



Πανεπιστήμιο Κύπρου
University of Cyprus

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Πανεπιστήμιο Κύπρου

Getting to know
University of Cyprus

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knowledge - research - innovation

Introduction

With more than 7.000 students, 113 laboratories and 800 faculty and staff members, the University of Cyprus (UCY) is a young and rapidly expanding university.

UCY is the biggest employer in Cyprus for young graduates and researchers. It currently employs about 550 young scientists using external research funds.

The University of Cyprus was established in 1989 and admitted its first students in 1992. First Undergraduate students (486): September 1992 (3 Faculties, 10 Departments)

First Postgraduate students: September 1997

The University Campus is expected to be completed by 2020, with 9 Faculties, 25+ departments, 10.000 students.

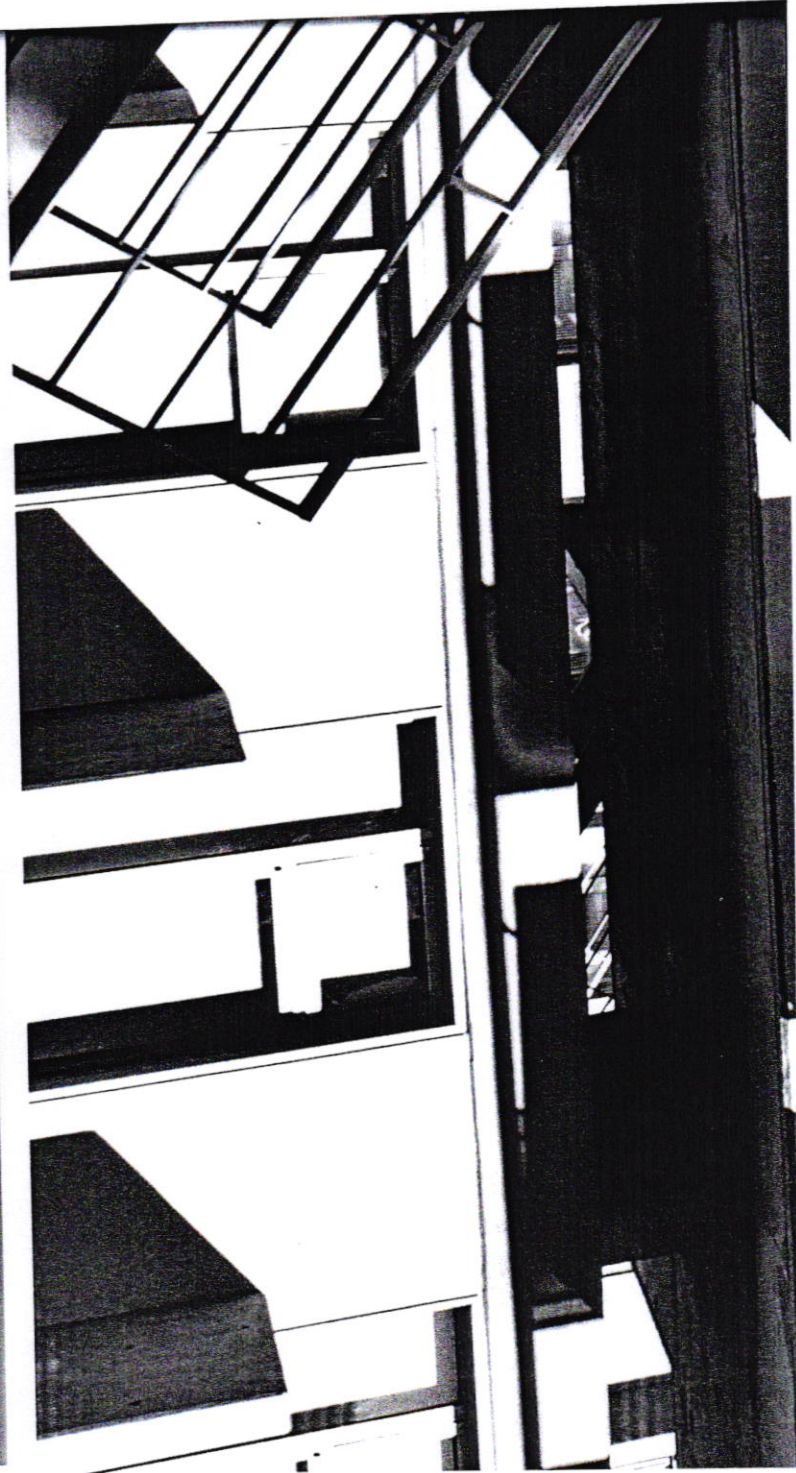
Total Alumni today (1996-2017): 22615 (16614 undergraduate, 6001 postgraduate)

The first UCY building, placed at Kallipoleos Avenue was the former Pedagogical Academy, built in a British Colonial era architectural style.

