

## **BSRUN Members' News. 17-23 November 2020**

### **Francisk Skorina Gomel State University**

The University celebrates its 90th anniversary! On this occasion, the rector Sergey Khakhomov sent his congratulations to the staff and students, an overview of GSU achievements was made, an exhibition of employees' scientific achievements and innovative developments was opened, honoring ceremony for the best representatives of the university staff was organised, a solemn reception of honored workers and labor veterans of the university and a musical concert was held.

<https://gsu.by/ru/node/3802>

### **University of Turku**

The University of Turku is among World's Best Universities in Graduate Employability according to The Global University Employability Ranking 2020 published by Times Higher Education. It lists 250 universities producing the most employable graduates. The University of Turku was placed 248th.

<https://www.utu.fi/en/news/news/university-of-turku-among-worlds-best-universities-in-graduate-employability>

### **Gdansk University of Technology**

Almost PLN 7 million from the National Science Centre will be transferred for the implementation of projects at GUT. On results of the OPUS and PRELUDIUM competitions, 13 projects of GUT researchers were chosen for funding.

<https://pg.edu.pl/aktualnosci/2020-11/prawie-7-mln-zl-z-ncn-na-realizacje-projektow-na-pg>

### **University of Lodz**

The University of Lodz is the third in Poland in terms of the number of foreign students. This is the best result in the history of the university and more than a 13-fold increase in 10 years. In the latest report of the Central Statistical Office, only the Jagiellonian University and the University of Warsaw are ahead of UL. In 2019, 1801 foreign students and about 1500 participants of short-term exchanges including students of the Polish Language Study for Foreigners studied at UL. This is a great success of UL internationalisation strategy.

<https://www.uni.lodz.pl/aktualnosc/szczegoly/zagraniczni-studenci-na-uczelnia-3-w-polsce>

### **University of Warsaw**

On the results of OPUS and PRELUDIUM competitions, announced by the National Science Centre, there are 76 projects of UW scientists among awarded projects.

<https://www.uw.edu.pl/wyniki-konkursow-opus-i-preludium-ncn/>

### **Immanuel Kant Baltic Federal University**

IKBFU International Students conducted open online classes in their native languages. On seven online sites, international students told about the language and culture of their native country. Over 600 people participated in the event.

<https://eng.kantiana.ru/news-events/news/ikbfu-international-students-conducted-open-online-classes-in-their-native-languages>

### **St. Petersburg Electrotechnical University**

Closed Universities, Open to the World: ETU "LETI" participated in the Discussion on internalisation and international development in the pandemic circumstances. The university not only monitors changes and trends in the international educational market but also initiates and pioneers new educational formats for the transfer of unique knowledge and skills. The university launched professional online schools for international students, as well as online student exchange projects organised in cooperation with foreign colleagues.

<https://etu.ru/en/university/news/closed-universities-open-to-the-world-etu-leti-participated-in-the-discussion-on-international-development-during-the-pandemic>

### **Yaroslav-The-Wise Novgorod State University**

NovSU plans to create an artificial intelligence laboratory. A new master's programme in artificial intelligence and data analysis was developed by NovSU and St. Petersburg State University. This programme will be included in the curriculum in 2021. The programme will enhance the status of the university and attract new students. The new educational product was developed by world-class specialists and is unique in this field.

<https://www.novsu.ru/news/90930/>