

PUC Minas

OFFICE OF INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS
Exchange Program



DO YOU KNOW HOW BIG BRAZIL IS?



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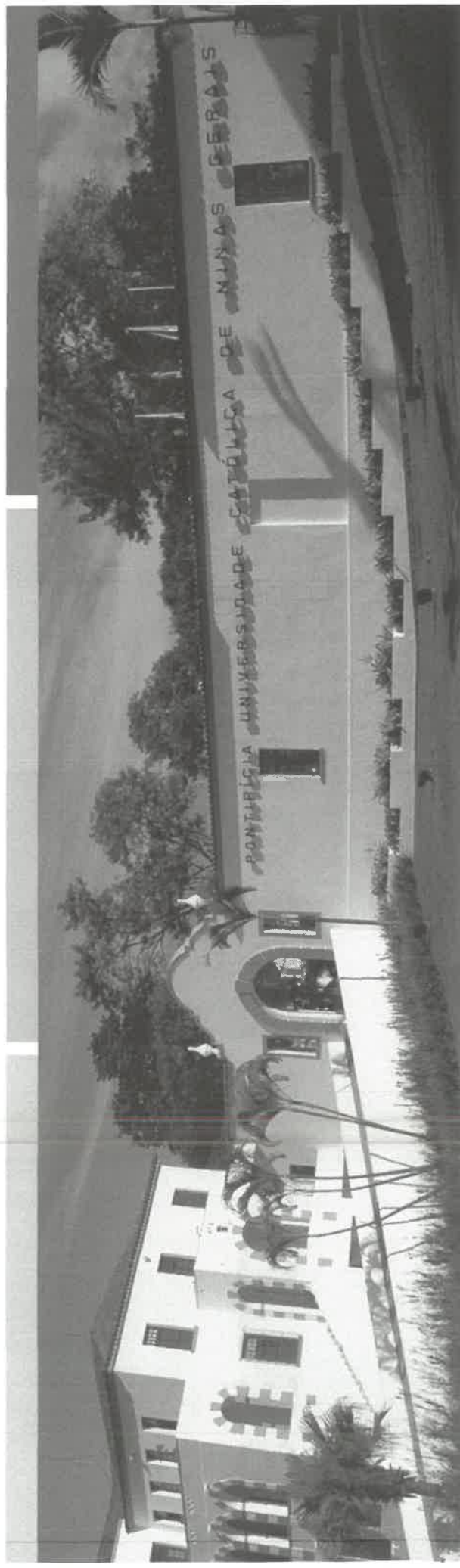
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ABOUT PUC MINAS

Founded in 1958

10 *campi* in Belo Horizonte metropolitan region and in Minas Gerais: Arcos, Barreiro, Betim, Contagem, Coração Eucarístico, Poços de Caldas, Praça da Liberdade, São Gabriel, Serro and Uberlândia.



ABOUT PUC MINAS

World's largest Catholic University

Considered 'Best private university' in Brazil in 2006, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013 and 2014 by Guia do Estudante.


Ranked as one of the World's Top Universities by Times Higher Education (2019, 2020).

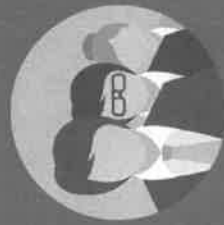


PUC MINAS IN NUMBERS


90.657 STUDENTS
OF UNDERGRADUATE AND GRADUATE PROGRAMS


170 PARTNERS
FROM AROUND 30 COUNTRIES

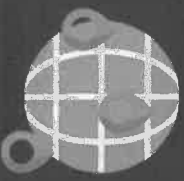

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BIGGEST GATHOLIC
UNIVERSITY IN THE WORLD

