

## A Associate degree

(1) Number of enrolments on 1 February 2018.

1 Number of enrolments in associate degree in nursing programmes (1)

	GO			VGO		OGO		Total				
	M	F	Т	M	F	Т	М	F	Т	M	F	Т
Number of enrolments	175	1,132	1,307	657	4,162	4,819	99	481	580	931	5,775	6,706

2 Number of enrolments in higher vocational adult education by field of study (1)

Field of study	М	F	n/a <sup>(2)</sup>	T
Bionics	148	69	-	217
Commercial sciences and technology	4,871	3,788	1	8,660
Health care	20	59	-	79
Industrial sciences and technology	1,743	111	1	1,855
Social and community work	1,469	4,330	-	5,799
Total	8,251	8,357	2	16,610

(1) Number of unique enrolments in the reference period 1/4/2017 - 31/3/2018. (2) For a small number of course participants the gender was not registered.

3 Number of enrolments in specific teacher training (1)

	М	F	n/a <sup>(2)</sup>	Т
Specific teacher training	2,612	5,196	2	7,810

(1) Number of unique enrolments in the reference period 1/4/2017 - 31/3/2018

(2) For a small number of course participants the gender was not registered.

## **B University colleges/universities**

1 Number of enrolments by finality (professionally oriented or academically oriented) (1)(2)

Orientation	Type of education	М	F	Т
Professional	Professional orientation	48,847	64,386	113,233
Total professional		48,847	64,386	113,233
Academic	Academic orientation	52,345	58,467	110,812
Total academic		52,345	58,467	110,812
Higher art education	Arts programmes (professional orientation)	464	406	870
	Arts programmes (academic orientation)	2,694	3,251	5,945
Total higher art education		3,158	3,657	6,815
Total higher education		104,350	126,510	230,860

<sup>(1)</sup> Bachelor's and Master's programmes.

### 2 Number of enrolments per association (1)

	М	F	Т
K.U. LEUVEN ASSOCIATION			
Catholic University of Leuven	21,146	21,382	42,528
LUCA School of Arts	1,221	1,491	2,712
Odisee	4,179	5,307	9,486
Thomas More Kempen	3,352	3,777	7,129
Thomas More Mechelen-Antwerp	2,959	4,935	7,894
UC Leuven	2,966	5,014	7,980
UC Limburg	1,766	2,554	4,320
VIVES Noord University College	1,290	1,997	3,287
VIVES Zuid University College	3,316	5,213	8,529
Total	42,195	51,670	93,865
ANTWERP UNIVERSITY ASSOCIATION			
Antwerp Maritime Academy	483	77	560
Antwerp University	7,029	8,648	15,677
Artesis Plantijn University College Antwerp	4,699	6,214	10,913
Karel de Grote University College	5,455	7,032	12,487
Total	17,666	21,971	39,637
GHENT UNIVERSITY ASSOCIATION			
Artevelde University College Ghent	4,502	8,033	12,535
Ghent University	15,428	19,259	34,687
University College Ghent	6,750	7,056	13,806
University College West Flanders	3,332	2,442	5,774
Total	30,012	36,790	66,802
ASSOCIATION COLLEGES-UNIVERSITY OF LIMBURG			
Hasselt University	1,648	1,655	3,303
PXL University College	3,532	3,380	6,912
Transnational University Limburg	405	387	792
Total	5,585	5,422	11,007
BRUSSELS UNIVERSITY ASSOCIATION			
Erasmus University College Brussels	2,270	3,109	5,37
Vrije Universiteit Brussel	4,819	5,845	10,66
Total	7,089	8,954	16,04
Joint study programmes (2)	1,803	1,703	3,50
Total	104,350	126,510	230,86

<sup>(1)</sup> Bachelor's and Master's programmes.

<sup>(2)</sup> Data refer to all active enrolments in a degree contract in an institution for higher education on 30 June 2018. A student may have several enrolments.

