

Gambelas Campus, University of Algarve, Faro, Algarve, Portugal



With more than 30 years as community service, the **University of Algarve** (UAlg) has consolidated its development, both in terms of organization and administration, both in academic and teaching.

Responding to the challenges and demands of present time, UAlg fosters teaching and research quality, promotes mobility and investment in scientific and technological innovation.

The University of Algarve has ample space, infrastructure and equipment which offer excellent conditions for study, work, research and socialization to a population of about 10 000 students, 700 teachers and 400 employees.

Gambelas Campus is the main one, with lecture halls and seminar rooms, technological equipments, restaurants, and all the necessary conditions for an international congress.

This Campus is located in Faro, at only 4 miles from the downtown. This city has approximately 100.000 habitants and it's the capital of Algarve.



Algarve is one of the most famous touristic regions in the south of Europe, with an excellent weather, security, lot of beaches, and many touristic attractions. Furthermore, Algarve was recognized for several times in the last years as the Best World Golf Destination, by the International Association of Golf Tour Operators – IAGTO. Recently (2012), at the World Travel Awards (WTA), Algarve was elected the Europe’s Leading Beach Destination and the Europe’s Leading Golf Destination.



Faro it's located in the middle of Algarve, in the beautiful "Ria Formosa". This was elected as one of the Seven Nature Wonders of Portugal in 2010.



Nevertheless it's a small city, Faro was the National Capital of Culture in 2005, and has an important cultural agenda, namely in the summer season, with several initiatives of art expositions, theater, dance and music presentations, and gastronomic events.



Faro has an international airport, with diary direct low cost flights from the main cities of the Europe, and also from other cities of the world. The airport distance from the university is just 3 miles, and the distance to Faro center town is just 4 miles.

The distance between Faro and Lisbon (capital of Portugal) is 170 miles. It takes 3 hours by train or by bus, and 30 minutes by plane.



Welcome!