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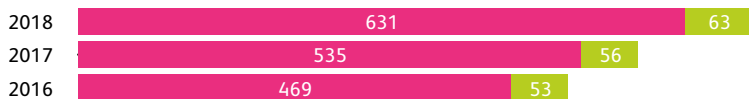
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FACTS AND FIGURES | 2018

Lucerne School of

Information Technology

The Lucerne School of Information Technology offers bachelor's and master's degree programmes in key IT disciplines as well as applied research and development in future-relevant areas of research. It is complemented by an attractive range of continuing and executive education programmes to help you stay at the top of your game.

Education

Year	Bachelor	Master
2018	631	63
2017	535	56
2016	469	53

■ Bachelor ■ Master
Number of students (as of 15 October)

694 students attended one of the 5 bachelor's and 2 master's programmes in the fields of Information and Cyber Security, Digital Ideation, Computer Science, International IT Management and Business Information Technology.
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694 bachelor's and master's students

Continuing and executive education

Year	MAS	CAS/DAS	Specialist course/seminar
2018	27	394	833
2017	22	304	300
2016	25	115	

■ Master of Advanced Studies (MAS)
■ Certificate of Advanced Studies (CAS) / Diploma of Advanced Studies (DAS)
■ Specialist course/seminar
Continuing and executive education programme data by calendar year.

Continuing and executive education programmes in Information and Cyber Security | Privacy, Data Intelligence and Big Data, Digital Value Creation as well as Networking and Innovative Technologies attracted a total of 1,254 persons.
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1,254 persons chose to expand their knowledge

Research

	2018	2017	2016
New projects	57	31	6
Funded by Innosuisse or SNSF*	7	8	1

57 new projects were initiated in 2018. Among the notable external funders were Innosuisse, SNSF, the Federal Government and a range of EU programmes.*
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57 new research projects

* Innosuisse: formerly Commission for Technology and Innovation (CTI);
  SNSF: Swiss National Science Foundation

Employees
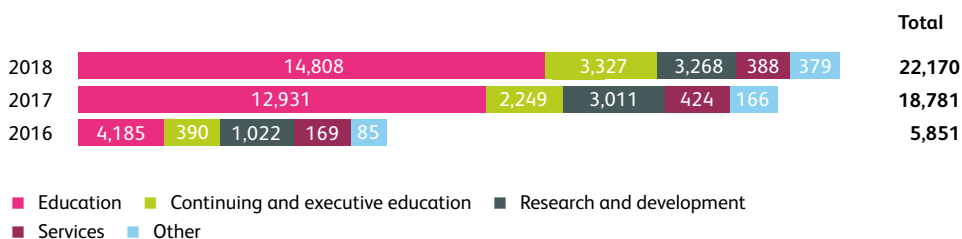
Employees by category (two days/week minimum)

Professors and lecturers	64
Assistants and research associates	34
Administrative and technical staff*	20

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Employees

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The number of employees – expressed in full-time equivalents – was 100 (calculation: FSO).

*incl. apprentices and interns

Net income in 1,000 CHF

	Education	Continuing and executive education	Research and development	Services	Other	Total
2018	14,808	3,327	3,268	388	379	**22,170**
2017	12,931	2,249	3,011	424	166	**18,781**
2016	4,185	390	1,022	169	85	**5,851**

■ Education ■ Continuing and executive education ■ Research and development
■ Services ■ Other

The net income includes funding from the Swiss Federation (25 %), Intercantonal Agreement cantons (37 %), other cantons (12 %) and third parties (26 %).

Organisation

Senior Management

Dean
Prof. Dr. René Hüsler

Vice Dean, Degree Programmes
Prof. Dr. Martin Zimmermann

Head of Research (ad interim)*
Prof. Dr. René Hüsler

Head of Continuing and Executive Education
Prof. Ursula Sury

*from 9 September 2019 onwards: Dr. Eckart Zitzler

Programmes and focal points

8 Degree programmes (education)
– BSc in Digital Ideation
– BSc in Computer Science
– BSc in Information and Cyber Security
– BSc in International IT Management
– BSc in Business Information Technology
– MSc in Engineering, Specialisation ICT
– MSc in Business Information Technology
– MSc in Specialized Media and IT Teaching and Learning Methods (registration through the Schwyz University of Teacher Education)

9 Research topics
– Artificial Intelligence
– Augmented and Virtual Reality
– Blockchain and Smart Contracts
– Data Science and Big Data
– Digital Business
– Information Security and Privacy
– Mobile & Smart Systems
– Social Informatics
– Visual Computing

4 continuing and executive education topics
– Information and Cyber Security | Privacy
– Data Intelligence and Big Data
– Digital Value Creation
– Networking and Innovative Technologies

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