Κτίριο Δεσφ. Καλλιπόλεως
Kallipoleos Avenue Building

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Logo and background

- ✓ The symbol is derived from a double cypress tree found carved on a 19th century wooden chest, enhanced with a contemporary twist.
- ✓ The gold colour is a blend of orange and yellow, which expresses energy, vitality, spirituality and communication. The green colour of the type is an expression of learning, development, renewal and hope.
- ✓ The gold and green colours were adopted from the Cyprus national flag and also project the colours of the natural beauty of the island.

Vision and mission

To establish the University of Cyprus as a leading institution of cultural enterprise, an outstanding contributor to society and a reference point for the global scientific community.

Mission

The creation of added value through activities in the following areas:

- ✓ Science and Intellectual proliferation
- ✓ Open society
- ✓ Social productivity

Εθνική αναγνώριση

7 - Κατέταξη ως το 52^ο καλύτερο νέο πανεπιστήμιο παγκοσμίως από τους Times Higher Education World University Rankings (Top 200 World Universities Under 50 years old).
16 - Βρίσκεται ανάμεσα στη θέση 351-400 των κορυφαίων πανεπιστημίων του κόσμου σύμφωνα με τους Times Higher Education World University Rankings.

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3 Διδακτορικά προγράμματα σπουδών
4847 Προπτυχιακοί φοιτητές
1788 Μεταπτυχιακοί φοιτητές
661 Διδακτορικοί φοιτητές

International Recognition-rankings

2017 - Ranked 52nd best young University by the Times Higher Education World University Rankings (Top 200 World Universities Under 50 years old).
2016 is amongst the best 351-400 Universities worldwide according to the Times Higher Education World University Rankings.

Figures

- / 43 Undergraduate programs
- / 63 Postgraduate programs (Masters)
- / 25 Postgraduate programs in English
- / 43 PhD programs
- / 4847 Undergraduate students
- / 1788 Postgraduate students
- / 661 Doctoral students

faculties and departments

Faculty of Humanities

- / Department of English Studies
- / Department of French and European Studies
- / Department of Turkish and Middle Eastern Studies
- Language Centre

Medical School

Faculty of Pure and Applied Sciences

- / Department of Biological Sciences
- / Department of Mathematics and Statistics
- / Department of Computer Science
- / Department of Physics
- / Department of Chemistry
- Molecular Medicine Research Center
- Oceanography Centre

Faculty of Education and Social Sciences

- / Department of Education
- / Department of Social and Political Sciences
- / Department of Law
- / Department of Psychology
- Center for Applied Neuroscience
- Centre for Field Studies (UCFS)
- Research Centre for Gender Studies

Graduate School

Faculty of Economics and Management

- / Department of Business and Public Administration
- / Department of Accounting and Finance
- / Department of Economics
- Economics Research Centre
- Centre for Banking and Financial Research

Faculty of Engineering

- / Department of Architecture
- / Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering
- / Department of Mechanical and Manufacturing Engineering
- / Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering
- KIOS Research and Innovation Center of Excellence
- FOSS Research Centre for Sustainable Energy
- Nireas International Water Research Center
- EMPHASIS Research Centre

Faculty of Letters

- / Department of Byzantine and Modern Greek Studies
- Center of Modern Greek Studies
- / Department of History and Archaeology
- Archaeological Research Unit
- / Department of Classics and Philosophy
- Cultural Centre

research laboratories (113)