<sup>(2)</sup> Joint study programmes are organised jointly by several institutions.

#### 3 Number of enrolments by field of study

	М	F	Т
PROFESSIONALLY ORIENTED TERTIARY EDUCATION			
Architecture	994	1,323	2,317
Biotechnology	1,155	1,322	2,477
Combined fields of study	523	972	1,495
Commercial sciences and business studies	20,487	16,442	36,929
Education	5,465	12,947	18,412
Health care	3,389	16,238	19,627
Industrial sciences and technology	13,528	2,853	16,381
Nautical sciences	78	4	82
Social and community work	3,228	12,285	15,513
Total professionally oriented education	48,847	64,386	113,233
ACADEMICALLY ORIENTED TERTIARY EDUCATION			
Applied biological sciences	1,577	1,499	3,076
Applied linguistics	670	1,911	2,581
Applied sciences	4,676	1,481	6,157
Archaeology and history of art	307	711	1,018
Architecture	1,169	1,862	3,031
Biomedical sciences	841	2,23	3,071
Biotechnology	365	333	698
Combined fields of study	1,029	1,728	2,757
Commercial sciences and business studies	3,717	2,975	6,692
Conservation and Restauration	12	129	141
Dentistry	237	370	607
Economic and applied economic sciences	6,654	4,282	10,936
History	1,052	579	1,631
Industrial sciences and technology	7,816	1,177	8,993
Kinesiology and rehabilitation sciences	3,198	4,259	7,457
Language and literature	772	2,312	3,084
Law, notary sciences and criminology	4,034	7,592	11,626
Medicine	3,090	4,458	7,548
Nautical sciences	405	73	478
Pharmaceutical sciences	716	2,429	3,145
Philosophy and moral sciences	775	472	1,247
Political and social sciences	2,083	3,166	5,249
Product Development	298	177	475
Psychology and educational sciences	1,337	6,659	7,996
Sciences	4,437	2,318	6,755
Social health sciences	205	1,182	1,387
Theology, theological sciences and canon law	285	196	481
Traffic safety sciences	117	31	148
Veterinary science	471	1,876	2,347
Total academically oriented courses tertiary education	52,345	58,467	110,812

PROFESSIONALLY ORIENTED HIGHER ART EDUCATION			
Audiovisual and visual arts	288	291	579
Music and dramatic arts	176	115	291
Total professionally oriented higher art education	464	406	870
ACADEMICALLY ORIENTED HIGHER ART EDUCATION			
Audiovisual and visual arts	1,529	2,246	3,775
Music and dramatic arts	1,165	1,005	2,170
Total academically oriented higher art education	2,694	3,251	5,945
Total higher art education	3,158	3,657	6,815
Total tertiary education	104,350	126,510	230,860

#### 4 Changes in the number of enrolments in tertiary education

Academic year	М	F	Т
2012-2013	97,841	118,456	216,297
2013-2014	99,933	121,198	221,131
2014-2015	101,298	122,957	224,255
2015-2016	102,531	123,813	226,344
2016-2017	103,444	125,365	228,809
2017-2018	104,350	126,510	230,860

## **C** Teacher training

#### 5 Number of enrolments in teacher training

		М	F	n/a <sup>(3)</sup>	Т
Integrated teacher training (1)	a professionally oriented bachelor's degree	5,465	12,947	-	18,412
Specific teacher training (2)	for holders of a professionally oriented bachelor's degree	2	12	-	14
	for holders of a master's degree	535	932	-	1,467
	Adult education	2,612	5,196	2	7,810
Advanced Bachelor's programme		108	1,198	-	1,306
Total		8,722	20,285	2	29,009

<sup>(1)</sup> Integrated teacher training programmes are professionally oriented Bachelor's programmes leading to a Bachelor's degree in education (nursery education, primary education or secondary education (group 1)). The university colleges award the teacher's diploma.

