



ORTA DOĞU TEKNİK ÜNİVERSİTESİ
MIDDLE EAST TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY



Mission

Attaining excellence in research, education and public service for society, humanity and nature, in an environment nurturing creative and critical thinking, innovation, leadership, and universal values.

Vision

A leading international university that transforms its region and the world.

International Mandate and Vision



Türkiye's
premier state research
university



Established with an
international mandate
and an international vision



English as the
medium of instruction
at ALL levels and degrees

Campuses

1956

Ankara

main campus



2000

Northern Cyprus Kalkanlı



1975

Mersin Erdemli

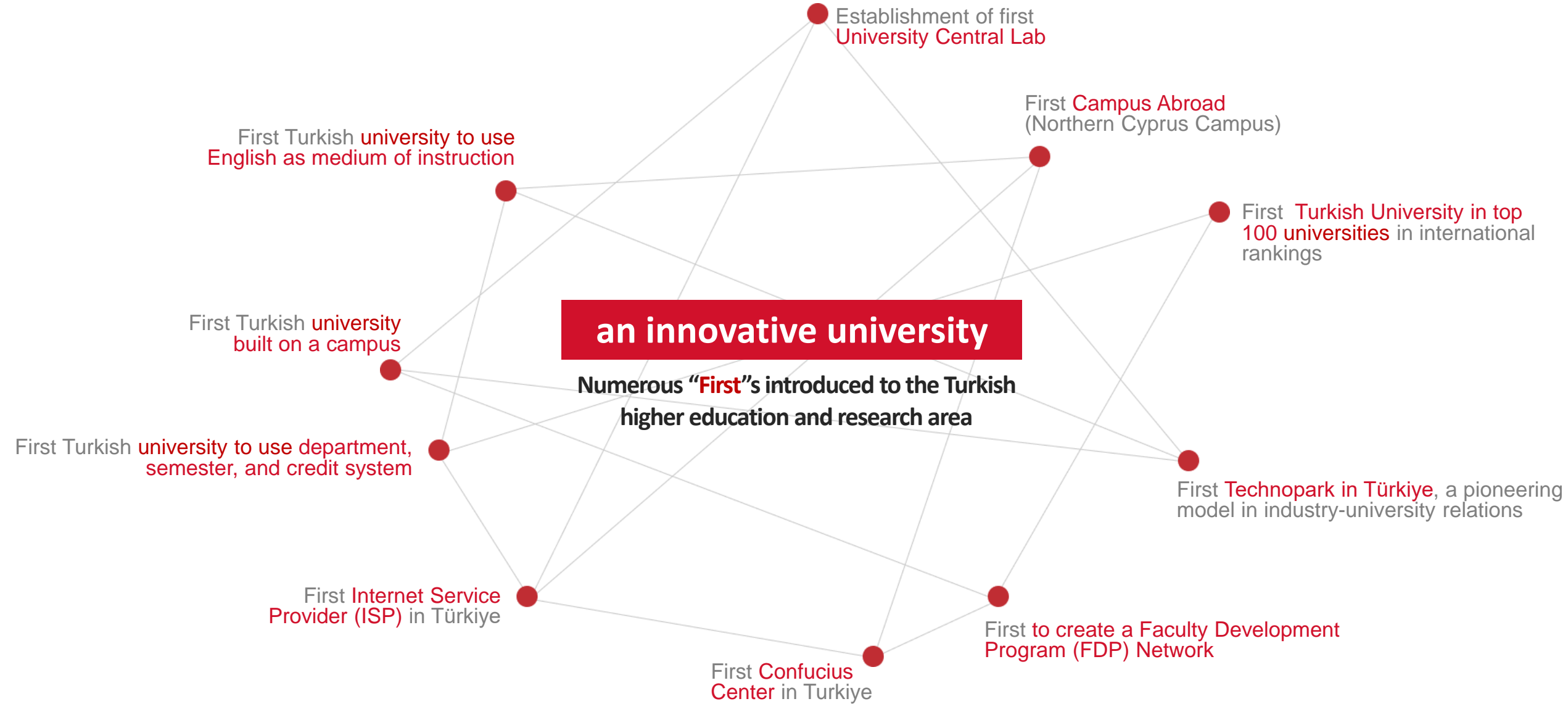


*Baku Campus at Türkiye
Azerbaijan University*

Baku



Strengths of METU



Campus



campus area

4500 hectares
(45 km²)



forest area

3043 hectares
(33 km²)



lake area

45 km²

In 1956, within the 45 km² granted, a lake (Lake Eymir) was also allocated to Middle East Technical University for use.



