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University : Gebze Technical University

Country : Türkiye

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[1] Setting and Infrastructure (SI)

[1.4] Campus Setting







Description:

Gebze Technical University is situated in the heart of industry, in a key location that connects Asia and Europe. It is a maximum of 1 hour away from the cities of Istanbul, Kocaeli, Sakarya, Bursa, and Yalova, 15 minutes away from Sabiha Gökçen Airport, and also in the center of approximately 20 million people. Gebze is the center of industry; there are numerous organised industrial zones around the GTU campus, which increases the chances of collaboration with industry.

The GTU campus is easily accessible by public transport to and from Istanbul and Kocaeli. Commuting to GTU has become much easier since the completion of the Marmaray project (two stations of which are located within our campus).

Every step you take after entering the GTU campus will take you back centuries in history as centenary plane trees welcome you. The campus awaits you right next to the Sultan's Meadow (Hünkar Çayırı), where Mehmed the Conqueror (Fatih Sultan Mehmet) built his pavilion and breathed his last. Our campus is breathtaking, with a green area the size of Kınalıada (one of the Princes' Islands in Istanbul) and faculty buildings that do not disturb the natural texture.