<sup>(2)</sup> Specific teacher training is a programme of 60 credits that the student can follow after professional training. The training focuses only on pedagogical skills. Half of the 60 credits (30 credits) must be devoted to practice. Specific teacher training replaces academic initial teacher training, academic level initial teacher training and the certificate of teaching proficiency. Specific teacher training is offered by universities, university colleges and centres for adult education. The diploma is a teaching degree and has the same value in the three institutions that organise this training.

<sup>(3)</sup> For a small number of course participants the gender was not registered.

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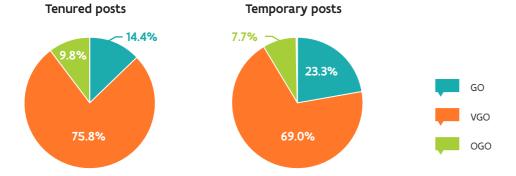
#### 1 Staff in associate degree nursing by number of persons/number of full-time equivalents

	Men	Women	Total
Number of persons	251	1,363	1,614
Number of full-time equivalents	233	1,199	1,432

#### 2 Staff in associate degree nursing by legal status

	Tenured posts			Temporary posts			Total		
	M	F	Т	М	F	Т	М	F	Т
Associate degree nursing	182	1,052	1,234	69	311	380	251	1,363	1,614

### 3 Staff in associate degree nursing by legal status (full-time equivalents) (1)

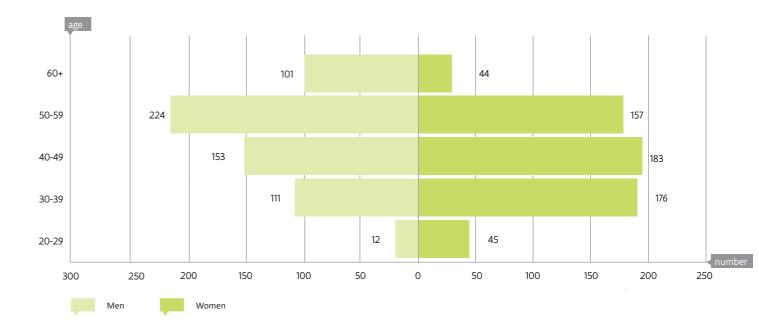


#### 4 Staff in higher vocational adult education and specific teacher training

	Men	Women	Total
Number of persons	601	605	1,206
Number of full-time equivalents	345	445	790

(1) From 2017-2018 a different calculation method was used for this staff. Staff of institutions that organize secondary education as well as associate degree nursing are now taken into account.

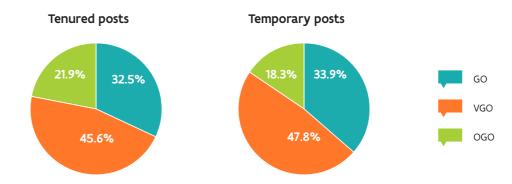
## 5 Staff in higher vocational adult education and specific teacher training by age group and gender



## 6 Age structure of staff in higher vocational adult education and specific teacher training by educational network, age group and by gender

		GO			VGO			OGO			Total	
	М	F	Т	M	F	Т	М	F	Т	М	F	Т
20-29	6	17	23	4	14	18	2	14	16	12	45	57
30-39	32	64	96	52	85	137	27	27	54	111	176	287
40-49	47	57	104	78	94	172	28	32	60	153	183	336
50-59	63	37	100	127	90	217	34	30	64	224	157	381
60+	31	12	43	60	27	87	10	5	15	101	44	145
Total	179	187	366	321	310	631	101	108	209	601	605	1,206
55+	65	27	92	130	76	206	31	24	55	226	127	353

## 7 Staff in higher vocational adult education and specific teacher training by legal status (full-time equivalents)



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## 8 Staff in higher vocational adult education and specific teacher training by legal status and educational network (full-time equivalents)

