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INTRODUCTION

**International Visiting Professors at Nakhchivan State University
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Nakhchivan State University (NSU) continues to strengthen its position as a modern, internationally engaged, and research-oriented higher education institution through the active integration of international academic expertise into its teaching, research, and innovation ecosystem. The invitation of distinguished international professors has become one of the key pillars of the University's internationalization strategy, contributing significantly to the enhancement of educational quality, research capacity, and global academic collaboration.

During the second semester of the 2025–2026 academic year, Nakhchivan State University hosted 28 international professors from the Republic of Türkiye, representing some of the country's most respected and prestigious higher education institutions, including Istanbul University, Istanbul University-Cerrahpaşa, Acıbadem University, Karadeniz Technical University, and several other leading universities. These distinguished scholars joined the University as visiting professors and made substantial contributions to academic life through teaching, research, mentoring, and professional development activities.

The involvement of international faculty members has played a particularly important role in supporting the University's English-medium and internationally oriented academic programmes. Their expertise has directly contributed to the development of educational provision within the Faculty of Medicine, Faculty of Architecture and Engineering, Faculty of Foreign Languages, Faculty of Economics and Management, and Faculty of Natural Sciences and Agriculture. Through their participation, students have benefited from exposure to diverse academic perspectives, contemporary teaching methodologies, and international professional standards.

One of the most significant achievements of the 2025–2026 academic year has been the enrichment of both undergraduate and graduate curricula through the introduction and delivery of modern, future-oriented courses. Visiting professors taught a wide range of specialized subjects,



including Artificial Intelligence, Data Analytics, Cloud Computing Technologies, Virtualization, Digital Electronics, Robotics and Coding, SCADA Systems, Systems Analysis and Design, Hydrology, Waste-Free Production Processes and Waste Recycling, and numerous other disciplines that reflect the evolving demands of the global labour market and the digital transformation of society. These courses have strengthened students' technical, analytical, and research competencies while supporting the University's commitment to innovation-driven education.

A defining feature of the visiting professor programme has been its emphasis on project-based learning and practice-oriented education. International professors actively incorporated real-world case studies, interdisciplinary projects, applied research assignments, and problem-solving activities into their teaching. This approach enabled students to move beyond theoretical knowledge and develop practical skills relevant to contemporary professional environments. As a result, students gained valuable experience in critical thinking, teamwork, innovation, and research-based learning.

Beyond classroom instruction, visiting professors became actively involved in the University's research ecosystem. Working closely with academic departments, research centers, and faculty-based research groups, they contributed to the development of collaborative scientific initiatives and interdisciplinary research projects. These collaborations have generated tangible academic outcomes, including the publication of research

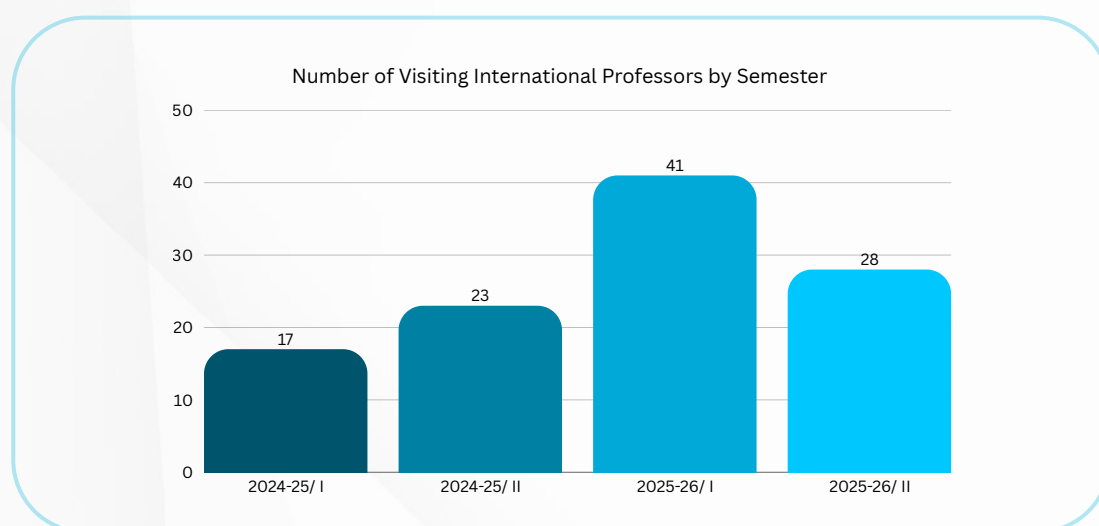
articles, conference proceedings, and book chapters in internationally recognized journals and publishing platforms. Such activities have strengthened the University's research profile and expanded opportunities for international scholarly cooperation.



International professors also made important contributions to capacity building and professional development across the institution. Throughout their appointments, they organized and delivered seminars, workshops, training programmes, and mentoring sessions for both students and academic staff. These activities addressed a wide range of topics, including emerging technologies, artificial intelligence applications, digital transformation, engineering innovation, sustainability, medical education, research methodologies, scientific publishing, and contemporary pedagogical approaches. Through these engagements, participants gained new knowledge, practical skills, and international perspectives that will continue to benefit the University in the years ahead.

The successful implementation of the International Visiting Professors Programme demonstrates Nakhchivan State University's commitment to academic excellence, internationalization, innovation, and research development. By bringing leading international scholars to the campus, the University creates an environment that encourages intellectual exchange, fosters global partnerships, enhances educational quality, and prepares students to succeed in an increasingly interconnected and knowledge-based world.

Nakhchivan State University expresses its sincere appreciation to all visiting professors and partner universities for their valuable contributions. Their dedication, expertise, and collaboration have made a lasting impact on the University's academic community and have further strengthened its mission to provide internationally competitive education and research opportunities for future generations.



NSU ranks first among Azerbaijani universities in the number of international professors.

*Prof. Dr.***Ahmet Ocak AKDEMİR**

Home University: Ağrı İbrahim Çeçen University, Türkiye

Faculty at Nakhchivan State University:
Faculty of Architecture and Engineering;
Faculty of Physics and Mathematics

Total Teaching Hours: 112 Hours

Courses Taught:

- Mathematical Modelling and Geometry
- Calculus II

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As part of Nakhchivan State University's commitment to strengthening excellence in science, engineering, and mathematics education, Prof. Dr. Ahmet Ocak Akdemir from Ağrı İbrahim Çeçen University joined the University as an international visiting professor during the 2025–2026 academic year. His academic expertise in Applied Mathematics, Mathematical Analysis, Foundations of Mathematics, and Mathematical Logic significantly contributed to the enhancement of teaching and research activities within the Faculties of Architecture and Engineering and Physics and Mathematics.

During his appointment, Prof. Dr. Akdemir delivered a total of 112 teaching hours in the courses Mathematical Modelling and Geometry and Calculus II. These courses provided students with a comprehensive understanding of advanced mathematical concepts and their practical applications in engineering, architecture, and scientific research. Through a carefully structured curriculum, students developed analytical and quantitative skills essential for solving complex real-world problems and conducting rigorous scientific investigations.

In the Mathematical Modelling and Geometry course, students explored mathematical techniques used to represent, analyze, and optimize physical and engineering systems. The course emphasized the role of mathematical modelling in addressing contemporary challenges across various disciplines, enabling students to understand how abstract mathematical concepts can be transformed into practical solutions. Particular attention was given to problem-solving approaches, logical reasoning, and the application of mathematical methods in interdisciplinary contexts.

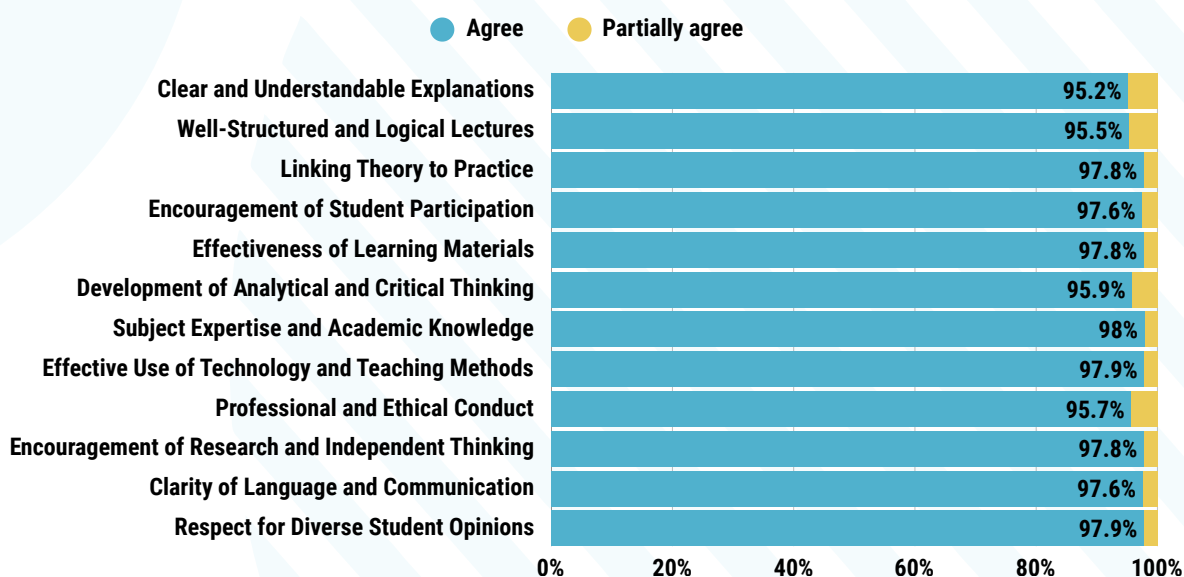
Through the Calculus II course, students strengthened their knowledge of integral calculus, series, multivariable functions, and advanced analytical methods. The course enhanced their ability to apply mathematical analysis to scientific and engineering problems while fostering a deeper appreciation of the theoretical foundations that underpin modern technological development. Prof. Dr. Akdemir's teaching approach encouraged active participation, critical thinking, and the development of strong mathematical reasoning skills.

Beyond his classroom responsibilities, Prof. Dr. Akdemir actively contributed to the academic environment of the University through collaboration with faculty members and students. Drawing upon his expertise in mathematical analysis and logic, he supported discussions related to scientific research methodologies, mathematical problem-solving, and the integration of theoretical and applied mathematics in research projects. His engagement helped strengthen academic cooperation and promoted the exchange of international experience and best practices.

As part of his broader contribution to institutional development, Prof. Dr. Akdemir conducted a professional training session entitled “Effective Academic Presentation and Communication.” The training provided valuable guidance to academic staff and students on the principles of effective scientific communication, presentation design, public speaking, and the dissemination of research findings. Participants gained practical skills for delivering impactful academic presentations, improving professional communication, and enhancing their ability to engage with national and international academic audiences.



