





Building a Better Palestinian Future

92 Years of
Excellence, Development & Democratic Values





For more than **90** years, Birzeit University has phenomenally developed into a national institution with great impact on the Palestinian academic scene as well as becoming a pioneer in the formation of Palestinian generations.



The story of Birzeit University as a family offers a link between its past, present and future.



Excellence, Development & Democratic Values

BZU is a Palestinian Arab institution governed by an autonomous board of trustees composed of Palestinian educators and professionals. BZU strives to promote excellence in higher education by providing quality academic teaching, research, training and relevant community programs within the context of sustainable development, social awareness and adherence to democratic values in a free Palestinian society





Academic Biography

BZU preserves a distinctive academic flavor through its diverse academic programs and its unique history in defending freedom of thought and expression.



Academic Biography

Birzeit University offers:

67 Bachelor's programs

30 Master's programs

1 PhD program

The number of students has been increasing steadily from **329** students in **1972** to almost **13,003** students in **2016-2017** enrolled in **8** faculties



Academic Biography

1. Faculty of Science, established in 1972
2. Faculty of Art, established in 1972
3. Faculty of Business and Economics, established in 1978
4. Faculty of Engineering and Information Technology, established in 1979
5. Faculty of Graduate studies, established in 1996
6. Faculty of Law and Public Administration, established in 2004
7. Faculty of Education, established in 2010
8. Faculty of Pharmacy, Nursing and Health Professions, established 2008





Student's Life: A Unique Student Experience



Student's Life

91 Years of the Sound of Music and the Colors of Art

Creative thinking and innovations in culture, folklore and popular art found fertile ground in Birzeit University's activities and festivals.



University Facilities – Libraries, Sport Facilities, Galleries, Cafeterias



Sport Facilities



Yusuf Ahmed Alganim
Main Library



Birzeit University Musuem

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Michel and Sanieh Hakim Observatory



Naseeb A. Shaheen Theatre



Making a Difference: Community Outreach



Community Outreach

Community Development and **Outreach Activities** are an integral part of the university's mission.

One of the features of nonviolent resistance to Israeli military occupation is in the form of **community service building** for Palestinian institutions.





From Small Beginnings to International Impact

Student political activism and the university's solid reputation were the link with the international community.

Birzeit University is linked to a number of European universities through a number of multilateral projects.

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PAS Program

The Palestine and Arabic Studies (PAS) is an academic program that offers international students the opportunity to combine the study of the Arabic language with social science courses about Palestine and the Arab World.





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