	Ten	Tenured posts			Temporary posts			Total		
	М	F	Т	М	F	Т	M	F	Т	
GO	62	76	138	57	67	124	119	143	262	
VGO	86	107	193	70	105	175	156	212	368	
OGO	38	55	93	32	35	67	70	90	160	
Total	186	238	424	159	207	366	345	445	790	

## 9 Staff in higher vocational adult education and specific teacher training by legal status and age category

	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60+	Total
Tenured posts	5	61	150	224	94	534
Temporary posts	52	226	186	157	51	672
Total	57	287	336	381	145	1,206

## 10 Changes in staff in higher vocational adult education and specific teacher training by legal status

	2012-2013	2013-2014	2014-2015	2015-2016	2016-2017	2017-2018
Tenured posts	612	623	600	588	556	534
Temporary posts	649	622	648	655	672	672
Total	1,261	1,245	1,248	1,243	1,228	1,206

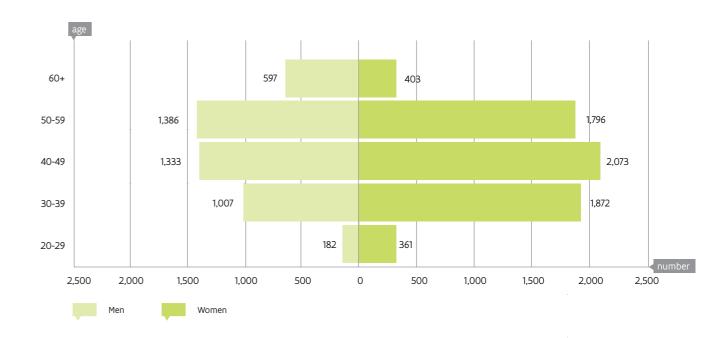
## **B University colleges**

As a result of the transfer (in 2013-2014) of the academically oriented higher education programmes from university colleges to universities, personnel involved in the transferred fields of study is no longer included in the staff statistics of the university colleges from 1 January 2014 onwards.

#### 1 Staff in university colleges paid out of the operational block-grant

	Men	Women	Total
Number of persons	4,505	6,505	11,010
Number of full-time equivalents	3,453	5,056	8,509

#### 2 Staff in university colleges paid out of the operational block-grant by age group and gender



#### 3 Staff in university colleges paid out of the operational block-grant by legal status and age group

	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60+	Total
Tenured posts	11	900	2,022	2,481	839	6,253
Temporary posts	532	1,979	1,384	701	161	4,757
Total	543	2,879	3,406	3,182	1,000	11,010

### 4 Changes in staff in university colleges paid out of the operational block-grant by legal status

	2012-2013	2013-2014	2014-2015	2015-2016	2016-2017	2017-2018
Tenured posts	7,165	6,455	6,110	6,177	6,147	6,253
Temporary posts	5,540	4,687	4,527	4,430	4,614	4,757
Total	12,705	11,142	10,637	10,607	10,761	11,010

## C Universities (1)

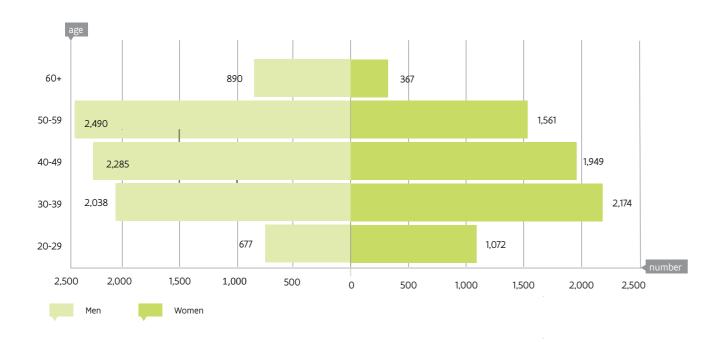
### 1 Staff of universities paid through operational allowances

	Men	Women	Total
Number of persons	8,380	7,123	15,503
Number of full-time equivalents	5 642 12	<i>4</i> 977 79	10 619 91

<sup>(1)</sup> The data for February 2018 were not yet available at the time of publication. For the universities the data for February 2017 are integrated (academic year 2016-201).