Student Life

65.800 m²
*indoor & outdoor
sports area*



41
sports teams



110
*student cultural
groups*





5 faculties

currently enrolled students lie within **the 1% - 5%** of 2.000.000+ applicants

for more information:



Architecture

3

Arts & Sciences

10

Economics & Administrative Sciences

6

Education

10

Engineering

METU is the 1st university receiving ABET accreditation in Türkiye. All engineering programs have ABET accreditation.

13

total undergraduate programs

42

5 graduate schools

for more information:



Graduate School of Natural and Applied Sciences

94

Graduate School of Social Sciences

59

Graduate School of Informatics

14

Graduate School of Applied Mathematics

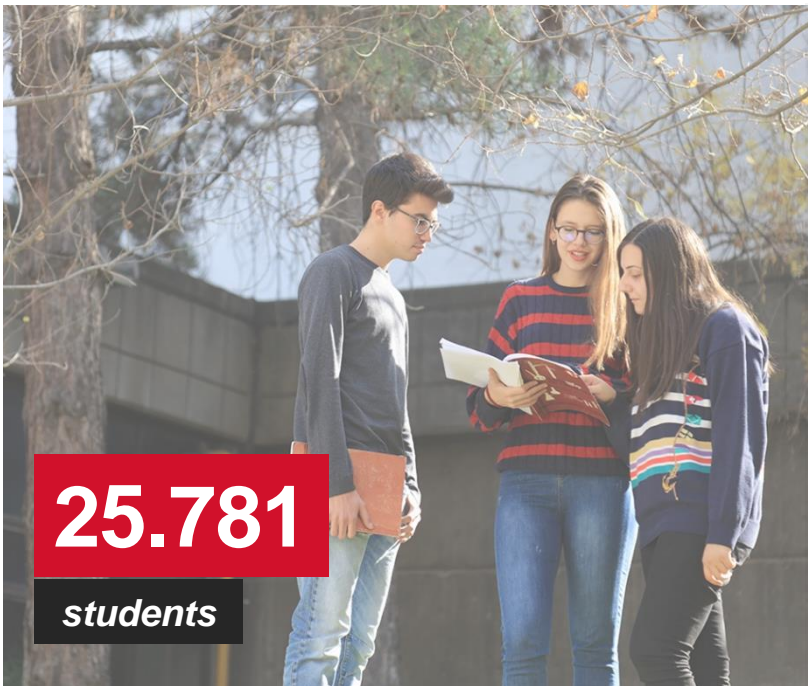
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Institute of Marine Sciences