The participation of distinguished international scholars such as Prof. Dr. Ahmet Ocak Akdemir reflects the growing importance of global academic partnerships in advancing higher education at Nakhchivan State University. Through his teaching, academic mentorship, and professional development activities, he has made a valuable contribution to strengthening mathematical education, supporting research excellence, and preparing students for successful careers in science, engineering, and related fields. His involvement has further reinforced the University’s mission to cultivate analytical thinking, innovation, and academic achievement in an increasingly knowledge-driven world.





Prof. Dr.
Aysel ERSOY

Home University: Istanbul University-Cerrahpaşa, Türkiye

Faculty at Nakhchivan State University:
Faculty of Architecture and Engineering;
Center for Master's and Doctoral Studies

Total Teaching Hours: 353 Hours

Courses Taught:

- Artificial Intelligence and Its Applications
- Digital Electronics II
- Basis of Electronics
- Electricity

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As part of Nakhchivan State University's commitment to strengthening engineering education, technological innovation, and digital transformation, Prof. Dr. Aysel Ersoy from Istanbul University-Cerrahpaşa joined the University as an international visiting professor during the 2025–2026 academic year. Her expertise in Electrical and Electronics Engineering, Energy Systems, High Voltage Technologies, and emerging technological applications contributed significantly to the academic development of both undergraduate and graduate students. Her participation also strengthened international academic cooperation and promoted the exchange of contemporary engineering knowledge.

During her academic appointment, Prof. Dr. Ersoy taught the courses Basis of Electronics, Electricity, Digital Electronics II, and Artificial Intelligence and Its Applications for students of the Faculty of Architecture and Engineering and the Center for Master's and Doctoral Studies. Through these courses, students acquired both theoretical knowledge and practical perspectives on modern engineering systems, electronic technologies, and contemporary digital innovations. The curriculum was designed to prepare students for the technological challenges of today's rapidly evolving engineering environment.

The courses in electronics and electricity provided students with a solid foundation in electrical principles, electronic circuits, and technological systems that form the basis of modern engineering applications. Through Digital Electronics II, students explored digital systems, logic design, and electronic technologies that play a vital role in automation and intelligent engineering solutions. Particular emphasis was placed on developing analytical thinking, engineering problem-solving skills, and the practical application of theoretical knowledge in real-world contexts.

In the course Artificial Intelligence and Its Applications, students were introduced to the rapidly evolving field of artificial intelligence and its growing impact on science, technology, and industry. By examining current AI applications and intelligent systems, they gained valuable insights into how emerging technologies are transforming engineering practices, research activities, and decision-making processes across different sectors. The course also encouraged students to develop innovative thinking and explore interdisciplinary applications of artificial intelligence.

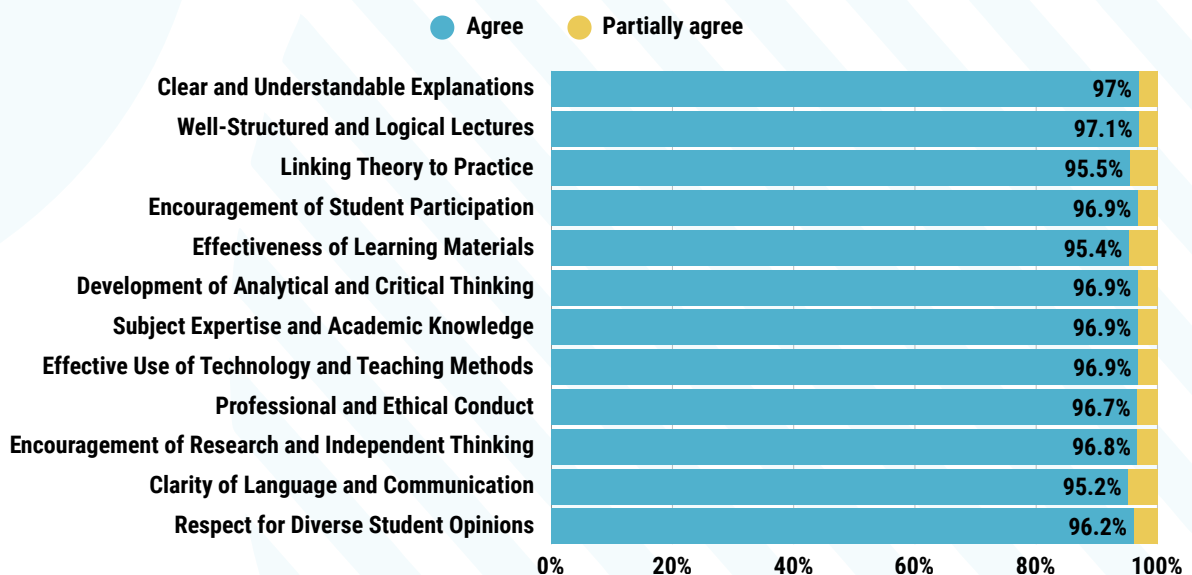


Prof. Dr. Ersoy's teaching approach emphasized interactive learning, critical thinking, and the practical application of engineering knowledge. By integrating modern educational technologies and English-medium instruction, she helped students strengthen both their technical competencies and professional communication skills.

Alongside her teaching activities, Prof. Dr. Ersoy delivered a professional training session entitled "Trauma-Informed Education: Supporting the Psychological Well-Being of University Students". She also co-authored the academic book *Advanced Photovoltaic Technologies and Systems*, which examines recent developments in photovoltaic technologies, renewable energy systems, and energy storage, contributing to the University's research profile.



The contribution of international scholars such as Prof. Dr. Aysel Ersoy highlights the importance of global academic cooperation in advancing higher education at Nakhchivan State University. Beyond her teaching responsibilities, she provided academic guidance and research mentorship to students, encouraging their participation in scientific activities and innovative engineering projects. Through her educational, scientific, and professional contributions, she supported the University's mission of promoting academic excellence, internationalization, and the preparation of highly qualified engineers capable of meeting the demands of an increasingly technology-driven world.



*Prof. Dr.***Aslı Beyhan ACAR**

Home University: Istanbul University,
Türkiye

Faculty at Nakhchivan State University:
Faculty of Physics and Mathematics; Center
for Master's and Doctoral Studies

Total Teaching Hours: 45 Hours

Course Taught:

- Research Analytics

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As part of Nakhchivan State University's ongoing efforts to strengthen research capacity, academic excellence, and international collaboration, Prof. Dr. Aslı Beyhan Acar from Istanbul University joined the University as an international visiting professor during the 2025–2026 academic year. As a distinguished scholar in the fields of management and work psychology, human resources management, industrial relations, social policy, and research development, her contribution provided valuable interdisciplinary perspectives for graduate education and research activities.

During her academic appointment, Prof. Dr. Acar delivered 45 hours of instruction in the course Research Analytics for students of the Faculty of Physics and Mathematics as well as participants of the Center for Master's and Doctoral Studies. The course focused on modern approaches to research analysis, data interpretation, evidence-based decision-making, and the effective use of analytical tools in academic investigations. Students were introduced to contemporary research methodologies and gained practical knowledge on transforming data into meaningful scientific insights.

A key feature of her teaching was the emphasis on analytical thinking and research-driven problem solving. Through case studies, academic discussions, and practical exercises, participants developed skills in evaluating research findings, identifying trends, interpreting quantitative and qualitative data, and applying analytical methods to address complex academic and professional challenges. The course encouraged students to adopt a systematic and evidence-based approach to scientific inquiry, strengthening their readiness for advanced research and academic careers.

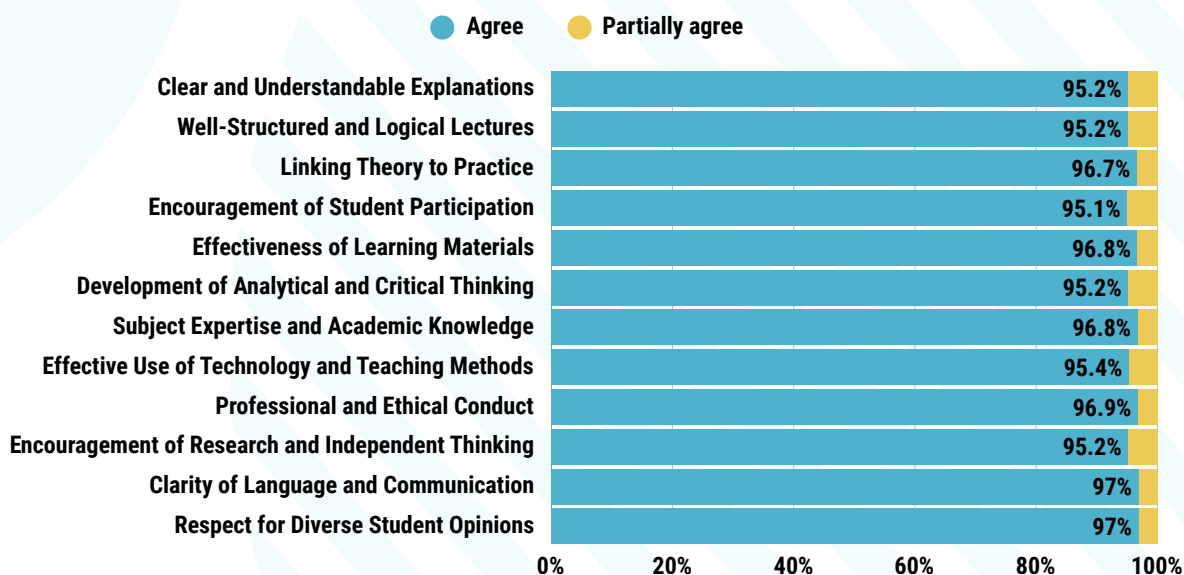
Beyond her teaching responsibilities, Prof. Dr. Acar actively engaged with master's and doctoral students, providing guidance on research design, academic writing, publication strategies, and professional development. Her extensive experience in social sciences, human resources management, and organizational studies offered students valuable insights into interdisciplinary research practices and international academic standards. These interactions contributed to the enhancement of research culture and academic productivity within the University.

As part of her broader academic engagement, Prof. Dr. Acar conducted a professional training session entitled “Lifelong Learning and the Experience of Istanbul University.” The training highlighted the importance of continuous professional development, lifelong learning strategies, and the role of higher education institutions in fostering sustainable knowledge acquisition throughout an individual’s career. Drawing upon the longstanding academic traditions and contemporary practices of Istanbul University, she shared valuable experiences regarding institutional development, academic innovation, and the cultivation of learning-oriented communities.

In addition to her educational activities, Prof. Dr. Acar participated in academic discussions with faculty members and researchers, contributing to the exchange of international perspectives on research management, graduate education, and academic quality enhancement. Her expertise in organizational behavior, work psychology, and human resource development provided a broader framework for understanding the human dimension of academic and institutional success.