Source: Flemish Interuniversity Council (VLIR), Ravensteingalerij 27, 1000 Brussels.

### 2 Staff of universities paid through operational allowances by age group and gender



### 3 Staff of universities paid through operational allowances by staff category and age group

	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60+	Total
Academic staff						
Autonomous academic staff	46	1,269	1,903	1,730	709	5,657
Academic assistance staff	1,324	1,265	404	242	56	3,291
Integration staff OP1, OP2, OP3	16	160	221	479	119	995
Total	1,386	2,694	2,528	2,451	884	9,943
Administrative and technical staff	363	1,518	1,706	1,600	373	5,560
Total	1,749	4,212	4,234	4,051	1,257	15,503

## 4 Changes in staff of universities paid through operational allowances by staff category

	2011-2012	2012-2013	2013-2014	2014-2015	2015-2016	2016-2017
Academic staff						
Autonomous academic staff	4,452	4,585	5,155	5,384	5,549	5,657
Academic assistance staff	2,843	2,890	3,040	3,174	3,228	3,291
Integration staff OP1, OP2, OP3			1,492	1,256	1,104	995
Total	7,295	7,475	9,687	9,814	9,881	9,943
Administrative and technical staff	12,169	12,405	15,085	15,346	15,487	15,503
Total	12.405	15.085	15.346	15.487	15.503	15.503



## HIGHER EDUCATION BUDGET

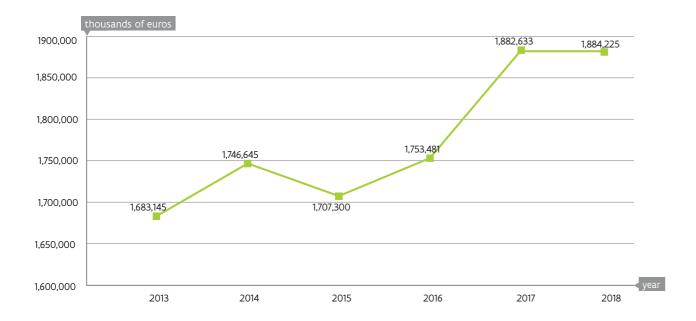
## 1 Tertiary education budget and share of tertiary education in the overall education budget (in thousands of euros)

Tertiary education budget	1,884,225
Share of tertiary education in the overall education budget	16.10%

### 2 Changes in tertiary education budget by expenditure category (in thousands of euros)

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Wages and operations	1,619,724	1,673,195	1,647,975	1,689,449	1,769,254	1,820,668
Investments	63,421	73,450	59,325	64,032	113,379	63,557
Total	1,683,145	1,746,645	1,707,300	1,753,481	1,882,633	1,884,225

#### 3 Changes in tertiary education budget (in thousands of euros)



#### Note:

The data on the budget for tertiary education as reported above refer only to the university colleges and universities. The budgets for higher vocational adult education and specific teacher training are integrated in the budget for adult education; the budget for the associate degree nursing is reported in the budget for secondary education.



## HIGHER EDUCATION INFRASTRUCTURE

In 2017 AHOVOKS allocated the following authorisations and investment resources to the university colleges and the research universities:

	In euros
Regular investment resources research universities	29,829,000
Subsidised private university colleges (authorisations)	13,756,416
Statutory public university colleges (authorisations)	9,771,268
Framework integration research universities (authorisations)	1,787,314

Authorisations are budgetary engagements allocated to AHOVOKS in the Flemish budget and on the basis of which AHO-VOKS can enter into agreements on infrastructure projects. The investment resources granted to the research universities are also paid for by AHOVOKS by means of quarterly payments.