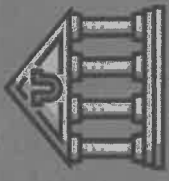

4.100
FACULTY AND
ADMINISTRATIVE
STAFF


+1,700
PUC EXCHANGE
STUDENTS

+160
OFFERED
UNDERGRADUATE
AND GRADUATE
PROGRAMS




+750 INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

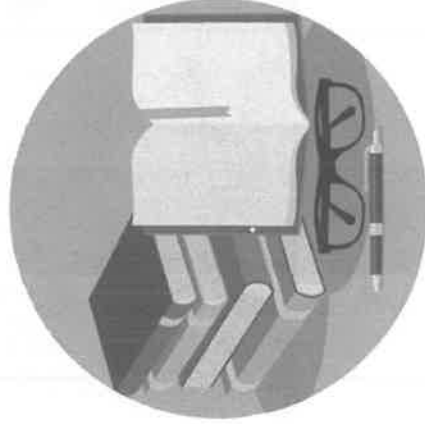

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CAMPUSES

INFRASTRUCTURE AND RESEARCH

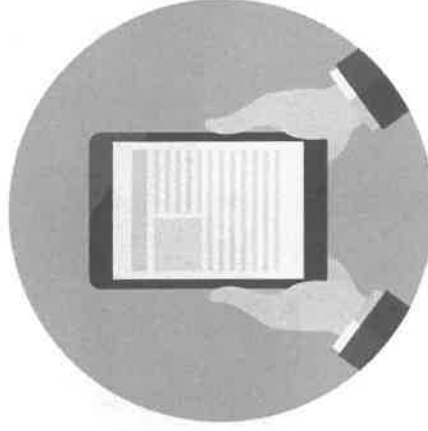
The infra-structure of PUC Minas includes buildings for classrooms, laboratories, libraries, a museum, multimedia rooms, theatres, auditoriums, veterinary hospitals, physiotherapy/dentistry/psychology clinics, a TV channel and other equipment integrating theory and practice, contributing to the ethical profile of competent professionals.



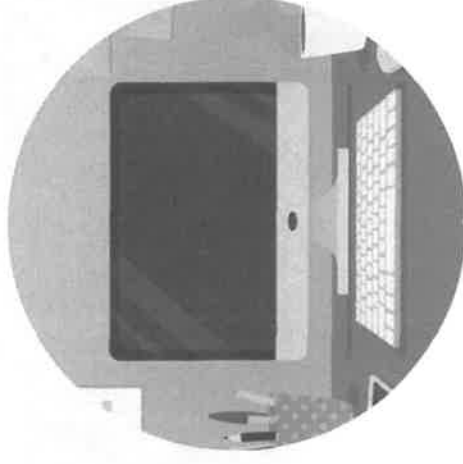
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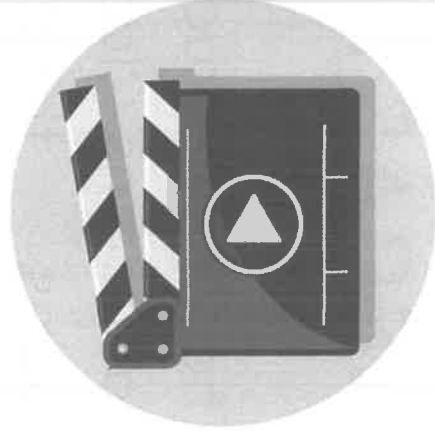
+800,000 titles



