Stellenbosch University SOUTH AFRICA





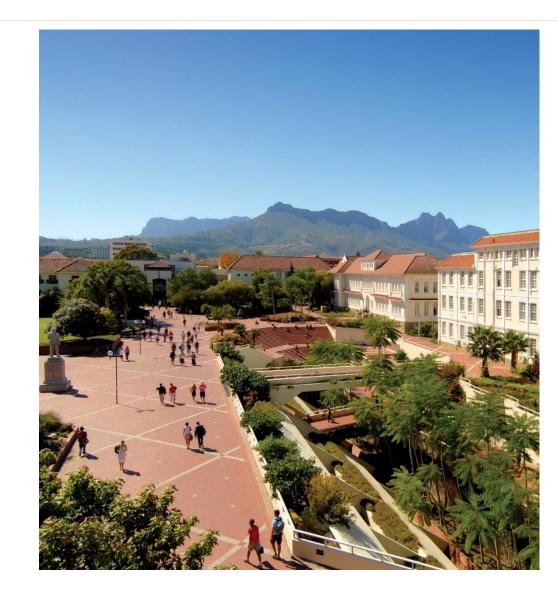




Our history



Stellenbosch University (SU) is rooted in Africa and global in its reach. Over the past century, it has grown into a leading research-intensive university on the African continent, globally recognised as excellent, inclusive and innovative and where knowledge is advanced in service of society.



Our vision

Our mission

Stellenbosch University will be Africa's leading research-intensive university, globally recognised as excellent, inclusive and innovative, where we advance knowledge in service of society.

Stellenbosch University is a research-intensive university, where we attract outstanding students, employ talented staff and provide a world-class environment; a place connected to the world, while enriching and transforming local, continental and global communities.

SU in numbers





32 535
undergraduate, occasional and postgraduate students



3 400 academic and professional, and support service staff



IOFaculties



454position in QS Global
World Rankings 2023



25 I – 300thposition on Times Higher Education
World University Rankings (2022)



Strategic framework



Strategic Framework 2019–2024 articulates our vision, mission and strategic choices, and provides a broad framework within which the University positions itself as a leading research-intensive university. It accentuates the critical review of our approach to research, teaching and learning, social impact, as well as our processes throughout the University to attain the goals articulated in the framework. Our core strategic themes are:













Internationalisation at SU



"An institutional commitment to intentionally and comprehensively integrate an international, intercultural and global dimension into the purpose, functions and programmes for all SU students and staff in order to advance the quality and impact of learning and teaching, research and innovation, in meaningful service of society."

This comprehensive institutional imperative can be captured by using eight dimensions.





Academic programmes dimension

Reputation dimension

Engagement dimension

Student dimension

Staff and postdoctoral fellows dimension

Innovation dimension

International Collaboration & Mobility Grant (IC&MG) 2022 – outgoing : SU Staff Globally