Research Units/Centres

- / Language Center
- / Molecure Medicine Research Center
- / Oceanography Centre
- / Center for Applied Neuroscience
- / Center for Field Studies (UCFS)
- / Research Centre for Gender Studies
- / Economics Research Centre
- / Center for Banking and Financial Research
- / KIOS Research and Innovation Center of Excellence
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- / EMPHASIS Research Centre
- / Archaeological Research Unit
- / Center of Modern Greek Studies



alumni

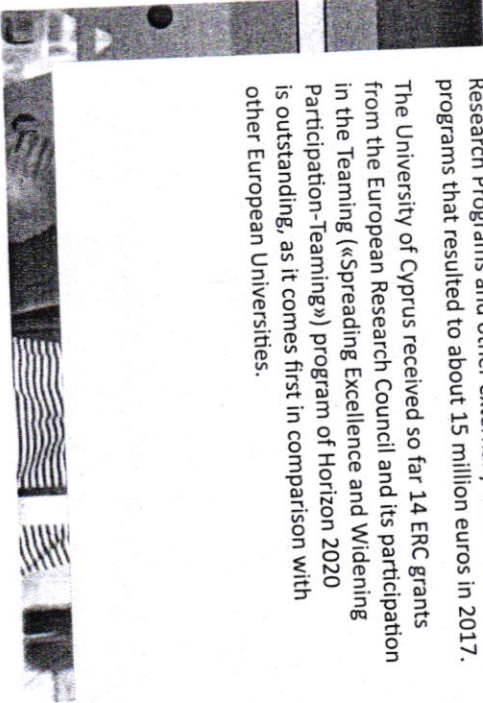
Based on a research conducted by the Alumni Office, the majority of UCY Alumni (76,1%) is currently employed in a full time base, while 11,1% stated that are unemployed. The majority of the participants (76,5%) stated that their job is related to their studies.

Amongst others, our Alumni are employed in successful companies and big Organizations while some are following successful academic career paths abroad or are recipients of important and competitive scholarships.

research

The University of Cyprus is the top research institution in Cyprus, with a vibrant research culture and an excellent research track record. During the recent years, UCY attracts outstanding and highly competitive grants and it currently participates in 146 European Union Research Programs and other externally funded research programs that resulted to about 15 million euros in 2017.

The University of Cyprus received so far 14 ERC grants from the European Research Council and its participation in the Teaming («Spreading Excellence and Widening Participation-Teaming») program of Horizon 2020 is outstanding, as it comes first in comparison with other European Universities.



research and innovation institute

Vision: To employ 2000 young Scientists by 2020 and become

- / Leading Research Institute in the International Arena
- / Center of Excellence in the Mediterranean Region
- / Attractive destination for various research and technology projects and programs
- / “Tank” of research and Technological Knowledge
- / Incubator of creative scientists

a university of diaspora


Strategic goal: To Attract high Calibri Cypriot and Greek academics and researchers from all over the world.

quality teaching

In recognition of the importance of quality assurance in teaching, the University of Cyprus, following the Senate's decision, declared 2017 as Year of Quality Teaching. After the declaration, on Monday, January 30th 2017, the Rector and the Chairmen of all academic departments signed the UCY Charter of Quality Assurance in Teaching establishing this way a university policy for promoting and ensuring quality teaching at UCY.

a nobel prize winner at UCY

Professor Christopher Pissarides
Nobel Economics Prize Winner (2010)
As from May 2011, Professor Christopher Pissarides is a Faculty member at the Department of Economics.



Κοινωνική Προσφορά

Το Πανεπιστήμιο Κύπρου επιδιώκει ενεργά την προσφορά στο κοινωνικό σύνολο, στοχεύοντας τόσο στην επιμόρφωση των πολιτών μέσω των ανοιχτών για το κοινό δράσεων του, όσο και στην ουσιαστική παρέμβαση για την επίλυση προβλημάτων που αντιμετωπίζει η κυπριακή κοινωνία εν γένει.

Το προλογικό έργο του αναδεικνύεται, μεταξύ άλλων, με τη διοργάνωση πολιτιστικών δραστηριοτήτων, ομιλιών και διαλέξεων από διακεκριμένες προσωπικότητες, Πέραν αυτού, το Πανεπιστήμιο Κύπρου, έχοντας καθιερώσει το θεσμό των Ελεύθερων Πανεπιστημίων, βρίσκεται κοντά σε κάθε πολίτη της Κύπρου, αφού υιοθετεί «φυσική» παρουσία του Πανεπιστημίου σε διάφορες πόλεις, αλλά και απομακρυσμένες περιοχές, διαδίδοντας τη γνώση και προσφέροντας ευκαιρίες επιμόρφωσης, υλοσιώνοντας, έτσι, τους στόχους της δια βίου μάθησης.

Social contribution

The University of Cyprus has made a dynamic impact on the cultural and intellectual life of Cyprus. It organizes public lectures and other events with focus on issues of wider scholarly, scientific, cultural as well as on topics of interest. Furthermore, it organizes exhibitions, concerts, prize awards and other activities open to the general public.

