



## Technical University in Zvolen

**Short description:** The Technical University in Zvolen is a public university with an exceptional position within the higher education system of the Slovak Republic. It focuses on scientific, educational, research and development activities connected closely with socially important fields of forestry, wood sciences and technology, ecology, environmental sciences and related fields of science such as natural sciences, engineering, management and economics as well as visual arts. The university runs accredited bachelor's, master's and doctorate degree study programmes and certified LLL programmes. The university has applied a credit system compatible with the ECTS and enables completion of subjects, projects and practice at different colleges, universities or research workplaces in Slovakia or abroad.

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### List of faculties:

- Faculty of Forestry
- Faculty of Wood Sciences and Technology
- Faculty of Ecology and Environmental Sciences
- Faculty of Environmental and Manufacturing Technology

### Scientific research, international relations, projects:

Science and research at the university focus on



the adaptive management of forest ecosystems, wood products, fire safety and integrated safety, interior and furniture design, biodiversity and nature protection, landscape and applied ecology, environmental management, manufacturing and environmental technology, and renewable sources of energy. Individual departments solve tasks of basic and applied research mainly within the Slovak research and development agency and Scientific and Education grant agencies projects. The university is intensively engaged in international scientific projects, mostly through the EU Framework Programmes and COST schemes. International cooperation includes participation in international structures as well as bilateral agreements. The university is a member of the European University Association and many other significant specialist supranational organizations and associations. It becomes actively involved in IUFRO and EFI scientific activities. The university is involved in EU international activities in the field of education mainly through Erasmus+ and CEEPUS programmes.

- Number of students in 2016/17: **3,082**
- Number of scientific degree lecturers in 2016/17: **257**
- Foundation year: **1952**