In fiscal year 2017 an amount of 5,073,987.93 euro was allocated to the university colleges to partially eliminate the historical outstanding balance. In fiscal year 2017 a budget of 991,000 euro is provided for the owner maintenance of the autonomous university colleges. This budget is managed by AHOVOKS.

## 1 Study allowances for the associate degree in nursing and tertiary education (1)

	Number of applications	Number of allowances granted	Percentage of allowances granted	Total amount of allowances granted (in euros)	Average allowance (in euros)
Associate degree nursing	3,621	1,924	53.13%	2,547,020	1,323.81
Tertiary education of which:	31,821	18,178	57.13%	34,031,607	1,872.13
- University colleges	49,335	31,567	63.99%	53,719,959	1,701.78
- Universities	28,755	17,679	61.48%	32,686,169	1,848,87
- Unknown (2)	3,066	499	16.28%	1,345,438	2,696.27

<sup>(1)</sup> As known on 20/08/2018.

#### Note:

The above data are not yet final, as a number of applications are still under consideration for the school year 2017-2018. Due to this the number of allowances granted may increase further.

### 2 Study allowances for associate degree in nursing by province (1)

	Number of applications	Number of allowances granted	Total amount of allowances granted (in euros)	Average allowance (in euros)
Antwerp	746	389	526,125	1,352.51
Flemish Brabant	308	157	205,515	1,309.02
BCR	75	44	62,370	1,417.50
West Flanders	931	459	624,374	1,360.29
East Flanders	854	480	628,791	1,309.98
Limburg	685	383	484,793	1,265.78
Other provinces	12	7	9,385	1,340.76
Unknown (2)	10	5	5,666	1,133.22
Total	3,621	1,924	2,547,020	1,323.81

<sup>(1)</sup> As known on 20/08/2018.

### 3 Study allowances in tertiary education by province (1)

	Number of applications	Number of allowances granted	Total amount of allowances granted (in euros)	Average allowance (in euros)
UNIVERSITY COLLEGES				
Antwerp	14,754	9,749	16,907,038	1,734.23
Flemish Brabant	5,952	3,693	6,076,012	1,645.28
BCR	1,518	1,107	2,157,820	1,949.25
West Flanders	8,856	5,364	9,297,767	1,733.36
East Flanders	10,752	6,776	11,155,678	1,646.35
Limburg	7,116	4,658	7,700,441	1,653.16
Other provinces	319	191	363,070	1,900.89
Unknown (2)	68	29	62,132	2,142.50
Total	49,335	31,567	53,719,959	1,701.78
UNIVERSITIES				
Antwerp	8,403	5,340	9,626,850	1,802.78
Flemish Brabant	4,320	2,577	4,567,768	1,772.51
BCR	1,088	768	1,527,831	1,989.36
West Flanders	4,645	2,686	5,449,101	2,028.70
East Flanders	6,102	3,716	6,510,382	1,751.99
Limburg	3,883	2,413	4,604,378	1,908.15
Other provinces	256	154	342,775	2,225.81
Unknown (2)	58	25	57,084	2,283.38
Total	28,755	17,679	32,686,169	1,848.87
UNKNOWN (3)				
Antwerp	868	111	323,780	2,916.94
Flemish Brabant	523	120	277,411	2,311.76
BCR	199	24	61,558	2,564.93
West Flanders	439	44	116,136	2,639.44
East Flanders	543	94	252,639	2,687.65
Limburg	422	93	273,859	2,944.72
Other provinces	33	2	7,997	3,998.60
Unknown (2)	39	11	32,058	2,914.39
Total	3,066	499	1,345,438	2,696.27
Total tertiary education	81,156	49,745	87,751,567	1,764.03

<sup>(1)</sup> As known on 20/08/2018.

<sup>(2)</sup> The type of tertiary education is not known (students studying abroad or in another Community of Belgium).

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