+16,000 e-books



Computers w/ free
access to the Internet



Movie Collection



Individual study rooms



Group study rooms

MUSEUM OF NATURAL SCIENCES

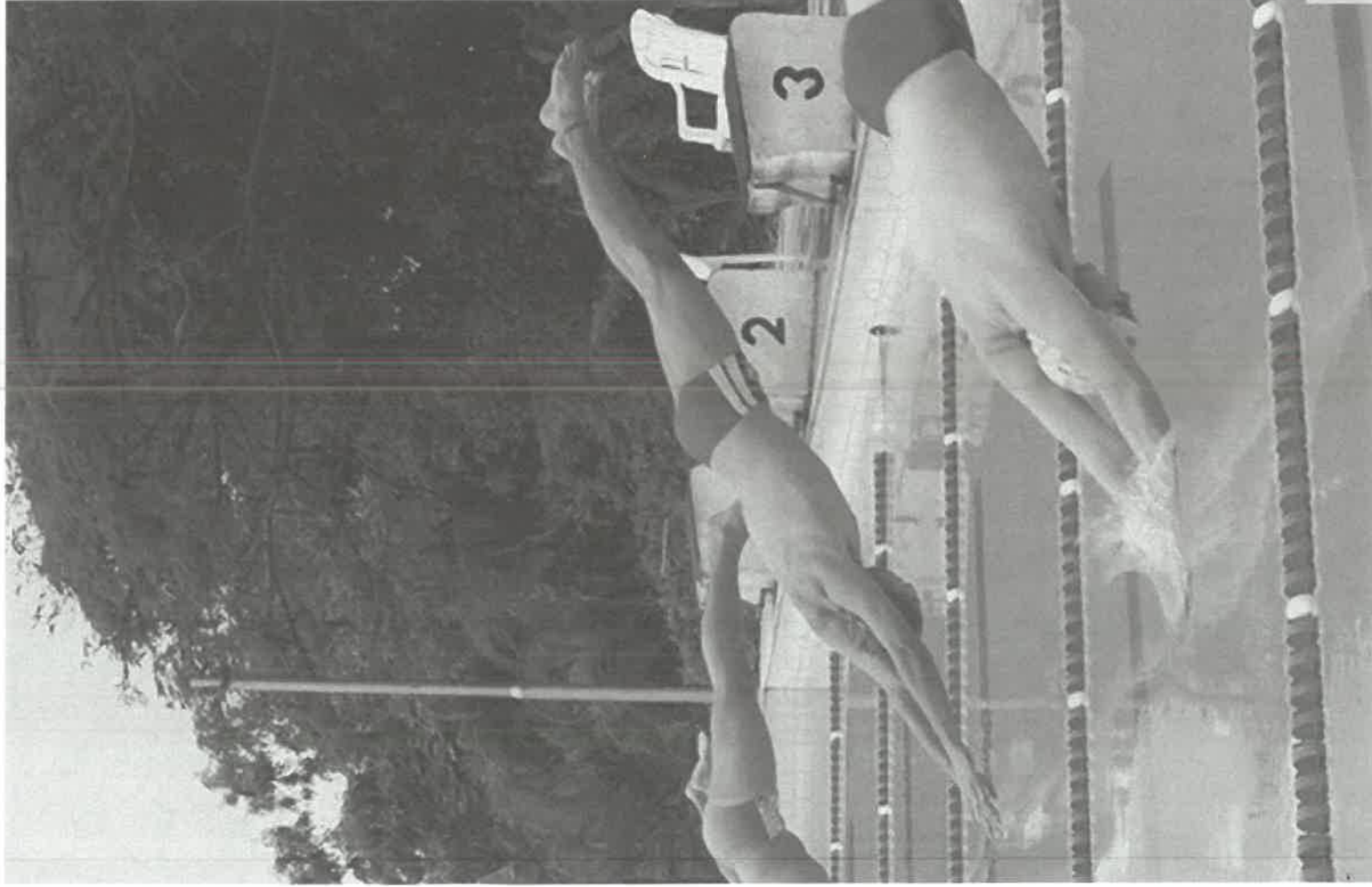
Established in 1983, has more than 135 thousand species of Brazilian fauna and flora.

Audio guide available in English and Spanish.



SPORTS COMPLEX

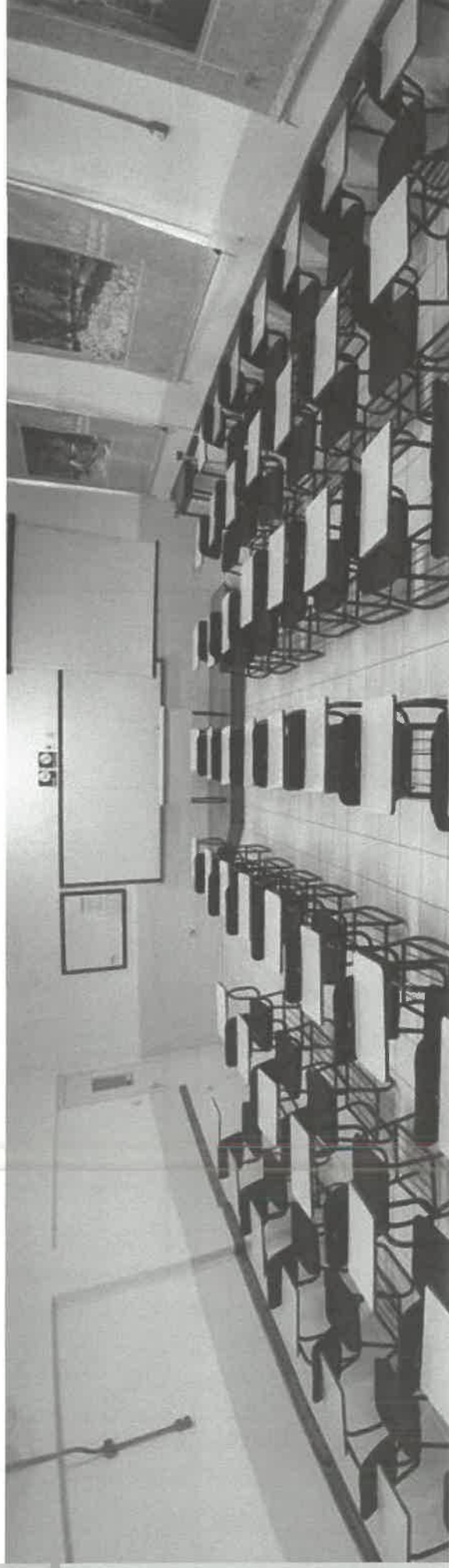
- 9 Multi-sports Courts; **FREE**
- Semi-Olympic Heated Swimming Pool; **FREE**
- Official Soccer Field; **FREE**
- Official Running Track;
- Gym;
- Dance room;
- Fight Room.