The involvement of internationally recognized academics such as Prof. Dr. Aslı Beyhan Acar demonstrates the importance of global academic cooperation in advancing the strategic objectives of Nakhchivan State University. Through her teaching, mentoring, and professional development activities, she contributed to strengthening research competencies, promoting lifelong learning, and supporting the development of a dynamic academic environment that prepares researchers and graduates for the challenges of an increasingly knowledge-based society.



*Prof. Dr.***Derya GÜLEÇ ÖZER**

Home University: Istanbul Technical University , Türkiye

Faculty at Nakhchivan State University:
Faculty of Architecture and Engineering;
Center for Master's and Doctoral Studies

Total Teaching Hours: 149 Hours

Courses Taught:

- Architectural Design III
- Urban Planning and Smart Cities



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As part of Nakhchivan State University's commitment to advancing architectural education, sustainable urban development, and innovative design practices, Prof. Dr. Derya Güleç Özer joined the University as an international visiting professor during the 2025–2026 academic year. Her expertise in Architectural Design, Information Technologies in Architecture, and Planning and Project Implementation enriched both undergraduate and graduate education while contributing to the University's international academic environment.

During her appointment, Prof. Dr. Güleç Özer delivered 149 hours of teaching in the courses Architectural Design III and Urban Planning and Smart Cities. These courses provided students with comprehensive knowledge of contemporary architectural design principles, urban development strategies, and the integration of technology into the planning and management of modern cities.

Through the Architectural Design III course, students enhanced their design skills by working on architectural projects that combined creativity, functionality, and sustainability. The course encouraged students to develop innovative design solutions while considering aesthetic, environmental, and social aspects of the built environment. Particular attention was given to project development, design thinking, and the application of architectural concepts to real-world contexts.

In the course Urban Planning and Smart Cities, students explored contemporary approaches to urban development and the growing role of digital technologies in city management. The course introduced key concepts related to sustainable urban planning, smart infrastructure, digital transformation, and data-driven decision-making. Students gained insights into how technological innovations can contribute to more efficient, resilient, and livable urban environments.

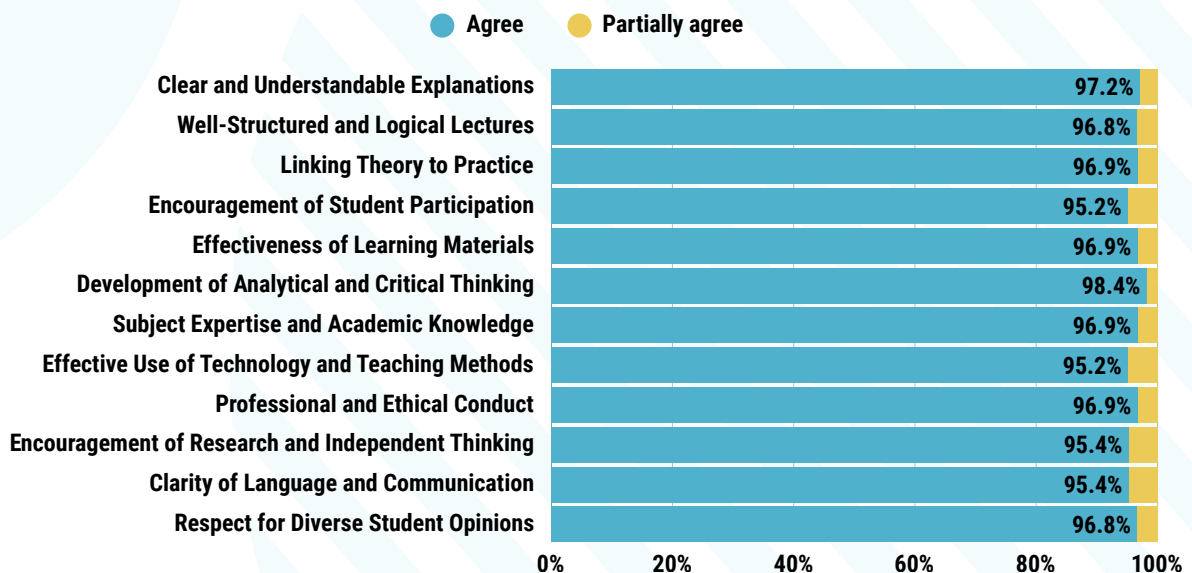


A distinctive feature of Prof. Dr. Güleç Özer's teaching was her emphasis on integrating technology with architectural and urban design processes. Drawing on her expertise in architectural information technologies, she encouraged students to adopt innovative perspectives, utilize digital tools, and consider interdisciplinary approaches when addressing contemporary architectural and urban challenges.

In addition to her teaching responsibilities, Prof. Dr. Güleç Özer conducted a professional training session entitled "Effective Academic Presentation and Communication." The training focused on presentation design, academic communication skills, public speaking techniques, and effective dissemination of research findings. Participants gained practical knowledge on how to communicate ideas clearly and confidently in academic and professional settings.



The contribution of international scholars such as Prof. Dr. Derya Güleç Özer reflects the importance of global academic cooperation in strengthening educational quality at Nakhchivan State University. Through her teaching, professional training, and engagement with students and academic staff, she supported the development of future architects and researchers while contributing to the University's goals of innovation, internationalization, and academic excellence.





Prof. Dr.
Erkan KILINÇ

Home University: Istanbul University-Cerrahpaşa, Türkiye

Faculty at Nakhchivan State University:
Faculty of Medicine (SABAH Groups)

Total Teaching Hours: 162 Hours

Courses Taught:

- Pathophysiology (English)
- Normal Physiology (English)
- Pathology II (English)

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As part of Nakhchivan State University's commitment to strengthening international medical education and expanding English-medium instruction, Prof. Dr. Erkan Kılınç from Istanbul University-Cerrahpaşa joined the University as an international visiting professor during the 2025–2026 academic year. His academic expertise supported the development of the Faculty of Medicine and contributed to enhancing the quality of education within the English-language SABAH groups. His participation also reinforced the University's international academic partnerships in the field of medical sciences.

During his appointment, Prof. Dr. Kılınç delivered a total of 162 teaching hours in the courses Pathophysiology, Normal Physiology, and Pathology II. The courses provided students with a comprehensive understanding of human physiology, disease mechanisms, and pathological processes while strengthening their professional medical terminology through English-language instruction. His teaching combined theoretical knowledge with practical medical perspectives relevant to contemporary healthcare education.

Through the Normal Physiology and Pathophysiology courses, students explored the normal functions of the human body and the physiological changes associated with disease development. Particular emphasis was placed on understanding the relationship between normal biological processes and pathological conditions, allowing students to build a strong scientific foundation for future clinical studies. Interactive discussions and scientific analysis encouraged students to develop critical thinking and clinical reasoning skills.

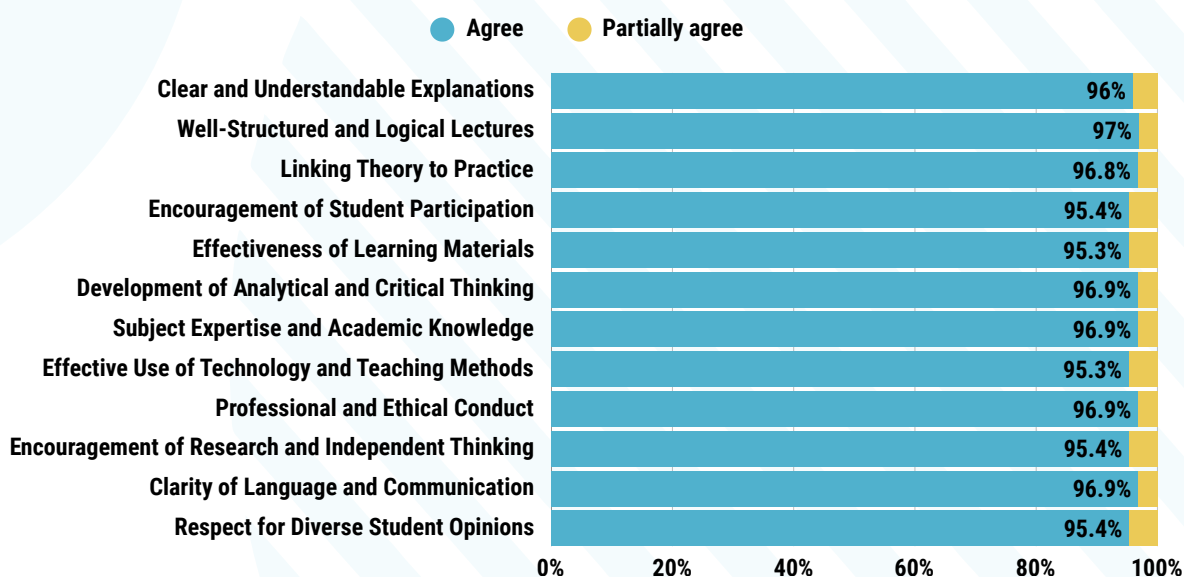
In the Pathology II course, students examined the structural and functional changes caused by disease and their significance in medical diagnosis and treatment. The course introduced modern concepts in pathology while emphasizing the interpretation of pathological findings within clinical practice. Students also gained a deeper understanding of evidence-based medicine and the importance of integrating pathology with other biomedical sciences.

Beyond his classroom responsibilities, Prof. Dr. Kılınc actively engaged with students and academic staff by promoting scientific inquiry, evidence-based learning, and interdisciplinary collaboration. His international academic experience encouraged the exchange of knowledge and best practices in medical education. Through his student-centered teaching approach, he supported the development of analytical, research, and professional competencies essential for future physicians.

As part of his broader contribution to institutional development, Prof. Dr. Kılınc conducted a professional training session entitled “Writing International Grant Projects and Project Management.” The training introduced participants to international research funding opportunities, proposal writing techniques, and effective project management strategies. It provided valuable guidance for academic staff seeking to strengthen research capacity and expand international scientific collaboration.



The participation of distinguished international scholars such as Prof. Dr. Erkan Kılınc reflects the growing importance of global academic partnerships in advancing higher education at Nakhchivan State University. Through his teaching, academic mentorship, and professional development activities, he made a valuable contribution to strengthening medical education, promoting research excellence, and preparing future healthcare professionals capable of meeting international standards.





Prof. Dr.
İsa ÖZAYDIN

Home University: Kafkas University & Iğdır University, Türkiye

Faculty at Nakhchivan State University:
Faculty of Natural Sciences and Agriculture

Total Teaching Hours: 86 Hours

Course Taught:

- Veterinary Surgery I

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As part of Nakhchivan State University's commitment to enhancing veterinary education through international academic cooperation, Prof. Dr. İsa Özaydın from Kafkas University and Iğdır University joined the University as an international visiting professor during the 2025–2026 academic year. His extensive academic and clinical experience in veterinary surgery contributed significantly to the professional development of students at the Faculty of Natural Sciences and Agriculture. His participation further strengthened cooperation between higher education institutions in Türkiye and Azerbaijan.

