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Higher education staff, by subject groups and sex<sup>12</sup>

Staff group/ Sex/Year	Subject groups, total	Number				
		Humanities	Sports	Law, economics, social sciences	Mathematics, natural sciences	Human medicine, health sciences
<b>Total staff</b>						
<b>Total</b>						
2000	488,660	38,902	2,724	41,090	63,532	148,240
2010	601,682	49,038	3,496	67,529	81,228	162,537
2011	619,233	50,365	3,522	69,503	84,013	164,494
2012	640,021	52,449	3,642	73,025	86,232	166,724
2013	662,076	54,911	3,795	76,476	88,617	167,403
2014	675,146	56,226	3,918	80,126	89,735	167,285
2015	684,385	39,456	4,082	97,925	72,376	170,163
2016	691,363	38,669	4,157	98,920	72,579	173,654
2017	704,607	39,094	4,160	100,254	73,937	176,559
<b>Female</b>						
2000	248,175	18,630	988	14,205	20,185	104,538
2010	310,838	27,059	1,444	25,595	28,193	114,398
2011	320,976	28,016	1,491	26,702	29,245	115,392
2012	332,207	29,586	1,534	28,613	30,075	117,027
2013	344,974	31,302	1,606	30,364	31,138	117,576
2014	351,222	32,313	1,670	31,851	31,434	116,968
2015	358,665	21,737	1,756	43,293	27,958	119,215
2016	363,740	21,398	1,778	43,429	28,031	122,339
2017	371,596	21,677	1,781	44,620	28,578	123,569
<b>Academic and creative arts staff</b>						
<b>Total</b>						
2000	219,296	32,363	2,083	34,584	42,432	42,564
2010	324,367	43,784	2,965	60,134	62,087	58,189
2011	337,102	45,226	2,992	62,608	65,040	59,902
2012	353,690	47,188	3,110	65,821	67,516	61,798
2013	369,847	49,586	3,240	69,121	69,839	64,218
2014	381,269	50,936	3,361	72,858	71,126	65,272
2015	385,311	35,771	3,534	88,766	56,296	66,572
2016	386,752	34,832	3,622	89,424	56,163	67,777
2017	394,878	35,179	3,619	90,870	57,558	70,220
<b>Female</b>						
2000	59,656	13,153	642	9,142	7,932	14,080
2010	116,099	22,580	1,121	19,966	16,695	25,917
2011	122,870	23,608	1,164	21,333	17,750	27,078
2012	130,955	25,105	1,213	22,987	18,656	28,380
2013	139,561	26,761	1,273	24,593	19,639	30,185
2014	144,708	27,802	1,338	26,111	19,968	30,729
2015	148,204	18,569	1,414	35,985	17,815	31,810
2016	149,195	18,136	1,434	35,985	17,687	32,988
2017	153,578	18,374	1,443	37,200	18,235	34,027

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Staff group/ Sex/Year	Subject groups, total	Number				
		Humanities	Sports	Law, economics, social sciences	Mathematics, natural sciences	Human medicine, health sciences
<b>Administrative, technical and other staff</b>						
<b>Total</b>						
2000	269,364	6,539	641	6,506	21,100	105,676
2010	277,315	5,254	531	7,395	19,141	104,348
2011	282,131	5,139	530	6,895	18,973	104,592
2012	286,331	5,261	532	7,204	18,716	104,926
2013	292,229	5,325	555	7,355	18,778	103,185
2014	293,877	5,290	557	7,268	18,609	102,013
2015	299,074	3,685	548	9,159	16,080	103,591
2016	304,611	3,837	535	9,496	16,416	105,877
2017	309,729	3,915	541	9,384	16,379	106,339
<b>Female</b>						
2000	188,519	5,477	346	5,063	12,253	90,458
2010	194,739	4,479	323	5,629	11,498	88,481
2011	198,106	4,408	327	5,369	11,495	88,314
2012	201,252	4,481	321	5,626	11,419	88,647
2013	205,413	4,541	333	5,771	11,499	87,391
2014	206,514	4,511	332	5,740	11,466	86,239
2015	210,461	3,168	342	7,308	10,143	87,405
2016	214,545	3,262	344	7,444	10,344	89,351
2017	218,018	3,303	338	7,420	10,343	89,542