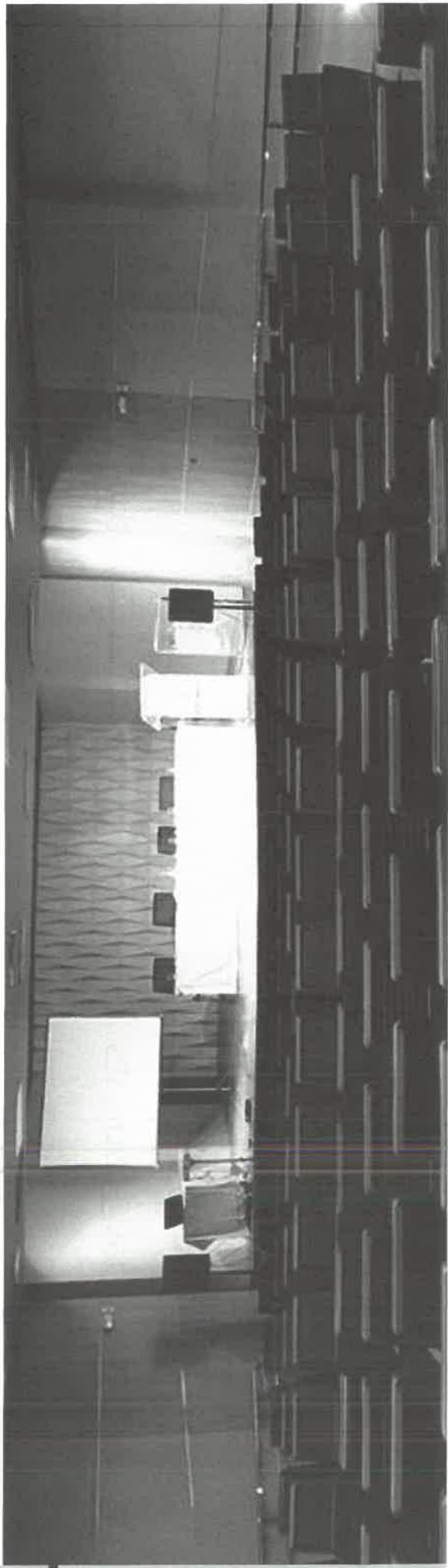
LABORATORIES



CLASSROOMS



THEATRES & AUDITORIUMS





NOMINATION PROCEDURE

International students must be nominated by their home university before proceeding with the application process. Required information: student name, study program, student email and semester of exchange. Nominations should be sent via email to **seplanrelint@pucminas.br**.



APPLICATION PROCEDURE

The students' host institution must send the Application Form (with the required documents attached) to PUC Minas' Office of International Affairs through the following email: **seplanrelint@pucminas.br**.

Application form and required documents:

<https://bit.ly/exchangeprogrampucminas>



DEADLINES

Nomination and application deadlines:

May 15: for exchange starting in August

October 15: for exchange starting in February



QUALIFICATIONS & REQUIREMENTS

- We do not have a minimum GPA requirement for admission, neither compulsory language requirements for exchange students.
- International students must hold a visa type vitem IV (student visa). To see the documents required, visit the website of the Brazilian Diplomatic Office in your home country.
- Health insurance is required, but it is the student's responsibility to choose the kind of insurance.

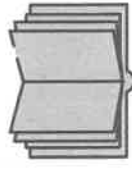


COURSES FOR EXCHANGE STUDENTS

Information about available programs of study can be found at:

<https://bit.ly/PUCMinasCourses>

PUC Minas offers a Portuguese as a Foreign Language Course free of charge for all interested exchange students.



AVERAGE COURSELOAD PER SEMESTER

The course load depends on the major chosen by the student, as well as on the number of subjects/courses the student will take. We recommend around 4 to 5 subjects per semester.

The **grading system** at PUC Minas goes from zero to 100 points. In order to succeed on a discipline, the minimum expected is 60 points.

TUITION & FEES

If the student is from a partner university, he or she may attend PUC Minas free of charge.

ESTIMATED LIVING EXPENSES

Around US\$ 300 plus accommodation per month.

ACCOMMODATION

PUC Minas does not have student housing or accommodation. However, we can suggest some options. The choice of accommodation, as well as its costs, are full responsibility of the student and must be paid directly to the service supplier. Approximate cost of accommodation per month: US\$ 300 to US\$ 500.



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