During his appointment, Prof. Dr. Özaydın delivered a total of 86 teaching hours in the course Veterinary Surgery I. The course provided students with a comprehensive understanding of the principles of veterinary surgery, including surgical techniques, preoperative and postoperative care, aseptic procedures, and clinical decision-making. Students also developed practical knowledge essential for diagnosing and managing surgical conditions in animals.

A key feature of his teaching was the integration of theoretical instruction with clinical practice. Through discussions of real clinical cases and professional experience, students improved their understanding of surgical interventions and modern veterinary treatment approaches. His teaching encouraged critical thinking and strengthened students' confidence in applying scientific knowledge to veterinary practice.

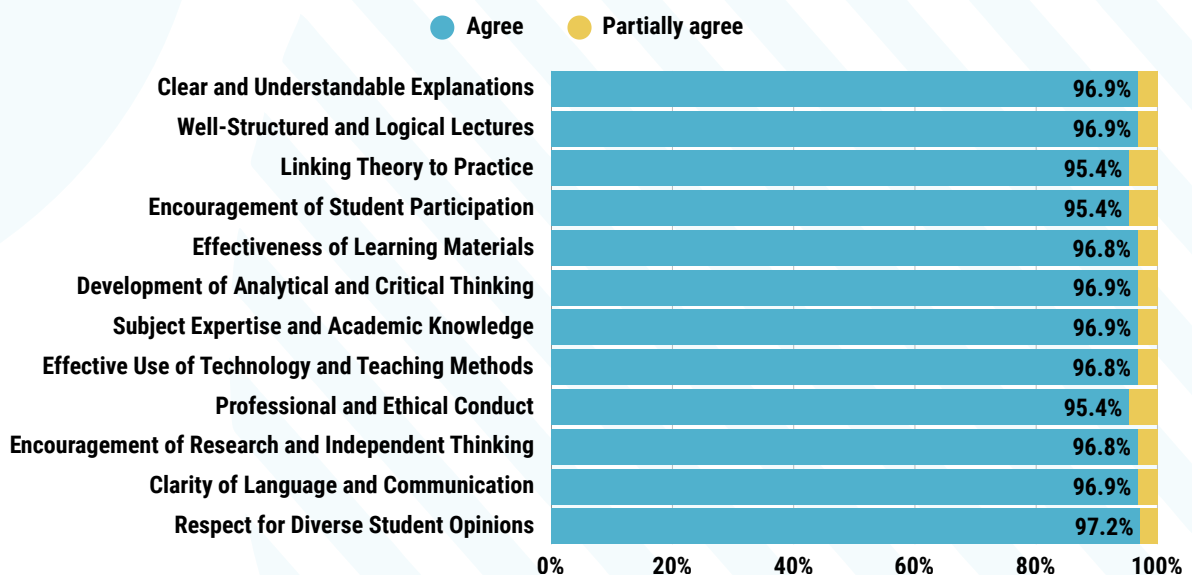


Beyond his classroom responsibilities, Prof. Dr. Özeydın played an important role in promoting practical veterinary education. Under his coordination, students from Nakhchivan State University visited the Animal Hospital of İğdır University, where they participated in hands-on training alongside academic staff and veterinary specialists. During the program, students observed and practiced procedures in internal medicine, surgery, obstetrics and gynecology, and advanced diagnostic imaging, gaining valuable clinical experience in a modern veterinary environment.

As part of his broader academic contribution, Prof. Dr. Özeydın conducted a professional training session entitled “Principles of Preparing Master's and Doctoral Theses.” The training introduced graduate students to the essential stages of thesis preparation, including research planning, scientific writing, methodology, and academic ethics. It also provided practical guidance on conducting high-quality research in accordance with international academic standards.



The participation of distinguished international scholars such as Prof. Dr. İsa Özeydın reflects the importance of global academic partnerships in advancing veterinary education at Nakhchivan State University. Through his teaching, clinical training activities, and academic mentorship, he made a valuable contribution to preparing highly qualified veterinary professionals while strengthening research culture and international collaboration within the University.





Prof. Dr.

Mehmet ADAK

Home University: Istanbul University, Türkiye

Faculty at Nakhchivan State University:

Faculty of Economics and Management

Total Teaching Hours: 116 Hours

Course Taught:

- Microeconomics

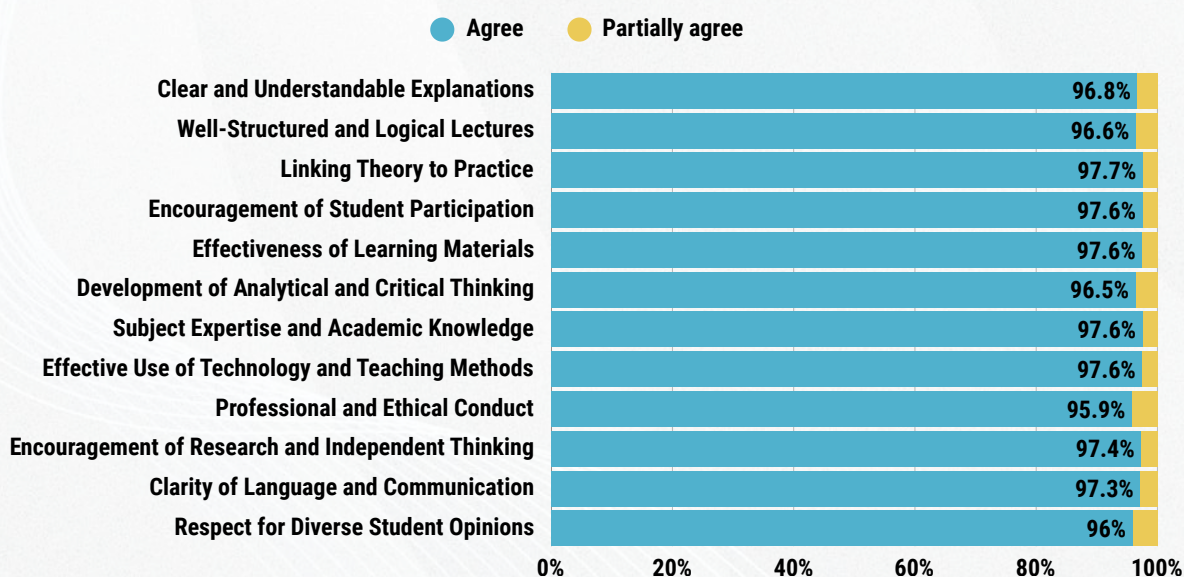


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Prof. Dr. Mehmet Adak from Istanbul University, who serves as Vice Rector and Dean of the Faculty of Economics, participated in academic activities at Nakhchivan State University as an international visiting professor. During the semester, he delivered 116 teaching hours in the course Microeconomics for students of the Faculty of Economics and Management, providing comprehensive knowledge of market structures, consumer and producer behavior, price mechanisms, and economic decision-making.

In addition to his teaching activities, Prof. Dr. Adak collaborated with the University's Education and Economic Development Research Group on the research project "Education and Economic Growth: The Case of Türkiye and Azerbaijan." The study examined the relationship between educational development and long-term economic growth, contributing to scientific cooperation and comparative research in development economics.

Through his teaching, research collaboration, and academic leadership experience, Prof. Dr. Adak contributed to strengthening economics education and international academic cooperation at Nakhchivan State University while supporting the University's commitment to academic excellence and sustainable development.



*Prof. Dr.***Faruk YILDIRIM****Home University:** Karadeniz Technical University, Türkiye**Faculty at Nakhchivan State University:**
Faculty of Natural Sciences and Agriculture**Total Teaching Hours:** 128 Hours**Courses Taught:**

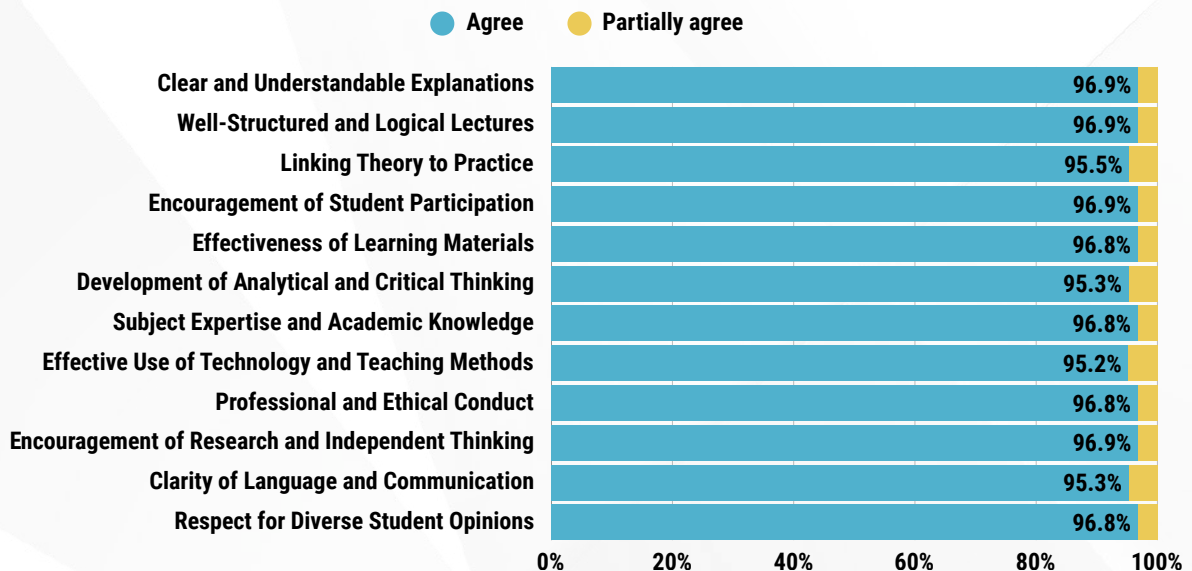
- Geodesy
- Geodesy II
- Geodesy with Fundamentals of Topography

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A significant component of the curriculum focused on the foundations of Geomatics Engineering, including geodesy, cartography, geographic information systems (GIS), remote sensing, and spatial data management. Students gained an understanding of the role of geospatial technologies in engineering, environmental monitoring, and sustainable development.

Within the course Geodesy with Fundamentals of Topography, students studied topographic surveying, terrain analysis, and map production. The course highlighted the practical applications of topographic data in infrastructure development, agriculture, environmental protection, and regional planning.

Beyond his teaching responsibilities, Prof. Dr. Yildirim shared international academic experience with students and faculty members and collaborated with the University's Geodesy and Topography Research Group on the research project entitled "Identification and Mapping of Landslide Areas in the Nakhchivan Autonomous Republic." His contribution supported Nakhchivan State University's commitment to international cooperation and the advancement of geodesy and geomatics education.