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Staff group/ Sex/Year	Number				
	Agricultural, forestry and nutritional sciences, veterinary medicine	Engineering	Art, art theory	Central facilities <sup>3</sup>	Central facilities of university clinics <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total staff</b>					
<b>Total</b>					
2000	12,695	52,076	14,822	68,673	45,906
2010	12,267	66,117	18,393	95,820	45,257
2011	12,704	68,020	18,975	99,685	47,952
2012	12,916	71,854	19,182	105,967	48,030
2013	13,156	75,025	20,139	110,251	52,303
2014	13,055	76,999	20,482	114,130	53,190
2015	13,049	94,812	20,517	116,856	55,149
2016	13,345	94,248	20,853	119,047	55,891
2017	13,760	97,246	20,868	121,445	57,284
<b>Female</b>					
2000	6,171	10,993	5,116	36,873	30,476
2010	6,471	15,166	7,284	54,662	30,566
2011	6,814	15,692	7,577	57,561	32,486
2012	6,984	16,762	7,703	61,422	32,501
2013	7,155	17,657	8,336	64,126	35,714
2014	7,108	18,207	8,633	66,680	36,358
2015	7,074	22,470	8,728	68,552	37,882
2016	7,312	22,466	8,998	69,374	38,615
2017	7,595	23,665	9,076	71,374	39,661
<b>Academic and creative arts staff</b>					
<b>Total</b>					
2000	6,619	35,036	13,725	8,804	1,086
2010	7,747	50,222	17,165	21,134	940
2011	8,080	52,164	17,754	22,234	1,102
2012	8,291	55,865	17,977	24,977	1,147
2013	8,555	58,824	18,905	26,362	1,197
2014	8,512	61,140	19,226	27,614	1,224
2015	8,677	76,628	19,300	28,304	1,463
2016	8,634	76,040	19,557	29,202	1,501
2017	9,198	79,042	19,564	28,113	1,515
<b>Female</b>					
2000	2,114	4,377	4,482	3,274	460
2010	3,481	9,098	6,565	10,180	496
2011	3,735	9,592	6,849	11,155	606
2012	3,894	10,454	6,988	12,643	635
2013	4,052	11,215	7,612	13,546	685
2014	4,057	11,808	7,888	14,319	688
2015	4,154	14,690	8,000	14,905	862
2016	4,079	14,683	8,207	15,125	871
2017	4,462	15,778	8,280	14,893	886

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Staff group/ Sex/Year	Number				
	Agricultural, forestry and nutritional sciences, veterinary medicine	Engineering	Art, art theory	Central facilities <sup>3</sup>	Central facilities of university clinics <sup>4</sup>
<b>Administrative, technical and other staff</b>					
<b>Total</b>					
2000	6,076	17,040	1,097	59,869	44,820
2010	4,520	15,895	1,228	74,686	44,317
2011	4,624	15,856	1,221	77,451	46,850
2012	4,625	15,989	1,205	80,990	46,883
2013	4,601	16,201	1,234	83,889	51,106
2014	4,543	15,859	1,256	86,516	51,966
2015	4,372	18,184	1,217	88,552	53,686
2016	4,711	18,208	1,296	89,845	54,390
2017	4,562	18,204	1,304	93,332	55,769
<b>Female</b>					
2000	4,057	6,616	634	33,599	30,016
2010	2,990	6,068	719	44,482	30,070
2011	3,079	6,100	728	46,406	31,880
2012	3,090	6,308	715	48,779	31,866
2013	3,103	6,442	724	50,580	35,029
2014	3,051	6,399	745	52,361	35,670
2015	2,920	7,780	728	53,647	37,020
2016	3,233	7,783	791	54,249	37,744
2017	3,133	7,887	796	56,481	38,775

1 According to the allocation to subjects.

2 As of 2015, there has been a change in the subject classification, so parts of the data are of limited comparability with the previous years. For more information see source. Subject group "Languages, cultural studies" has been renamed "Humanities". Former group "Veterinary medicine" has been added to group "Agricultural, forestry and nutritional sciences, veterinary medicine"; the values have been retrospectively adjusted to all years presented.

3 Excluding clinic specific facilities.

4 Only human medicine.

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