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The ULPGC participates, through the Vice-Rectorate of International Relations and Cooperation in various Mobility Programmes:

- LLP/ERASMUS
- SICUE/SÉNECA (Spanish exchange)
- Latin America
- USA
- United Kingdom
- Russia
- China
- South Korea
- Unamuno (Ultra Peripheral Regions - RUP)
- Salvador de Madariaga
- José Castillejo

The ULPGC is currently working in several cooperation programmes such as: Tempus, Erasmus Mundus, Pontefex, PCT-MAX.

The actions of the ULPGC in Cooperation for Development respond to one of the Social Commitments which the ULPGC promotes and consolidates as a priority action of the institution.

The Cooperation for Development Groups are a structured and organized answer to the initiatives promoted by members of the university community to achieve a greater impact, under the principles of sustainability and social responsibility.

The ULPGC has 21 Cooperation for Development Groups, with more than 120 members; students, teachers and administrative staff. External members are also allowed.
NETWORK PARTICIPATION

- The Conference of Rectors of Spanish Universities (CRUE)
- European University Association (EUA)
- Outermost European Universities Network (Unamuno)
- Compostela Group of Universities (CGU)
- European Universities Network of the Santander Group (SG)
- Network for the Marine Resources Management in the North Africa Region (AFIMAR)
- University Consortium of Small Island States (UCSIS)
- Network of Campuses of International Excellence with a Marine Theme (CEI-MARNET)
- Universia Network
- Global Division “Santander Universidades”
- Spanish and Latin American Universities to renew and modernize Higher Education Systems
- Insular Territories Network of Excellence (RETI)
- European Network of Landscape Universities (UNISCAPE)
- Erasmus Expertise (EEEM)
- University Network for Human Rights and Childhood and Adolescence (RUNDIA)
- University Network for Students Issues (RUNAE)

BASIC STRUCTURE: SERVICES

- Student Information Service
- Library: 13 buildings, 24-hour study rooms
- Career Access (UCEFE) and job database
- Accommodation
- Sports facilities
- Culture
- Grants and studies aids
- IT services
- Social Action and Pedagogical Guidance
- Dining rooms and cafes
- International Mobility Point
ULPGC CENTRES

FACULTIES AND SCHOOLS

Faculty of Marine Sciences: www.fcm.ulpgc.es
Faculty of Physical Education and Sports: http://www.centros.ulpgc.es/fcafd
Faculty of Health Sciences: www.fccs.ulpgc.es
Faculty of Economics and Business Administration: www.feet.ulpgc.es
Faculty of Law: www.ulpgc.es/index.php?pagina=fcjs&ver=inicio
Faculty of Philology: www.ff.ulpgc.es
Faculty of Teacher Training: www.ffp.ulpgc.es
Faculty of Geography and History: www.fgh.ulpgc.es
Faculty of Translation and Interpretation: www.fti.ulpgc.es
Faculty of Veterinary: www.vet.ulpgc.es
School of Architecture: www.ea.ulpgc.es
School of Telecommunications and Electronics Engineering: www.eite.ulpgc.es
School of Industrial and Civil Engineering: www.eiic.ulpgc.es
School of Computer Engineering: www.eii.ulpgc.es
ULPGC CENTRES

OTHER CENTRES OF THE ULPGC IN CANARIAS

- **PhD School**
  sutd@ulpgc.es

- **Spanish Language for Foreigners**
  www.dfe.ulpgc.es

- **Confucius Institute:**
  www.confucio.ulpgc.es

- **King Sejong Institute (KSI)**

- **E-learning Centre:**
  www.teleformacion.ulpgc.es

- Faculty of **Health Sciences (Fuerteventura):**
  www.fccs.ulpgc.es

- Faculty of **Health Sciences (Lanzarote):**
  www.fccs.ulpgc.es

- **University Centre of International Cooperation for Development (CUCID):**
  www.cucid.ulpgc.es

- **University School of Tourism of Lanzarote** (associated centre):
  www.cabildodelanzarote.com/eutl

- **Seul Maritime Institute (SMI)**

CENTRES ABROAD

- **International Relations Office** (Ecuador)

- **Training and Improvement Centre** in Puerto Montt (Chile)

UNESCO CHAIRS AT THE ULPGC

- Research, Planning and Development of Local Health Systems
- Computer Sciences and Information Technologies for the Development of the North-Western Region of Africa
- Environmental Management and Marine Resources in Coastal Areas
- Tourism Planning and Sustainable Development Human Rights and Democracy
The geographical situation of the University of Las Palmas de Gran Canaria enables collaboration and the development of research projects with research centres and universities around the world.

RESEARCH UNIVERSITY INSTITUTES

University Institute of Cybernetic Science and Technology (IUCTC):
www.gi.ulpgc.es/iuctc/index.php

University Institute of Applied Microelectronics (IUMA):
www.iuma.ulpgc.es

University Institute for Animal Health and Food Safety (IUSA)
www.iusa.eu

Institute of Intelligent Systems and Numerical Applications in Engineering (SIANI):
www.siani.es

University Institute of Tourism and Sustainable Economic Development (TIDES):
tides.es/main

University Institute for Technological Development and Innovation in Communications (IDeTIC)

University Institute of Oceanography and Global Change
www.cetic.eu

University Institute for Text Analysis and Applications

University Institute for Biomedical and Health Research

UNIVERSITY RESEARCH CENTRES

Innovation Centre for Information Society (CICEI):
www.cicei.ulpgc.es

Centre of Marine Biotechnology (CBM):
www.cbm.ulpgc.es

Centre for Biodiversity and Environmental Management (BIOGES):
www.bioges.org

The Imaging Technology Center (CTIM):
www.ctim.es
SCIENTIFIC-TECHNOLOGICAL PARK

Its mission is the production and management of research and development projects, as well as the provision of services of high specialization, stimulating and managing the knowledge flow and technology transfer between the University, research institutions, businesses and markets.

More than a thousand researchers from 150+ research groups are working in these centres and research institutes.

The Scientific-Technological Park has five different sites in Gran Canaria:

1. Main Site (Tafira - Las Palmas de Gran Canaria)
2. Marine Area (Telde)
3. Agriculture and Farming Area (Montaña Cardones - Arucas)
4. Biomedicine and Biotechnology Area (San Cristóbal - Las Palmas de Gran Canaria)
5. Energy, Recycling and Materials Area (Gáldar)

TRICONTINENTAL ATLANTIC CAMPUS

Project funded by the Ministry of Education, Culture and Sport (Spain e-Government Plan), in the framework of the program Campus of International Excellence. It has also been supported by the program Innocampus of the Ministry of Education, Culture and Sport (FEDER funds).

EDUCATIONAL INNOVATION

The ULPGC is improving the teaching’s methodology with the involvement of 35 Educational Innovation Groups.
The ULPGC, established in 1989, has more than 25,000 students and 1,500 lecturers. It has modern facilities and equipment, with Wi-Fi area in all its centres, and shuttle service intracampus. It also manages a nature reserve, “Tafira Campus Ecological Reserve”.

The ULPGC was evaluated in 2005 by the European University Association (EUA) indicating that “advances in ULPGC are amazing” noting as strengths: infrastructure, highly qualified teaching staff and IT development. In 2007, the ULPGC won the Quality Award for Public Service and Special Mention for Best Management Practices, both from the Government of the Canary Islands. In 2010, the Ministry of Education of the People's Republic of China (Hanban) granted the University of Las Palmas de Gran Canaria the status of Confucius Classroom, and in 2011, the status of “Confucius Institute”.

In 2010, the ULPGC was evaluated by an International Committee and earned the qualification of Campus of International Excellence, from the Ministry of Education of the Government of Spain.

In 2013, through an International Framework Agreement signed with the Korea Maritime Institute, the University of Las Palmas de Gran Canaria established the Research and Cooperation Center for Maritime Studies and Fisheries between Korea and Spain.

In 2013, the King Sejong Institute awards the ULPGC with the establishment of the King Sejong Institute headquarters.

The ULPGC is a leading university in e-learning. Degrees and Master programmes as well as a wide range of courses at all learning levels are offered online.

The ULPGC has signed agreements with universities from the five continents, to facilitate the mobility of teachers, researchers, students, and administrative staff. It also develops an intense work in the field of development cooperation. It is worth noting the achievement of five UNESCO Chairs at the ULPGC.