Prof. Dr.
Atakan ÖNGEN

Home University: Istanbul University-Cerrahpaşa, Türkiye

Faculty at Nakhchivan State University:
Faculty of Architecture and Engineering

Total Teaching Hours: 136 Hours

Courses Taught:

- Waste-Free Production Processes and Waste Recycling
- Hydrology

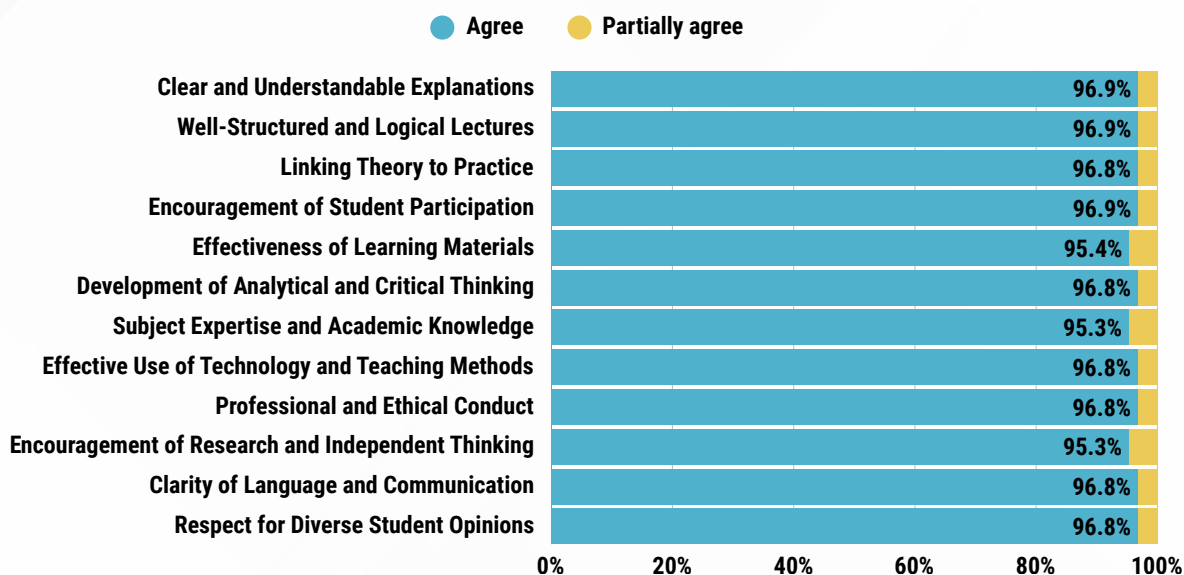
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Prof. Dr. Atakan Öngen from Istanbul University-Cerrahpaşa served as an international visiting professor at Nakhchivan State University during the 2025–2026 academic year. As a specialist in Environmental Engineering, Environmental Technologies, and Waste Management, he contributed to the academic development of students in the Faculty of Architecture and Engineering.

During his appointment, he delivered 136 teaching hours in the courses Waste-Free Production Processes and Waste Recycling and Hydrology. Through these courses, students gained knowledge of sustainable production methods, waste recycling technologies, water resource management, and environmental protection principles.

In addition to his teaching activities, Prof. Dr. Öngen shared international experience and contemporary approaches in environmental engineering, promoting sustainability awareness and supporting the University's commitment to international academic cooperation and environmentally responsible education.



*Prof. Dr.***Ömer KÜÇÜKBASMACI****Home University:** Istanbul University-Cerrahpaşa, Türkiye**Faculty at Nakhchivan State University:**
Faculty of Medicine (SABAH Groups)**Total Teaching Hours:** 46 Hours**Course Taught:**

- Medical Microbiology and Immunology (English)

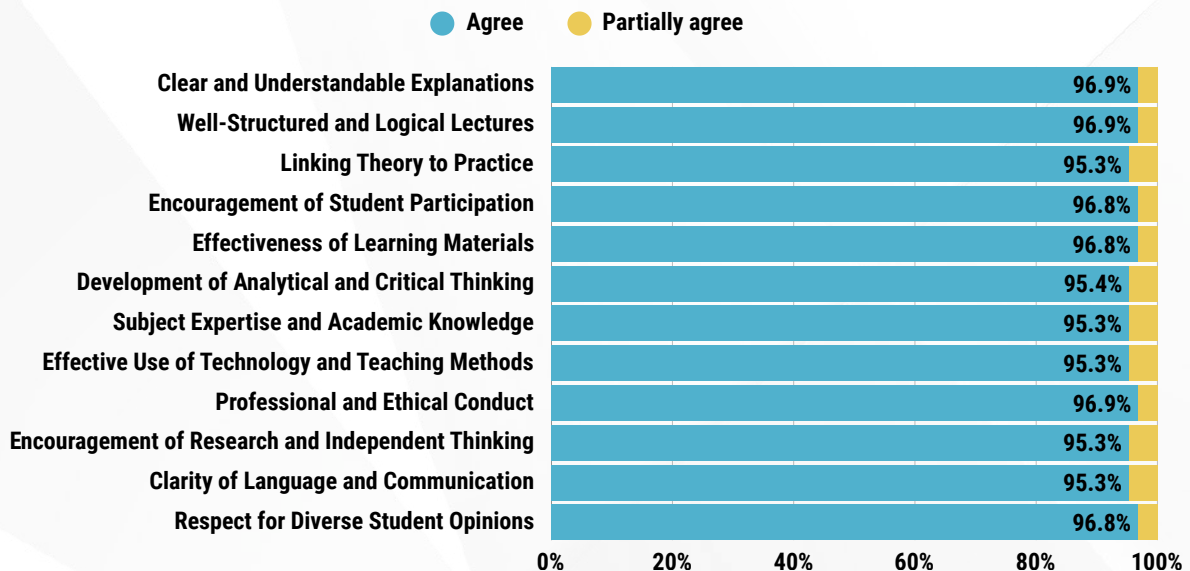


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Prof. Dr. Ömer Küçükbasmacı from Istanbul University-Cerrahpaşa served as an international visiting professor at Nakhchivan State University during the 2025–2026 academic year. His expertise in Medical Microbiology and Immunology contributed to strengthening medical education and supporting English-medium instruction within the Faculty of Medicine.

During his appointment, he delivered 46 teaching hours in the course Medical Microbiology and Immunology (English) for students of the English-language SABAH groups. The course provided students with fundamental knowledge of microorganisms, infectious diseases, immune responses, and laboratory diagnostics while enhancing their medical terminology and scientific communication skills in English.

In addition to his teaching activities, Prof. Dr. Küçükbasmacı shared international academic perspectives and recent developments in microbiology and immunology, encouraging scientific inquiry and evidence-based learning. His contribution supported Nakhchivan State University's commitment to international cooperation and the preparation of highly qualified future healthcare professionals.





Prof. Dr.

Kutluk Kağan SÜMER

Home University: Istanbul University, Türkiye

Faculty at Nakhchivan State University:

Faculty of Architecture and Engineering;

Faculty of Physics and Mathematics; Center

for Master's and Doctoral Studies

Total Teaching Hours: 147 Hours

Courses Taught:

- Information Security and Ethics
- Fundamentals of Programming

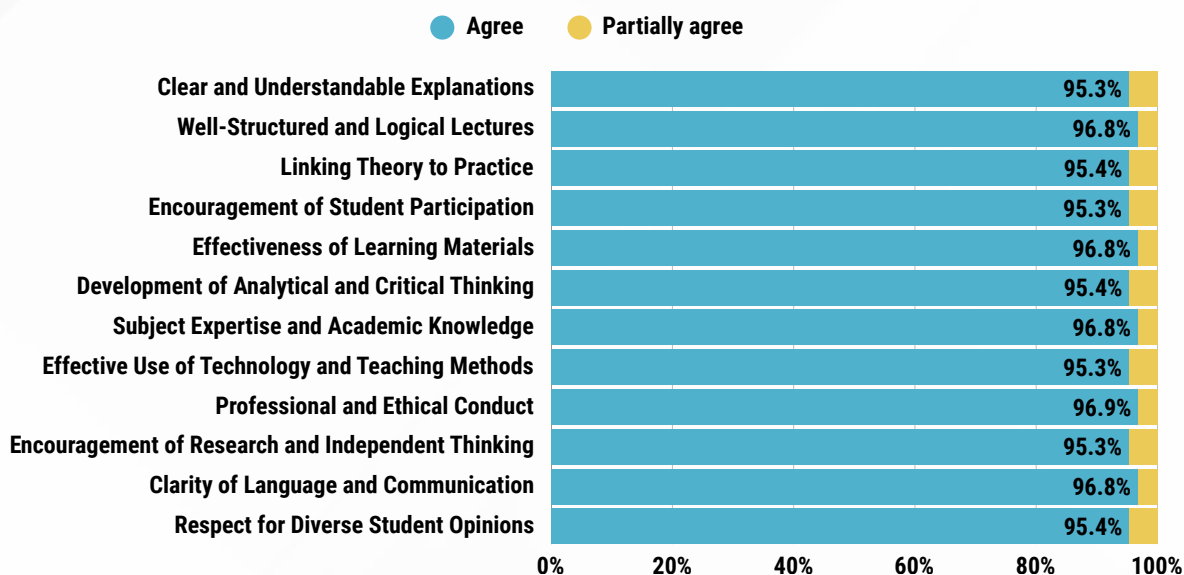


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Prof. Dr. Kutluk Kağan Sümer from Istanbul University served as an international visiting professor at Nakhchivan State University. During the semester, he delivered 147 teaching hours in the courses Fundamentals of Programming and Information Security and Ethics for undergraduate and graduate students, providing essential knowledge and practical skills in programming, algorithmic thinking, cybersecurity, and digital responsibility.

In addition to his teaching activities, Prof. Dr. Sümer collaborated with one of the University's research groups on the study "Econometric Modeling of Defense Expenditures and Economic Growth", contributing to interdisciplinary research in economics and information technologies. He also shared international experience and current developments in information technologies, encouraging innovation, critical thinking, and the ethical use of digital systems.

Through his teaching, research collaboration, and academic engagement, Prof. Dr. Sümer contributed to strengthening information technology education, promoting international academic cooperation, and supporting Nakhchivan State University's commitment to preparing highly qualified specialists in the digital era.