6

total graduate programs

180



25.781

students



154.897

graduates since 1960

222

programs

42

undergraduate programs

109

master's programs

71

doctoral programs

16

accredited programs

47

interdisciplinary programs



~1500 international students

from 84 countries



1978

*academic personnel
as of 2024*



HR EXCELLENCE IN RESEARCH

682 faculty members

2446 administrative staff

378 professors

177 associate professors

127 assistant professors

344 lecturers and instructors

144 specialists

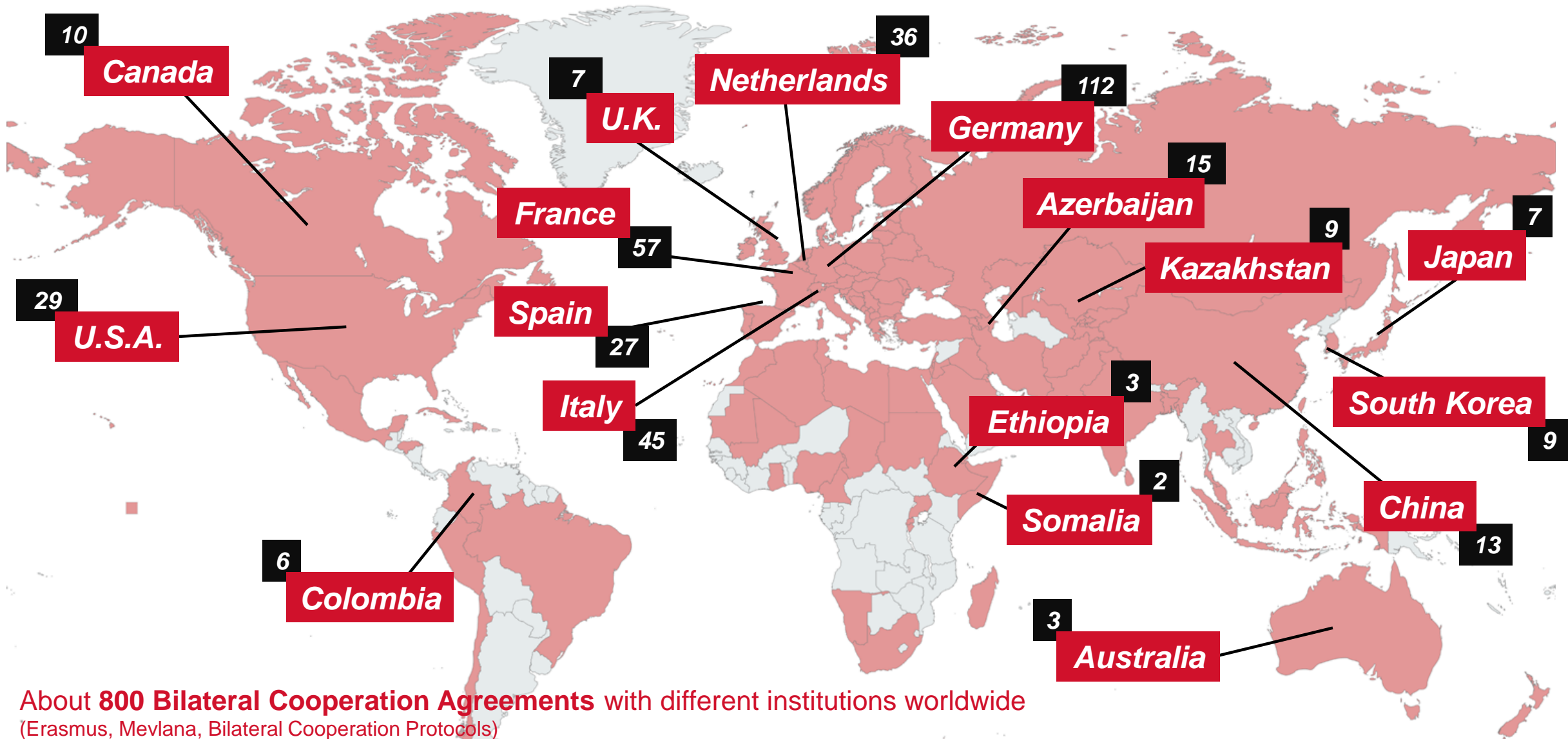
72 research assistants under article 35 (including OYP)

736 research assistants

31 international faculty members

METU is the first Turkish university to receive HR Logo, that is an important symbol for the international visibility and reliability of universities.





About **800 Bilateral Cooperation Agreements** with different institutions worldwide
(Erasmus, Mevlana, Bilateral Cooperation Protocols)

Each year, we send approximately **550 students** and **over 100 teaching/ administrative staff** abroad,
while hosting around **250 incoming students** and **50 teaching/administrative staff**
(an annual average of 1,000 participants in our mobility programs)

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QS 2025 World University Rankings by Subject

The sole **first place** in 7 subjects among universities in Türkiye and has been recognized as the top university in Türkiye across a total of 12 subjects.

Ranked 8th in Petroleum Engineering, placed in the top 100 in two subjects, the top 200 in nine subjects, the top 300 in 19 subjects, and the top 400 in 22 subjects.



