

## The University of Electro-Communications

## [UEC ASEAN Research Center (UARC)]

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## Introduction

The University of Electro-Communications (UEC) is a national university, which is located in Chofu city, the western part of Tokyo, Japan. UEC was founded in 1918 as the Technical Institution for Wireless-Communication. UEC will celebrate 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary in 2018.

As of May 2016, UEC has 3,518 undergraduate and 949 graduate students, while 255 out of them are international students from more than 35 countries.

UEC is one of 19 universities participating in "The Program for Promoting the Enhancement of Research Universities" launched by Japanese Government in FY2013 to help strengthen the research capabilities and to support universities that engage in highly advanced, world-class research activities.



## **Major activities**





In February 2014, UEC launched the UEC ASEAN Research Center (UARC) with the cooperation of King Mongkut's University of Technology Thonburi (KMUTT) - UEC's partner University - as the center of UEC's activities in Thailand and other Southeast Asian countries.

UARC is going to take an active role in the coordination of research collaboration with local universities and enterprises which includes accelerating exchange of students in Thailand and other Southeast Asian countries.