*Prof. Dr.***Sevgi KOLAYLI****Home University:** Karadeniz Technical University, Türkiye**Faculty at Nakhchivan State University:**
Faculty of Medicine**Total Teaching Hours:** 60 Hours**Course Taught:**

- Medical Biochemistry

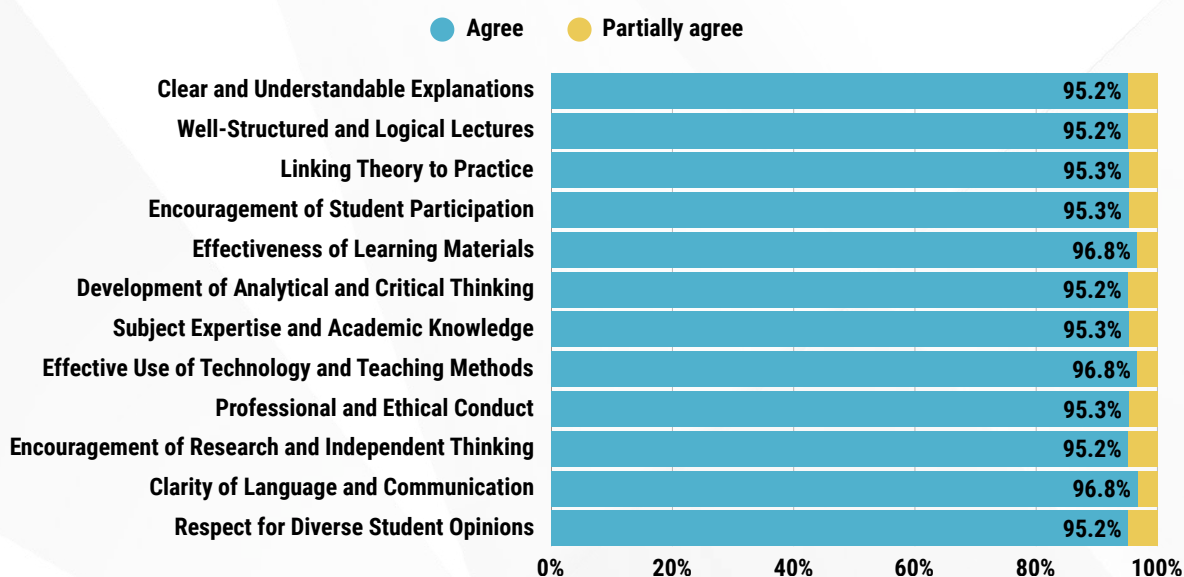


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Prof. Dr. Sevgi Kolaylı from Karadeniz Technical University served as an international visiting professor at Nakhchivan State University during the 2025–2026 academic year. Her expertise in Biochemistry contributed to strengthening medical education and enhancing students' knowledge of biomedical sciences within the Faculty of Medicine.

During her appointment, she delivered 60 teaching hours in the course Medical Biochemistry. The course provided students with a comprehensive understanding of biomolecules, enzymes, metabolic processes, and the biochemical mechanisms underlying human health and disease, while also developing their ability to interpret laboratory and biomedical data.

In addition to her teaching activities, Prof. Dr. Kolaylı shared her academic experience and current developments in biochemistry with students and faculty members, encouraging scientific inquiry and evidence-based learning. Her contribution supported Nakhchivan State University's commitment to international academic cooperation and the preparation of highly qualified healthcare professionals.





Prof. Dr.
Savaş YILDIZ

Home University: Kafkas University, Türkiye

Faculty at Nakhchivan State University:

Faculty of Natural Sciences and Agriculture

Total Teaching Hours: 58 Hours

Course Taught:

- Obstetrics II

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As part of Nakhchivan State University's commitment to strengthening veterinary education through international academic cooperation, Prof. Dr. Savaş Yıldız from Kafkas University joined the University as an international visiting professor during the 2025–2026 academic year. His expertise in veterinary obstetrics contributed to enhancing the quality of professional education within the Faculty of Natural Sciences and Agriculture. His participation also promoted the exchange of academic knowledge and clinical experience between the two institutions.

During his appointment, Prof. Dr. Yıldız delivered a total of 58 teaching hours in the course Obstetrics II. The course provided students with comprehensive knowledge of reproductive physiology, pregnancy management, parturition, and obstetrical interventions in animals. Students also gained a deeper understanding of the diagnosis and management of reproductive disorders in veterinary medicine.

The course emphasized both theoretical knowledge and practical clinical applications. Students explored modern obstetrical techniques, maternal and neonatal care, and methods used in managing normal and complicated deliveries. Particular attention was given to improving clinical decision-making and developing professional competencies required in veterinary practice.

Through interactive lectures and discussions of clinical cases, Prof. Dr. Yıldız encouraged students to integrate scientific knowledge with practical problem-solving. His teaching approach strengthened students' analytical thinking, clinical reasoning, and confidence in addressing reproductive health issues in animals. The course also highlighted the importance of animal welfare and evidence-based veterinary practice.

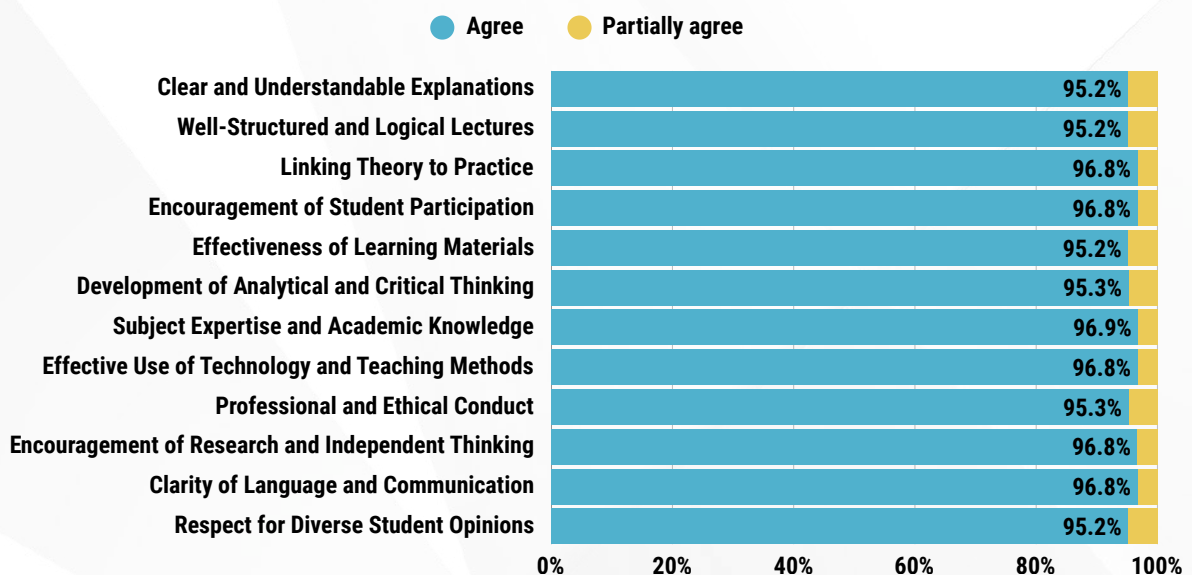
Beyond his classroom responsibilities, Prof. Dr. Yıldız actively shared his international academic and clinical experience with students and faculty members, contributing to the



development of a dynamic learning environment. As part of his broader academic engagement, he conducted a professional training session entitled “Improving Fertility in Cattle and Practical Solutions.” The training focused on modern reproductive management, factors affecting fertility, and contemporary veterinary approaches to improving reproductive performance in cattle, providing valuable practical knowledge for students and specialists in animal husbandry.



The participation of distinguished international scholars such as Prof. Dr. Savaş Yıldız reflects the importance of global academic partnerships in advancing veterinary education at Nakhchivan State University. Through his teaching, professional training, and academic engagement, he contributed to preparing highly qualified veterinary professionals while supporting the University's mission to strengthen educational quality, research, and international cooperation.



*Assoc. Prof. Dr.***Tayyip KARAMAN**

Home University: Acıbadem University,
Türkiye

Faculty at Nakhchivan State University:
Faculty of Medicine

Total Teaching Hours: 112 Hours

Courses Taught:

- Biostatistics (English) – SABAH
- Medical Biology and Genetics

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Academic Profiles:



As part of Nakhchivan State University's commitment to strengthening medical education and integrating research-oriented learning into the curriculum, Assoc. Prof. Dr. Tayyip Karaman from Acıbadem University joined the University as an international visiting professor during the 2025–2026 academic year. His expertise in biostatistics, medical biology, and genetics contributed significantly to enhancing the scientific foundation of medical education within the Faculty of Medicine. His participation also reinforced international academic cooperation in biomedical sciences.

During his appointment, Assoc. Prof. Dr. Karaman delivered a total of 112 teaching hours in the courses Biostatistics (English) – SABAH and Medical Biology and Genetics. These courses provided students with essential knowledge of statistical methods in medical research as well as the molecular and genetic mechanisms underlying human health and disease. Through English-medium instruction, students also strengthened their scientific terminology and communication skills.

The Biostatistics course introduced students to the principles of data analysis, statistical interpretation, and evidence-based medical research. Students learned how statistical methods support clinical studies, epidemiological investigations, and healthcare decision-making. Particular emphasis was placed on developing analytical skills necessary for evaluating scientific evidence and conducting reliable medical research.

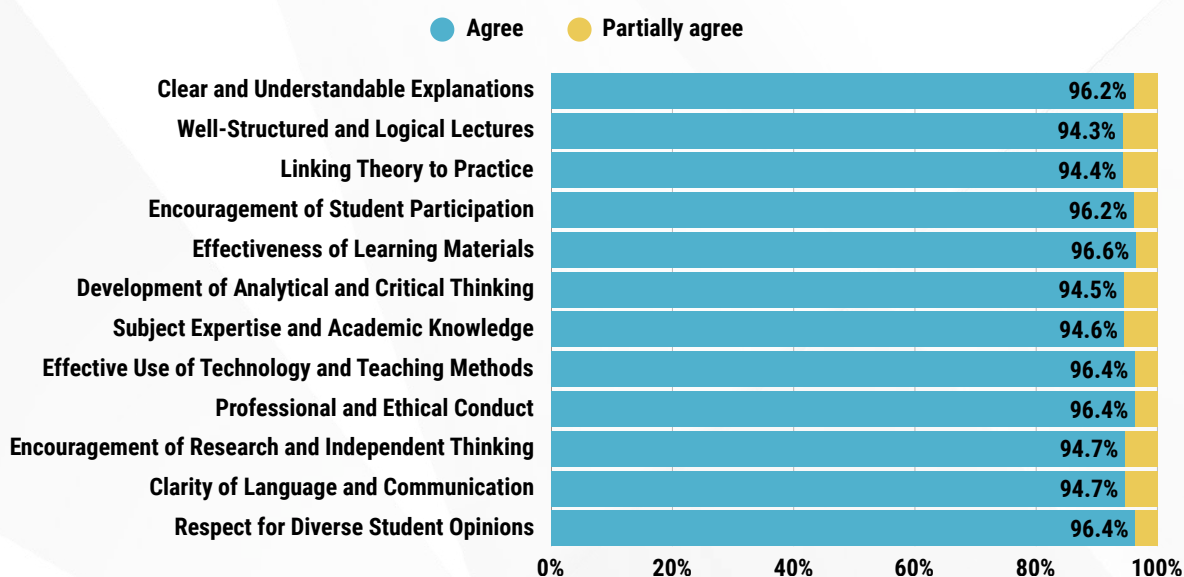
Through the Medical Biology and Genetics course, students explored cellular biology, molecular genetics, gene expression, and the genetic basis of inherited and acquired diseases. The course highlighted the growing importance of genetics in modern diagnosis, personalized medicine, and biomedical research. Students gained a deeper understanding of how advances in molecular biology continue to shape contemporary healthcare.