Times Higher Education (THE) World University Rankings



METU becomes the only **Turkish** university listed in **(THE) World Reputation Rankings 2025**, placing in **201-300** band.

**METU ranks best
Turkish university in
8 fields in THE World
University Rankings
by Subject 2025**





ODTÜ-TEKNOKENT

The first Technopark in Türkiye

One of the most successful Technopark

Ranked first for seven times (2011 – 2024) by the Ministry of Industry and Technology

400+ technology companies, with over 70% founded within ODTÜ TEKNOKENT

170,000 m² of total indoor space across 3 campuses

13,000+ research personnel

USD 500 million in annual technology exports as of 2024

Research Potential

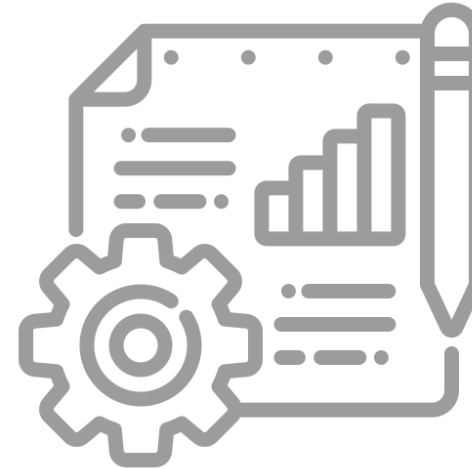


Selected as the **most successful research university** (among the 23) in the last **6 years** by CoHE (Council of Higher Education)

Approximately **25% of the annual budget** of the university is provided from competitive national and international research funds with its research and development activities.

185
BAP projects

362
revolving fund projects



310
TUBITAK projects

95
international cooperation projects

74.32 million USD

(~2.818.771.327 TL)
total project budget

Research



European Research Council
Established by the European Commission

METU is the only public university in Türkiye with **6 European Research Council (ERC) projects**.

METU ranked 1st in Horizon Europe with receiving the highest number of projects.

Laboratories

31+

research centers



549

research and training laboratories



Library

1.000.000+

resources



1.427.580

electronic books



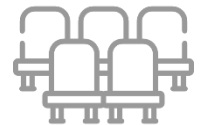
80.975

electronic journals



1.350

seating capacity of people



Interdisciplinary Research



*Center for Wind
Energy Research*



ROMER
Center for Robotics and Artificial Intelligence

*Center for Robotics and
Artificial Intelligence*



*Center for Space and
Accelerator Technologies*

31+

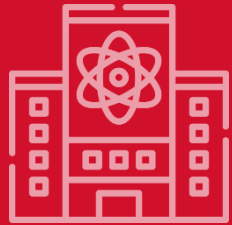
***interdisciplinary
research centers***

*Center for Climate Change
and Sustainable
Development*



DİŞLİ, GÜÇ
AKTARMA
SİSTEMLERİ VE
TİTREŞİM
UYGULAMA VE
ARAŞTIRMA
MERKEZİ
DİMER

*Gear, Power Transmission
Systems and Vibration Application
and Research Center*



*Center of Excellence for
Neuroscience and
Neurotechnology*



National-Level Research Infrastructure under Law N:6550

*Micro-Electro-
Mechanical Systems
(MEMS)*



**METU
MEMS
CENTER**



ODTÜ GÜNAM
CENTER FOR SOLAR ENERGY RESEARCH AND APPLICATIONS

*The Center for Solar Energy
Research and Applications*



International Collaboration

Top institution in EU Horizon Europe and Horizon 2020 projects, including:
6 ERC (European Research Council) grants, one of which is Türkiye's first-ever ERC Advanced Grant hosted by a public university .



Horizon 2020

51 projects with 16.46 M €



*6 coordinators in **Horizon 2020**,
1 coordinator in **Horizon Europe***



METU-CoFund Project

*20 international post doctoral researchers to be hired
in the field of green and blue transition*



*–33 projects so far
15 M €
(2 years to go until
Horizon Europe ends)*



Together we can
change the world.



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