# About Kingston University

## Location

The University is based in Kingston upon Thames, a busy riverside town on the borders of London and Surrey. Kingston upon Thames has something for everyone, including:

* a wide selection of shops, bars, restaurants and pubs
* easy access to beautiful countryside, such as Richmond Park and Hampton Court
* a rich history dating back to Anglo-Saxon times



Kingston has 4 campus sites [Note to web designer – hyperlink to the campus page here on the words “4 campus sites”]

## Organisation

Kingston Universities is divided into a number of faculties – the Arts and Social Science faculty has the greatest number of undergraduate students with the other faculties ranked as follows:

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|  | **Faculty** | **Number of Undergraduates** |
| 1 | Arts and Social Science | 4154 |
| 2 | Business and Law | 3155 |
| 3 | Science | 2857 |
| 4 | Art, Design and Architecture | 2274 |
| 5 | Engineering | 1377 |
| 6 | Comp, IS and Maths | 1209 |
| 7 | Health and Social Care sciences | 444 |

Which is 15,470 undergraduate students (2008/2009 academic year)

## Why choose Kingston?

The top 4 reasons for choosing Kingston are:-

1. Quality of the courses
2. Closeness to London
3. Employability rate of graduates
4. Reputation of Kingston