney	Australia	35	4	53	37	4	1	29.4
88=	-	Geneva University	Switzerland	12	3	93	57	29	7	29.2
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88=	-	Catholic University of Leuven (French)	Belgium	32	5	17	26	9	12	29.2
92	-	Ecole Normale Supérieure, Lyon	France	16	0	30	18	39	16	29.1
93=	154	China University of Sci & Technology	China	33	4	6	0	27	1	28.9
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97	170	Nottingham University	UK	22	38	39	30	10	6	28.7
98	142	La Trobe University	Australia	34	0	53	26	6	3	28.6
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103=	44	School of Oriental and African Studies	UK	20	2	51	74	23	-	28.2
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105=	95	Technical University Munich	Germany	27	12	11	30	16	9	28
105=	69	Osaka University	Japan	28	0	7	8	23	12	28
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117	138	Dartmouth College	US	19	19	15	16	21	15	27.1
118	-	Queensland University of Technology	Australia	34	0	53	21	3	2	27
119	151	Liverpool University	UK	25	14	35	21	11	8	26.9
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124	180	University of Southern California	US	25	12	7	28	17	9	26.6
125=	162	La Sapienza University, Rome	Italy	39	0	5	5	4	5	26.5
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129	167	Nagoya University	Japan	21	0	9	13	35	6	26.3
130	103	Bath University	UK	18	35	47	34	7	7	26.2
131	132	University Louis Pasteur Strasbourg	France	24	3	25	35	11	12	26.1
132	177	Université de Montréal	Canada	25	6	55	11	5	13	26
133=	-	Lausanne University	Switzerland	17	2	53	26	27	6	25.9
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133=	-	HEC Paris	France	15	46	77	30	8	-	25.9
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141	173	Emory University	US	16	15	1	12	30	13	25.5
142	157	Frankfurt University	Germany	33	0	11	17	7	6	25.3
143=	160	Korea Advanced Inst of Sci and Tech	South Korea	26	0	22	4	7	19	25.2
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147=	-	Hiroshima University	Japan	26	0	7	8	25	4	25.1
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149	166	University of Alberta	Canada	24	2	52	11	13	7	25
150=	192	Nanjing University	China	34	0	12	5	11	1	24.8
150=	-	St Gallen University	Switzerland	2	14	85	59	37	-	24.8
150=	146	Rice University	US	20	5	14	23	19	14	24.8
150=	82	University of Minnesota	US	25	3	10	12	8	19	24.8
154=	-	University of South Australia	Australia	27	0	53	49	4	1	24.7
154=	145	Technical University of Denmark	Denmark	23	0	21	24	10	15	24.7
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157=	123	Maastricht University	Netherlands	16	5	39	44	20	7	24.5
159=	186	Bologna University	Italy	34	0	7	9	7	3	24.4
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159=	143	University of Waterloo	Canada	21	11	75	13	9	5	24.4
159=	72	University of California, Santa Barbara	US	24	0	10	6	6	23	24.4
163	107	Colorado University	US	23	0	17	7	17	13	24.3
164	104	Tufts University	US	15	11	13	18	16	22	24.2
165	164	Innsbruck University	Austria	21	0	44	47	8	9	24
166=	161	Tasmania University	Australia	24	0	53	29	6	5	23.8
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168	179	Newcastle upon Tyne University	UK	17	20	34	32	13	7	23.6

169=	-	Shanghai Jiao Tong University	China	25	26	15	5	10	0	23.5
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169=	89	Malaya University	Malaysia	33	0	12	7	8	1	23.5
172=	-	Free University Berlin	Germany	28	0	11	17	9	6	23.3
172=	-	Kobe University	Japan	24	5	9	9	21	3	23.3
172=	184	Aachen RWTH	Germany	25	12	11	24	11	4	23.3
175=	136	State Univ of New York, Stony Brook	US	24	0	7	15	11	15	23.2
175=	90	Alabama University	US	18	0	4	7	7	32	23.2
177	191	Nijmegen University	Netherlands	17	3	38	11	25	5	23.1
178	198	City University of Hong Kong	Hong Kong	19	0	100	9	8	4	22.7
179	-	Notre Dame University	US	18	24	17	14	13	8	22
180=	-	Toulouse 1	France	18	0	25	32	26	0	22.5
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183	159	Madrid Autonomous University	Spain	29	0	5	9	9	6	22.2
184=	-	Korea University	South Korea	28	0	7	2	15	1	22.1
184=	147	McMaster University	Canada	18	8	10	16	7	21	22.1
186=	-	Free University of Amsterdam	Netherlands	17	3	32	14	13	13	22
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188=	-	Tel Aviv University	Israel	25	0	1	1	5	18	21.9
188=	108	Massey University	New Zealand	23	0	62	20	5	2	21.9
190	-	Gothenburg University	Sweden	14	0	27	2	1	37	21.8
191	-	University of Western Ontario	Canada	11	46	28	12	6	13	21.7
192	-	Jawaharlal Nehru University	India	29	0	3	6	10	3	21.5
193	-	Pittsburgh University	US	15	0	23	10	23	11	21.3
194=	176	Helsinki University of Technology	Finland	22	0	11	11	20	2	21.1
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196=	-	São Paulo University	Brazil	28	0	10	3	8	3	21
196=	122	Royal Institute of Technology	Sweden	19	0	54	22	9	5	21
198	-	Showa University	Japan	8	0	7	19	45	3	20.9
199=	-	University of Florence	Italy	28	0	6	5	5	6	20.8
199=	-	George Washington University	US	22	9	5	14	13	4	20.8
199=	-	Wake Forest University	US	12	8	3	6	28	11	20.8

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