In the framework of social contribution and lifelong learning UCY runs six Free Universities in cooperation with municipalities and other parties which operates in different cities as well as in rural regions.



Internationalisation

The University of Cyprus is a member in more than 50 University Networks and Associations worldwide, while it has signed Bilateral Agreements of Cooperation with more than 200 universities and research institutions in Europe, Australia, Middle East, Asia, USA, Canada and Africa. These agreements facilitate the student and Academic Staff exchanges, joint research projects, conferences and exchange of teaching and research material. Additionally, the University of Cyprus offers 10 joint degree programmes (at Masters' and Ph.D. levels) in collaboration with other European institutions.

Aula Cervantes

The University has been chosen by the Instituto Cervantes for the establishment on its premises the Aula Cervantes in 2011. The Aula offers Spanish language classes to university students and to the public in general and it also organizes the DELE examinations in collaboration with the Instituto Cervantes.

Confucius Institute

Another significant development for the University of Cyprus was the establishment of the Confucius Institute on its premises (October 2014), which is the first to be established in Cyprus. The Institute is a non-profit organisation and a joint venture between the Office of Chinese Language Council International (Hanban), the University of Cyprus and the Beijing Institute of Education. Its mission is to work with the public sector, businesses and academia in both Cyprus and China, so as to develop stronger educational, cultural and commercial links between the two countries by offering a large spectrum of programmes, events and other activities on Chinese language, culture, arts and business.

Κωγή Ελαιόλαδου

Πιστήμιο Κύπρου έχει φτιάξει
Ελάς, Δωρεά του Κυπριακού
Πόλεμου το δικό του ελαιόλαδο.

Πρωτογενής Τουρισμός

Πιστήμιο Κύπρου προωθεί τ
λό και τη δημιουργία ενός συ
νόδος, Παράλληλα προωθεί τ
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μείου στην περιοχή της Κωπ

entrepreneurship

Centre for Entrepreneurship (C4E) of the UCY

C4E considers Entrepreneurship in its broadest sense, namely as a mindset in scientific and scholarly work that embraces creativity, critical thinking, imagination, risk-taking and the bold experimentation with new ideas and transformative scientific approaches. C4E aspires to turn new knowledge into real "value" that can serve the common good through novel products, processes and services, implemented by new or existing ventures, private or public organizations, governmental institutions or non-governmental initiatives.

C4E Activities: Education and Training, Supporting and Mentoring, Networking, Makerspace, Research and Analysis.

Carobs

UCY aspires to revive carob processing in Cyprus by cooperating with local and overseas food and beverage and pharmaceutical industries for the production of organic baby food, medicines, organic and animal food, carob syrup, carob powder etc. A "Black Gold" research center is established while UCY already started producing the first alcoholic beverage ever made by carob.

Production of olive oil

The University of Cyprus planted over 100 olive trees donated by the Cyprus Institute of Agriculture and is currently producing its own virgin olive oil.

Scientific Tourism

UCY promotes the Scientific Tourism and the creation of a conference centre at mountain Troodos. At the same time its working towards the creation of a, specialized in pneumology, university hospital at Kyperounta region (Troodos).