Beyond his classroom responsibilities, Assoc. Prof. Dr. Karaman actively encouraged scientific inquiry and research-oriented learning by integrating practical examples and current biomedical developments into his teaching. His interactive approach promoted critical thinking, analytical reasoning, and interdisciplinary learning while helping students connect theoretical knowledge with clinical and research applications.



The participation of distinguished international scholars such as Assoc. Prof. Dr. Tayyip Karaman reflects the importance of global academic partnerships in advancing higher education at Nakhchivan State University. Through his teaching and academic engagement, he contributed to strengthening medical education, promoting evidence-based research, and preparing future physicians with strong scientific and analytical competencies.





Assoc. Prof. Dr.

Ahmet Arif ULUSLU

Home University: Istanbul University-Cerrahpaşa, Türkiye

Faculty at Nakhchivan State University: Faculty of Architecture and Engineering

Total Teaching Hours: 140 Hours

Courses Taught:

- Robotics and Coding
- Digital Control

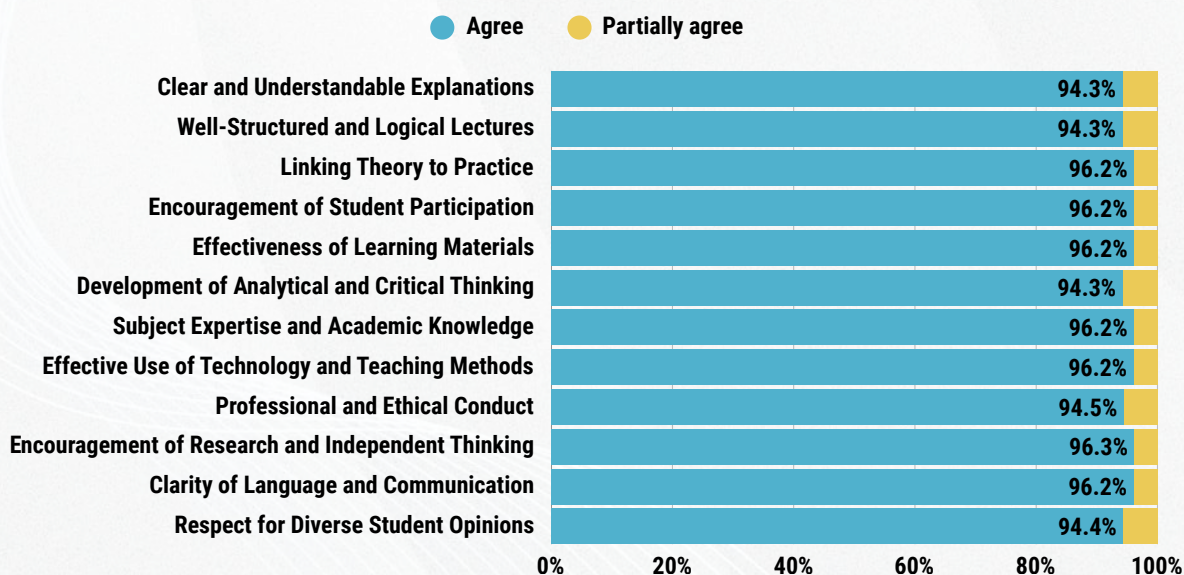


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Assoc. Prof. Dr. Ahmet Arif Uluslu from Istanbul University-Cerrahpaşa served as an international visiting professor at Nakhchivan State University during the 2025–2026 academic year. His expertise in Artificial Intelligence, Machine Learning, Robotics, and Electrical and Electronics Engineering contributed to strengthening engineering education and promoting digital transformation within the Faculty of Architecture and Engineering.

During his appointment, he delivered 140 teaching hours in the courses Robotics and Coding and Digital Control. These courses provided students with fundamental knowledge of programming, robotics, intelligent systems, automation, and digital control technologies while developing their analytical and problem-solving skills.

In addition to his teaching activities, Assoc. Prof. Dr. Uluslu shared international academic experience and recent developments in artificial intelligence and engineering technologies, encouraging innovation and interdisciplinary learning. His contribution supported Nakhchivan State University's commitment to international academic cooperation and the preparation of highly qualified engineers for the digital era.



*Assoc. Prof. Dr.***Alaskar ÖZPERÇİN****Home University:** Istanbul University-Cerrahpaşa, Türkiye**Faculty at Nakhchivan State University:**

Faculty of Foreign Languages

Total Teaching Hours: 132 Hours**Courses Taught:**

- Foreign Language Teaching Methodology I
- Text Linguistics

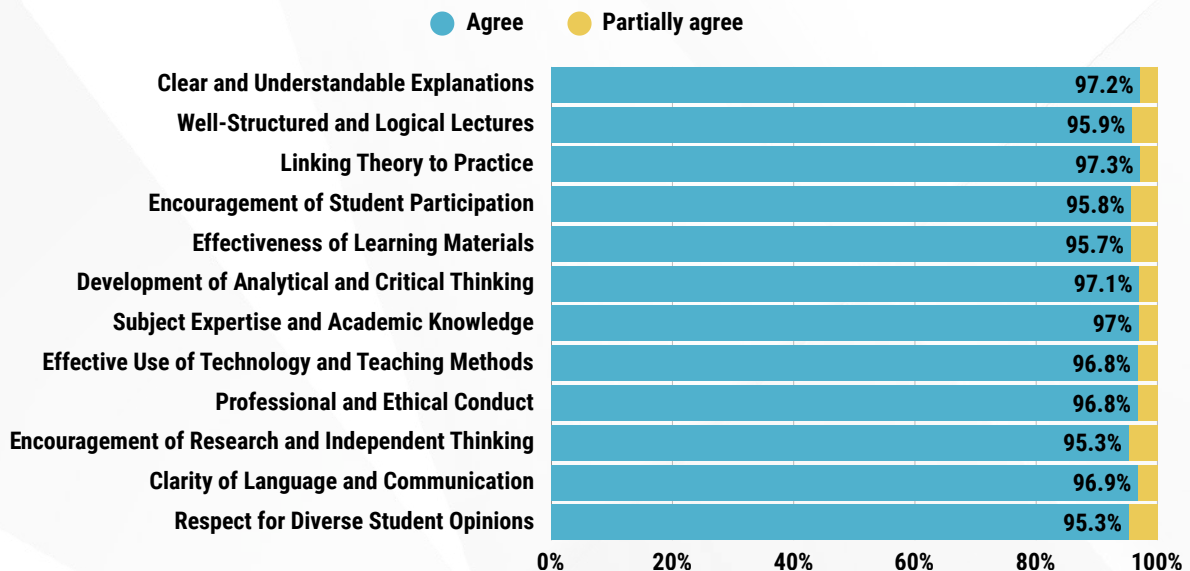


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Assoc. Prof. Dr. Alaskar Özperçin from Istanbul University-Cerrahpaşa served as an international visiting professor at Nakhchivan State University during the 2025–2026 academic year. His expertise in Language Teaching Methodology and Linguistics contributed to strengthening the quality of education within the Faculty of Foreign Languages.

During his appointment, he delivered 132 teaching hours in the courses Foreign Language Teaching Methodology I and Text Linguistics. These courses provided students with modern language teaching approaches, linguistic analysis skills, and practical knowledge of text structure, discourse, and effective language instruction.

In addition to his teaching activities, Assoc. Prof. Dr. Özperçin shared international experience and current developments in language education and linguistics, encouraging innovative teaching practices and academic collaboration. His contribution supported Nakhchivan State University's commitment to international academic cooperation and the preparation of highly qualified foreign language educators.





Assoc. Prof. Dr.

Ali Özgür KARAGÜLLE

Home University: Istanbul University, Türkiye

Faculty at Nakhchivan State University:

Faculty of Economics and Management

Total Teaching Hours: 58 Hours

Course Taught:

- Basics of Commercial Activity



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Assoc. Prof. Dr. Ali Özgür Karagülle from Istanbul University served as an international visiting professor at Nakhchivan State University during the semester. He delivered 58 teaching hours in the course Basics of Commercial Activity for students of the Faculty of Economics and Management, providing them with fundamental knowledge of commercial operations, entrepreneurship, business management, and strategic decision-making.

During his appointment, Assoc. Prof. Dr. Karagülle delivered a total of 58 teaching hours in the course Basics of Commercial Activity. The course introduced students to the fundamental principles of commercial operations, entrepreneurship, business organization, and market mechanisms. Through a balanced combination of theoretical knowledge and practical examples, students gained a comprehensive understanding of how commercial enterprises operate in both local and international markets.

The course emphasized strategic decision-making, organizational management, and effective business planning. Students explored key topics such as commercial transactions, customer relations, operational efficiency, and sustainable business development. Particular attention was given to developing analytical thinking, managerial competence, and an entrepreneurial mindset, preparing students for future careers in business and management.

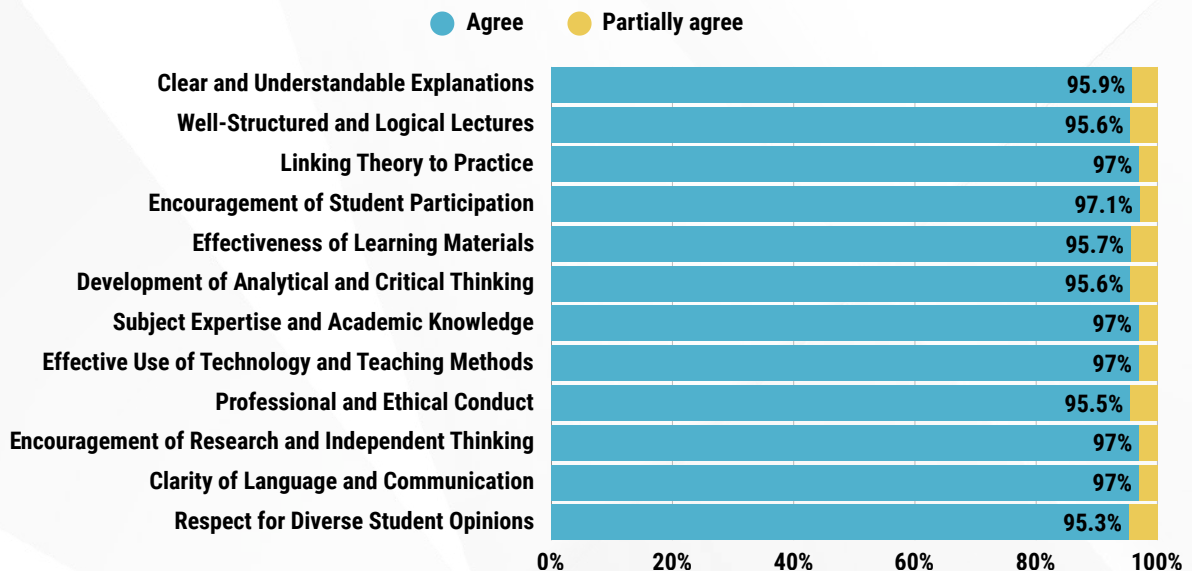
Beyond classroom teaching, Assoc. Prof. Dr. Karagülle encouraged students to analyze contemporary business challenges through case studies and interactive discussions. By sharing examples from international business practice, he promoted critical thinking and demonstrated how innovation, digital transformation, and strategic planning contribute to organizational success. His teaching approach helped students connect academic knowledge with real-world business environments. In addition, he collaborated with the Economic Corridors of the Belt and Road Initiative Research Group on a joint research project entitled "Education and Economic Growth: The Case of Türkiye and Azerbaijan." The study examined the relationship between educational development and economic growth in the two countries, further strengthening international research cooperation and contributing to comparative research in the field of economics.



