

CENTRAL EUROPEAN EDUCATION AND LIFELONG LEARNING EXHIBITION GAUDEAMUS – AKADÉMIA BRATISLAVA 2025

Report on the progress of the fair from October 30, 2025

(Issued by the fair organizer, MP-Soft, a.s.)

28th year of the Central European education and lifelong learning exhibition Gaudeamus – Akadémia Bratislava 2025 took place from 7 to 9 October 2025 at the Incheba Expo Bratislava exhibition centre in hall B2.

The fair offered to visitors **459 represented universities, colleges, faculties, and other educational institutions**. Students could choose from more than **7,000 fields of study**. In addition to domestic universities, educational institutions from **19 other countries** were also represented at the fair. Those interested could choose from the study offer in Slovak Republic, Czech Republic, Great Britain, Denmark, the Netherlands, Switzerland, Spain, France, Ireland, Austria, United Arab Emirates, Finland, Belgium, Australia, Lithuania, Germany, Malta, Japan, Italy and Switzerland.

Attendance of the 28th year of the fair:

Day	Number of visitors	Number of teachers
7th October 2025	4 244	113
8th October 2025	5 027	107
9th October 2025	3 418	64
Total	12 689	284

During its three days, the fair was visited by 12,689 visitors, including 284 secondary school teachers and guidance counsellors. This represent a record number of visitors for the entire history of the fair.

A total of 11,643 students registered at www.gaudeamus-sk.sk. 10,204 of them completely filled out the registration questionnaire. 309 educators also registered to visit the fair. All registered teachers received a free ticket to the fair.

A Test of Study Types was available to visitors. The result of the test is placement of the student in one of five study types (economic, technical, humanitarian, natural science, artistic). Each type is assigned an icon and an identification colour. The exhibitor's booths were marked by icons of the corresponding study types. Designation of study types with icons was also implemented on the Gaudeamus.cz, Gaudeamus-sk.sk portals and in the Gaudeamus Guide and Gaudeamus Advisor mobile applications. According to this designation, students could more easily find a study program corresponding to their type. Invitation to the Study Types Test was sent to all registered students. 4,872 (48,4 % of visitors) took the Test of Study Types.

Study type	Share of results
Humanities	24,6 %
Economics	22,8 %
Art	21,0 %
Science	20,5 %
Technology	11,1 %

Basic characteristics of visitors:

Gender	
Female	61,5 %
Male	38,5 %
Age	
18 - 21	68,1 %
15 - 17	31,5 %
22 - 25	0,2 %
25+	0,1 %
Type of school currently studied	
Grammar school	58,1 %
Vocational school	41,1 %
University	0,5 %
Other	0,4 %
Year of high school study	
4th year	58,8 %
3rd year	29,4 %
2nd year	7,6 %
Other	4,1 %

Regional distribution of attendance:

Region	Share of visitors
Bratislavský	29,5 %
Žilinský	17,3 %
Trenčianský	17,0 %
Trnavský	14,5 %
Nitrianský	9,6 %
Banskobystrický	8,4 %
Prešovský	1,9 %
Košický	1,8 %