state of the art facilities

Development of the campus

Total investment: €216.215.000

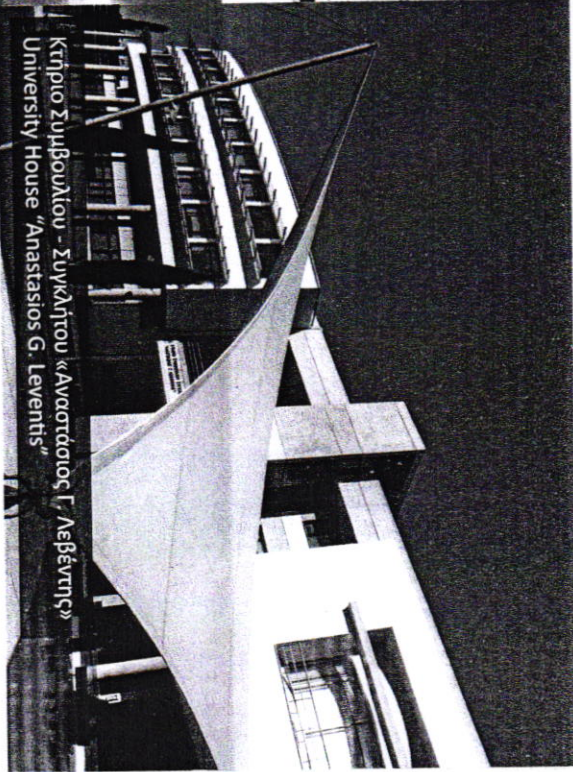
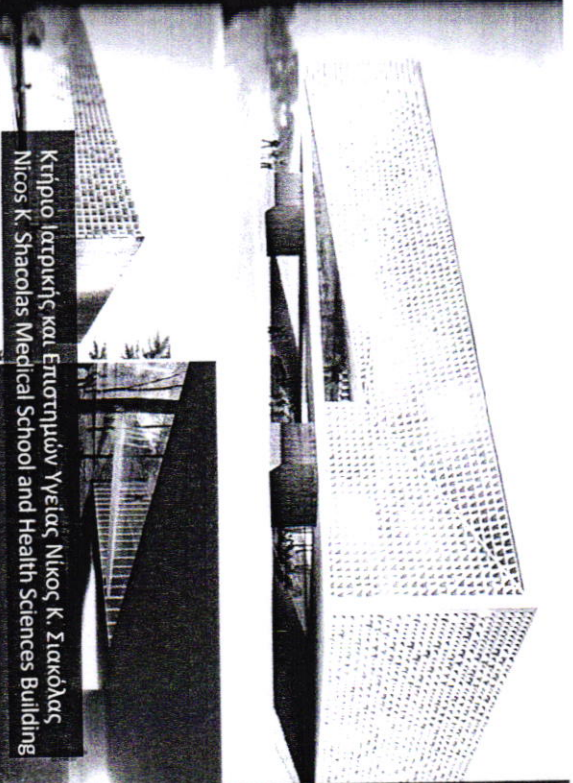
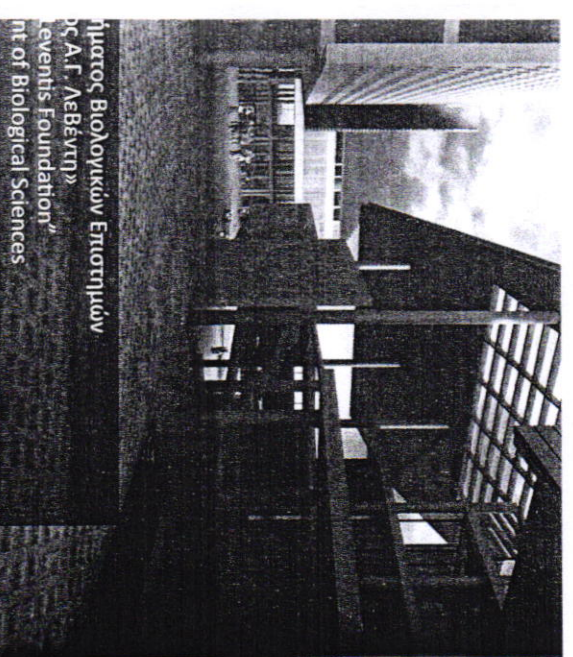
Duration of the project 2015-2020

On the 12th of December 2014, the University of Cyprus, the European Investment Bank (EIB) and the Republic of Cyprus signed an important agreement for 162 million euros, financing the second phase Investment Programme for the extension and development of the University of Cyprus campus.

In July 2016 the Council of Europe Development Bank (CEB) and the Republic of Cyprus signed a loan agreement of 32 million euros, financing the same project.

green university

By 2020 the University of Cyprus will have the first University campus in the world that will be completely dependent on Solar electricity, thanks to its two photovoltaic parks, Apollo and Phaethon (the last will be built within the buffer zone).



Κτήριο Βιολογικών Επιστημών
«Α.Γ. Λεβέντη»
Leventis Foundation
nt of Biological Sciences

Κτήριο Ιατρικής και Επιστημών Υγείας Νίκος Κ. Σιακόλας
Nicos K. Shacolas Medical School and Health Sciences Building

Κτήριο Συμβουλίου - Συγκλήτου «Αναστάσιος Γ. Λεβέντης»
University House "Anastasios G. Leventis"

Ιατρικής, και Επιστημών Υγείας Σιακόλας (υπό κατασκευή)

Υπό αιγίδα του, Antonio Linán και Antonio Gordon.
Επιχειρησιακή ευθύνη από το ίδρυμα «Νίκος
Σιακόλας».