As part of his broader contribution to institutional development, Assoc. Prof. Dr. Karagülle conducted a professional training session entitled “Modern University Management: Strategic Planning and Key Performance Indicators (KPIs).” The training introduced academic and administrative staff to modern approaches in institutional governance, performance measurement, and strategic planning. It highlighted the importance of measurable objectives, quality assurance, and data-driven decision-making in improving university performance and achieving long-term institutional goals.



The participation of distinguished international scholars such as Assoc. Prof. Dr. Ali Özgür Karagülle reflects the growing importance of global academic partnerships in advancing higher education at Nakhchivan State University. Through his teaching, professional development activities, collaborative research, and academic engagement, he contributed to strengthening business education, enhancing institutional management practices, expanding international scientific cooperation, and supporting the University's vision of academic excellence, innovation, and internationalization.





Assoc. Prof. Dr.

Bahadır Fatih YILDIRIM

Home University: Istanbul University, Türkiye

Faculty at Nakhchivan State University:

Faculty of Physics and Mathematics; Center for Master's and Doctoral Studies

Total Teaching Hours: 135 Hours

Courses Taught:

- Research Analytics
- Research Analytics (English)



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Academic Profiles:

As part of Nakhchivan State University's commitment to strengthening research capacity and promoting international academic excellence, Assoc. Prof. Dr. Bahadır Fatih Yıldırım from Istanbul University joined the University as an international visiting professor during the 2025–2026 academic year. His expertise in quantitative methods, business analytics, and research methodologies contributed significantly to the academic development of both undergraduate and graduate students. His participation also supported the University's efforts to foster a research-oriented academic environment aligned with international standards.

During his appointment, Assoc. Prof. Dr. Yıldırım delivered a total of 135 teaching hours in the courses Research Analytics and Research Analytics (English) for students of the Faculty of Physics and Mathematics and the Center for Master's and Doctoral Studies. These courses provided students with essential knowledge of research design, data analysis, and evidence-based decision-making. They also strengthened students' ability to interpret research findings using analytical and quantitative approaches.

The courses introduced contemporary methods of collecting, organizing, and analyzing scientific data while emphasizing the importance of accuracy, objectivity, and methodological rigor in academic research. Students explored statistical techniques, analytical tools, and research frameworks that support high-quality scientific investigations. Special attention was given to developing critical thinking, problem-solving abilities, and data-driven decision-making skills applicable across various academic disciplines.

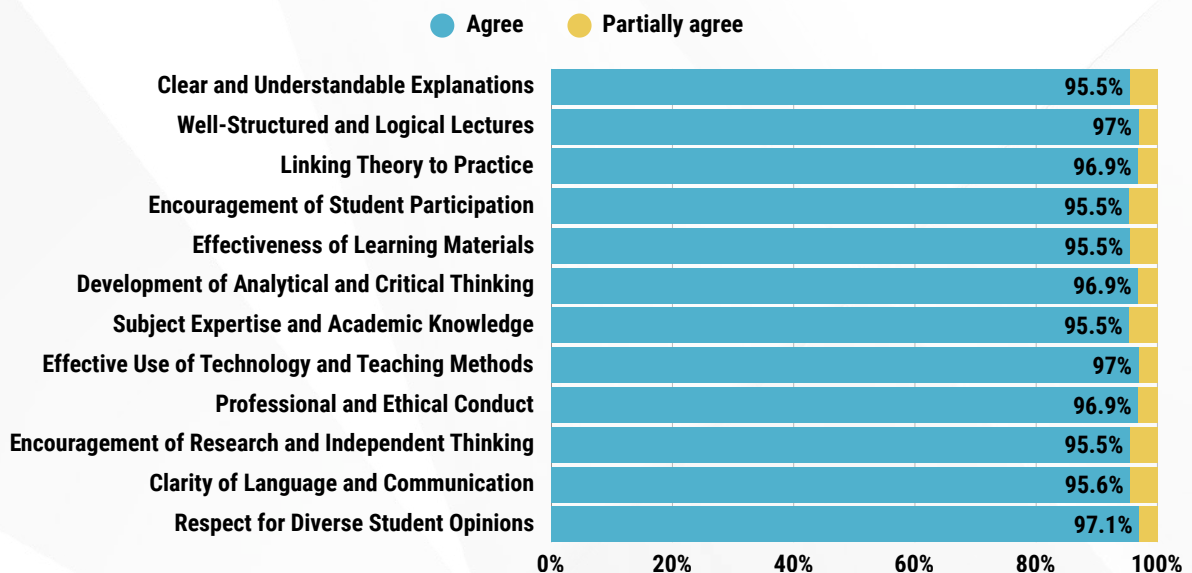
Beyond classroom teaching, Assoc. Prof. Dr. Yıldırım encouraged students to approach research from an interdisciplinary perspective and to utilize analytical methods in solving complex scientific problems. Through interactive discussions, practical examples, and research-oriented activities, he promoted independent thinking and enhanced students' confidence in conducting academic studies. His international academic experience also provided valuable insights into contemporary research practices and publication standards.



As part of his broader contribution to institutional development, Assoc. Prof. Dr. Yildirim conducted a professional training session entitled "Academic Research Skills." The training focused on the essential stages of scientific research, including literature review, research design, academic writing, and effective use of analytical methods. Participants gained practical knowledge that will support their future research activities and improve the quality of their academic work.



The participation of distinguished international scholars such as Assoc. Prof. Dr. Bahadır Fatih Yıldırım reflects the importance of global academic partnerships in advancing higher education at Nakhchivan State University. Through his teaching, professional training, and academic engagement, he contributed to strengthening research competencies, promoting analytical thinking, and supporting the University's vision of academic excellence, innovation, and internationalization.





Assoc. Prof. Dr.

Burcu Özge ÖZASLAN ÇALIŞKAN

Home University: Istanbul University, Türkiye

Faculty at Nakhchivan State University:

Faculty of Physics and Mathematics; Center
for Master's and Doctoral Studies

Total Teaching Hours: 90 Hours

Course Taught:

- Research Analytics

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As part of Nakhchivan State University's commitment to strengthening research capacity and fostering international academic cooperation, Assoc. Prof. Dr. Burcu Özge Özaslan Çalışkan from Istanbul University joined the University as an international visiting professor during the 2025-2026 academic year. Her expertise contributed to enhancing research-oriented education and promoting analytical thinking among undergraduate and graduate students. Her participation also supported the University's vision of developing a strong research culture based on international academic standards.

During her appointment, Assoc. Prof. Dr. Özaslan Çalışkan delivered a total of 90 teaching hours in the course Research Analytics for students of the Faculty of Physics and Mathematics and the Center for Master's and Doctoral Studies. The course introduced students to contemporary research methodologies, analytical techniques, and evidence-based approaches to scientific investigation. It also strengthened their understanding of data analysis and the interpretation of research findings.

Throughout the course, students developed practical skills in research design, data collection, and analytical evaluation while gaining experience in applying quantitative and qualitative methods to academic studies. Particular emphasis was placed on critical thinking, scientific accuracy, and the effective use of analytical tools in solving research problems. The course encouraged students to adopt a systematic and methodical approach to scientific inquiry.

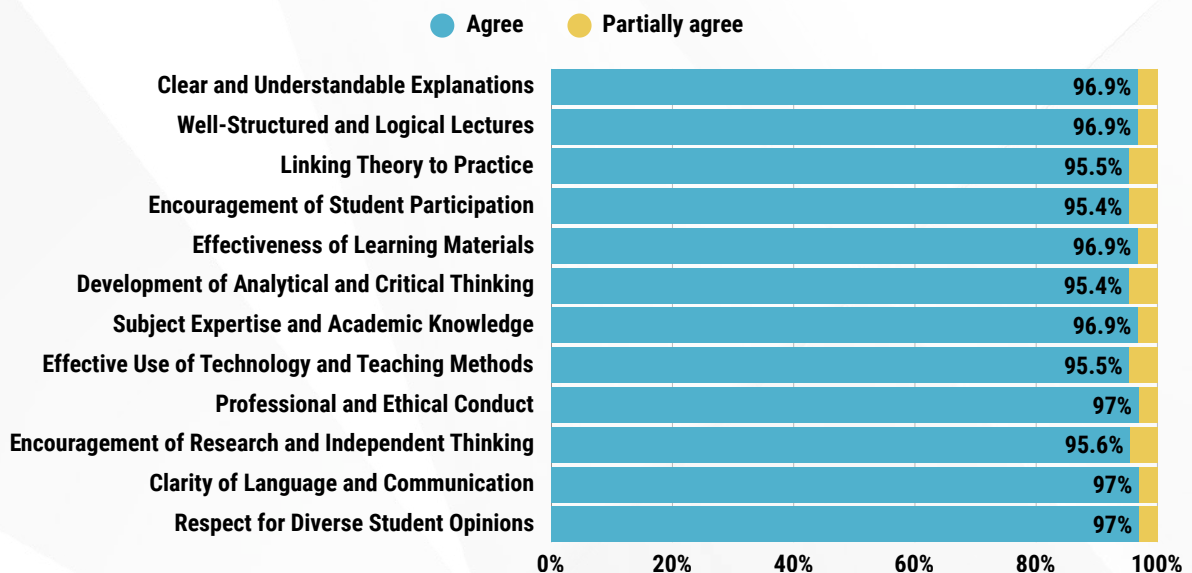
Beyond classroom teaching, Assoc. Prof. Dr. Özaslan Çalışkan promoted active learning through discussions, practical examples, and collaborative academic activities. Her teaching approach encouraged students to evaluate scientific evidence, improve their research competencies, and develop confidence in conducting independent academic work. She also shared international perspectives on contemporary research practices and academic publishing.



As part of her broader contribution to institutional development, Assoc. Prof. Dr. Özge Özasan Çalışkan conducted a professional training session entitled “Effective Academic Presentation and Communication.” The training focused on presentation techniques, scientific communication, public speaking, and the effective dissemination of research findings. Participants gained practical skills for presenting academic work clearly and confidently in national and international academic settings.



The participation of distinguished international scholars such as Assoc. Prof. