



FACULTY OF ELECTRICAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING

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FACULTY OF ELECTRICAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING (FEEE) IN NUMBERS

- 242 employees in 2022
- 645 students, including 82 doctoral students in 2022
- 3 doctoral study programs, 4 master's study programs, and 4 bachelor's study programs
- Average age of academic and research personnel: 44.5 years

INFRASTRUCTURE of FEEE

- Since 2014 Faculty has experienced the largest research infrastructure improvements in its history - moved to modern premises, equipped with up-to-date technologies
- Laboratories are located in the main building and in the laboratory building





STRUCTURE of FEEE

FEEE incorporates three institutes:

- Institute of Industrial Electronics and Electrical Engineering
- Institute of Energy Systems and Environment
- Institute of Power Engineering

All three institutes **conduct research in specific areas** as well as **implement dedicated study programs** – starting from bachelor's and **up to the PhD level**

INSTITUTE OF INDUSTRIAL ELECTRONICS AND ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING of FEEE

Total of 102 employees - FTE of 58,9

The main research directions are related to power electronics, motion control and automation

- Power Electronics for Renewables, Energy Storage Systems, Electrical Drives and Power Flow Control
- Motion Control and Robotics
- Industrial Automation
- LED Lighting Systems
- Design and Diagnostics of Electrical Machines
- Electromagnetic Compatibility

Study programs: «Computer control of electrical technologies», «Adaptronics»

INSTITUTE OF ENERGY SYSTEMS AND ENVIRONMENT of FEEE

Total of 95 employees - FTE of 75,6

The main research directions are related to Energy Systems and climate technologies

- Heating systems
- Bioeconomy
- Waste Management
- Eco-design and Life Cycle Analysis
- Socio-economic Aspects of Energy Supply

Study program: «Environmental engineering»

INSTITUTE OF POWER ENGINEERING of FEEE

Total of 45 employees - FTE of 35,51

The main research direction is Intelligent Operation and Control of Power systems

- Control, optimization and automation of electricity generation, transmission and distribution
- Simulation of power systems and their elements
- Prediction of power system operation modes and behavior
- Technical and economic assessment and decision making for energy systems

Study program: «Smart power systems»

STUDY PROCESS in FEEE

Study programs «Computer control of electrical technologies» and «Adaptronics»



- «Computer control of electrical technologies» professional programs in B, M
 levels, academic in D level, «Adaptronics» – professional programs in B, M levels
- Knowledge and practical skills in **industrial** automation and power electronics
- Professional qualifications of Electrical
 Engineer and Leading Electrical Engineer
- Internship in industrial enterprises during studies

STUDY PROCESS in FEEE

Study program «Environmental engineering»



- «Environmental engineering» academic programs in B, M, D levels
- Knowledge and practical skills in heating systems, waste management, bioeconomy and life cycle analysis
- Innovative study methods e.g. field laboratory work, role plays
- Optional Internship in industrial enterprises during studies
- Double degree Masters program with Vilnius Tech (VGTU)

STUDY PROCESS in FEEE

Study program «Smart power systems»





- «Smart power systems» professional programs in B, M levels, academic in D level,
- Knowledge and practical skills in electricity
 generation, transmission and distribution
 systems
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RESEARCH in FEEE

- The latest international evaluation of scientific institutions in Latvia was carried out in 2019./20. by Technopolis Group - an international consultancy firm for the evaluation of science, technology and innovation.
- The results were received in May 2021.
- The research output for the period 2013. 2018. was assessed

Score: 4 – very good level of research

The faculty ranked among 16 best scientific institutions in Latvia

FINANCIAL SOURCES FOR RESEARCH

- Total research funding attracted in 2013 2018: 18.52 mEUR
- Total funding per researcher 2013 2018: 81.7 kEUR



- 44% of the budget has come from the state budget funding
- 56% has been attracted from international and industry research projects.

INTERNATIONAL VISIBILITY

- Participation in 43 international projects (8 projects were coordinated by the Faculty) with funding of 6.35 Million EUR from 2013-2018
- Cooperation with EC JRC
- 50.3% funding from international projects from 2013-2018
- EPE-ECCE'2018 conference in Riga (chairman prof.L.Ribickis)
- IEEE Chapters in PES, IAS, IES
- International scientific Conference of Environmental and Climate Technologies (CONECT) indexed in Scopus and WoS
- RTUCON annual conference indexed in Scopus (supported by IEEE)
- Annual international doctoral school in electrical engineering
- Academic staff participates in international activities in scientific community:
 - visiting professors, exchange programs, PhD evaluation commissions, professor evaluation commissions

In 2020. RTU was **the best university from Latvia** and one of the best 200 universities in the world in **«The Times Higher Education Impact Rankings** 2020»

Largely due to activities of FEEE, RTU was evaluated very well in the goals «Climate action» – 14. place and «Affordable and clean energy» - 34. place









RTU – among 60 greenest universities in the world – largely due to activities of FEEE

RTU scored the highest in 2 categories of the ranking:

- environmental science and education
- waste management





In engineering sciences in eneral RTU ranked in 401.– 450. place being the only university from Latvia in this position

Study directions	Score in Ranking
Power and electrical engineering	301. – 350.
Mechanics, aeronoutics	351. – 400.
Engineering sciences and technologies	401. – 450.
Business and management	451. – 500.
Computer sciences and ICT	551. – 600.



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