Συμβουλίου - Συγκλήτου «Αναστάσιος Γ. Λεβέντης»

Υπό αιγίδα του Βάσου Ολύμπιου. Δωρεά ύψους
10 εκατ. ευρώ από το ίδρυμα Α.Γ. Λεβέντη.

infrastructure development

Donations:

UCY is actively seeking and has already received substantial amounts from private funding and charitable donations.

Learning Resource Center "Stelios Ioannou"

Designed by Ateliers Jean Nouvel. 10 million euros donation by the late Eli Ioannou in the memory of her spouse Stelios Ioannou.

The A.G. Leventis Foundation Department of Biological Science (to be constructed)

Designed by Miltiadis Katsaros Group. Donation of 6 million euros by the A.G. Leventis Foundation.

Nicos K. Shacolas Medical School and Health Sciences Building (to be constructed)

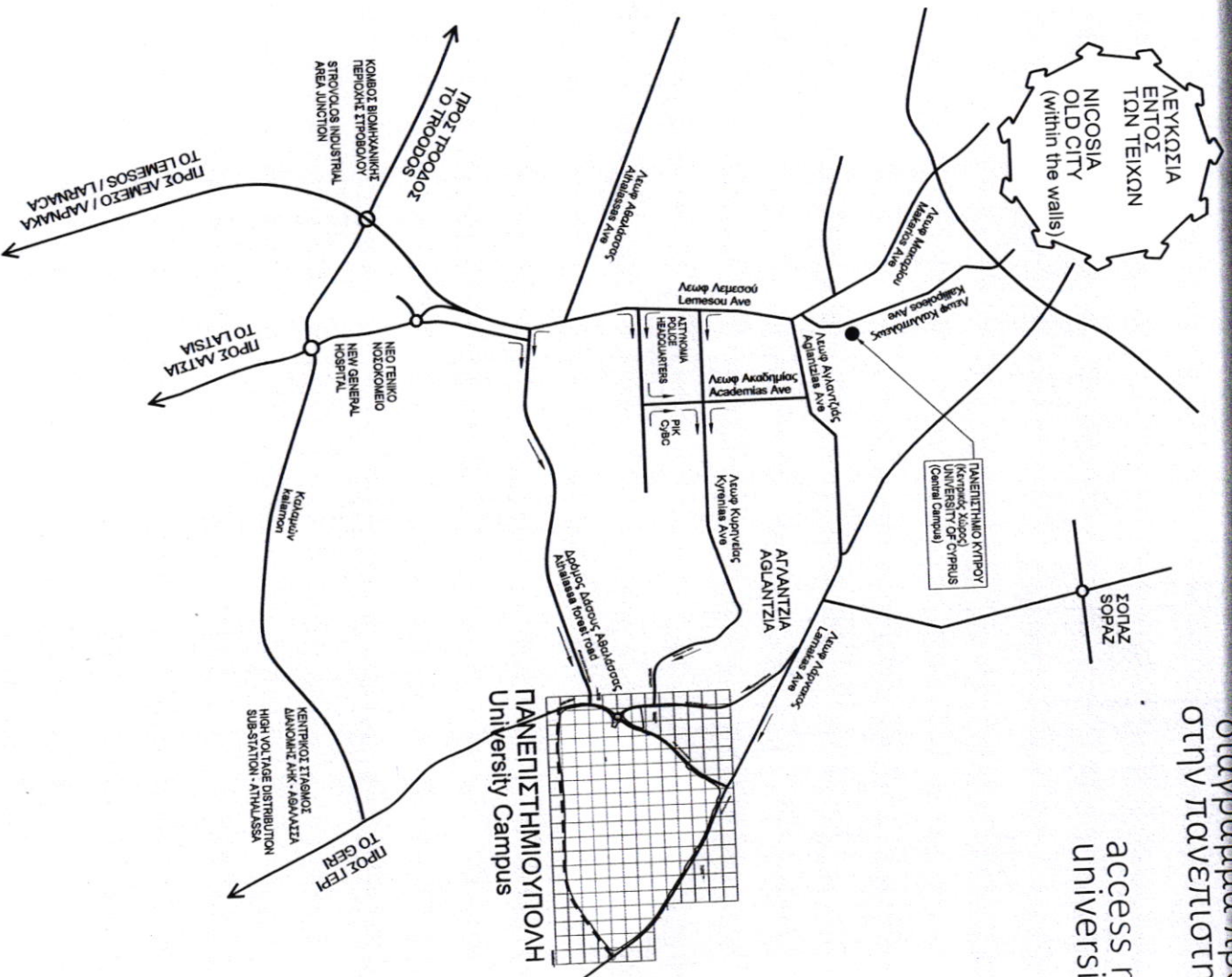
Designed by Antonio Cordon & Antonio Linan. Donation of 9 million euros by Nicos K. Shacolas.

University House "Anastasios G. Leventis"

Designed by Vasos Olympios. Donation of 6.5 million euros by the A.G. Leventis Foundation.

Διαγράμματα Προσβάσεως στην Πανεπιστημιακή

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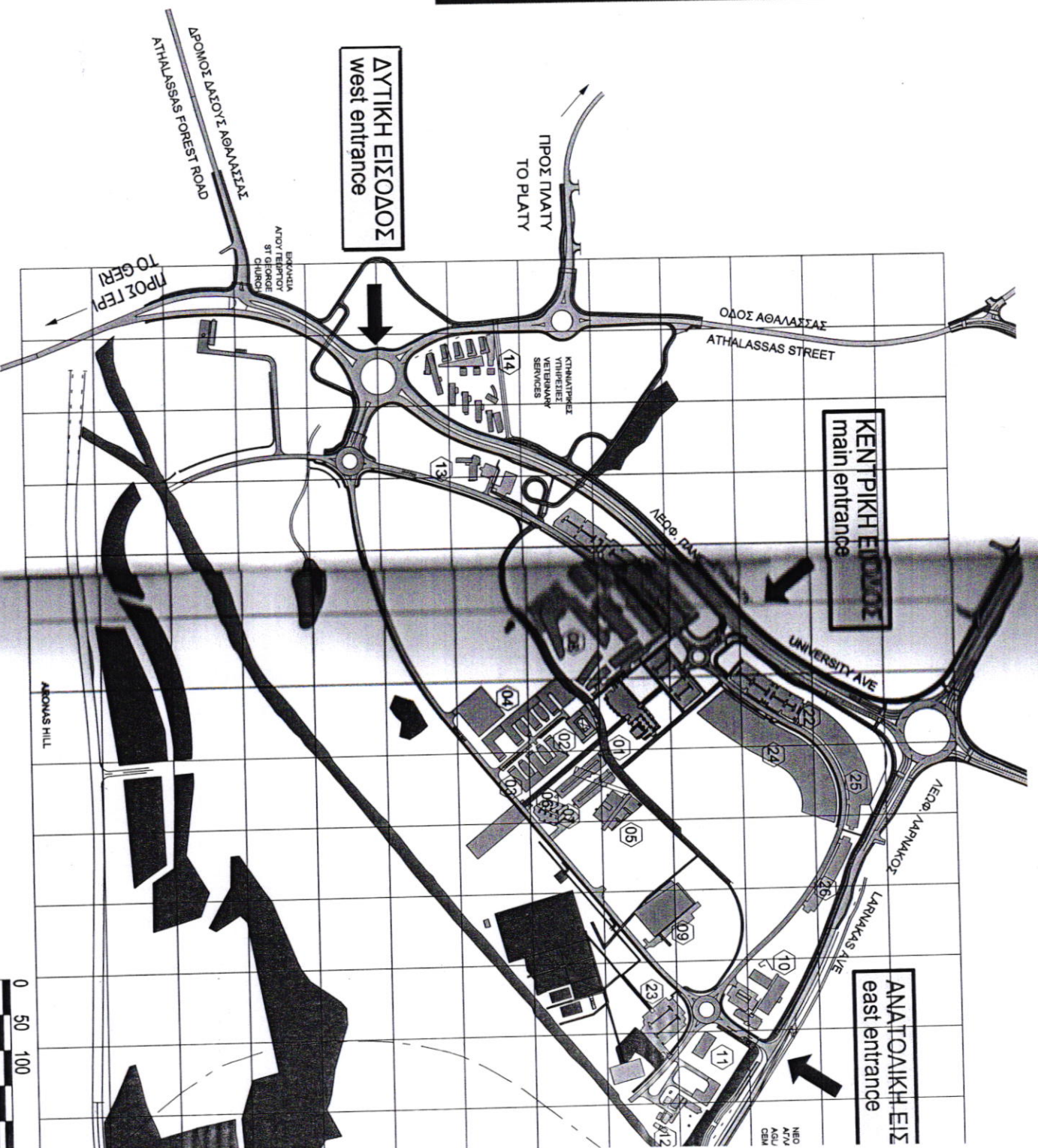
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κρήρια πανεπιστημιούπολης

- 01 ΚΤΗΡΙΟ ΣΥΜΒ. - ΣΥΓΚΛ. ΑΝΑΣΤ. Γ. ΛΕΒΕΝΤΗΣ
- 02 ΧΩΡΟΙ ΔΙΔΑΣΚΑΛΙΑΣ (ΧΩΔ 01)
- 03 ΣΧΟΛΗ ΘΕΤΙΚΩΝ & ΕΦΑΡΜΟΣΜ. ΕΠΙΣΤΗΜΩΝ (ΘΕΕ 01)
- 04 ΣΧΟΛΗ ΘΕΤΙΚΩΝ & ΕΦΑΡΜΟΣΜ. ΕΠΙΣΤΗΜΩΝ (ΘΕΕ 02)
- 05 ΧΩΡΟΙ ΔΙΔΑΣΚΑΛΙΑΣ (ΧΩΔ 02)
- 06 ΣΧΟΛΗ ΟΙΚΟΝ. ΕΠΙΣΤΗΜΩΝ & ΔΙΟΙΚΗΣΗΣ (ΟΕΑ 01)
- 07 ΣΧΟΛΗ ΟΙΚΟΝ. ΕΠΙΣΤΗΜΩΝ & ΔΙΟΙΚΗΣΗΣ (ΟΕΑ 02)
- 08 ΚΟΙΝΩΝΙΚΕΣ ΔΡΑΣΤΗΡΙΟΤΗΤΕΣ
- 09 ΑΙΘΟΥΣΑ ΑΘΛΟΠΛΑΙΩΝ (ΑΘΑ 01)
- 10 ΚΤΗΡΙΑ ΛΕΙΤΟΥΡΓΙΚΗΣ ΥΠΟΣΤΗΡΙΞΗΣ (ΚΛΥ)
- 11 ΕΝΕΡΓΕΙΑΚΟ ΚΕΝΤΡΟ (ΕΝΚ)
- 12 ΦΩΤΟΒΟΛΤΑΙΚΟ ΠΑΡΚΟ
- 13 ΣΥΜΠΛΗΡΩΜΑΤΙΚΑ ΓΡΑΦΕΙΑ ΠΑΝ/ΛΗΣ (ΣΓΠ)
- 14 ΦΟΙΤΗΤΙΚΗ ΕΣΤΙΑ ΦΑΣΗ 1Α (ΦΕΑ)
- 21 ΧΩΡΟΣ ΣΤΑΘΜΕΥΣΗΣ (ΧΣΤ 02)
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- 23 ΧΩΡΟΣ ΣΤΑΘΜΕΥΣΗΣ (ΧΣΤ 05)
- 24 ΧΩΡΟΣ ΣΤΑΘΜΕΥΣΗΣ (ΧΣΤ 07)
- 25 ΧΩΡΟΣ ΣΤΑΘΜΕΥΣΗΣ (ΧΣΤ 08)
- 26 ΧΩΡΟΣ ΣΤΑΘΜΕΥΣΗΣ (ΧΣΤ 09)

university buildings

- 01 UNIVERSITY HOUSE - ANASTASIOS G. LEVENTIS
- 02 COMMON TEACHING FACILITIES (GTF 01)
- 03 FACULTY OF PURE & APPLIED SCIENCES (FST 01)
- 04 FACULTY OF PURE & APPLIED SCIENCES (FST 02)
- 05 COMMON TEACHING FACILITIES (GTF 02)
- 06 FACULTY OF ECONOMICS & MANAGEMENT (FEB 01)
- 07 FACULTY OF ECONOMICS & MANAGEMENT (FEB 02)
- 08 SOCIAL FACILITIES
- 09 INDOOR SPORTS HALL (SPF 01)
- 10 SERVICES BUILDINGS (SBD)
- 11 ENERGY CENTRE (ENC)
- 12 PHOTOVOLTAIC PARK
- 13 CAMPUS SUPPLEMENTARY OFFICES (CSO)
- 14 RESIDENTIAL A (SRA)
- 21 PARKING AREA (PRK 02)
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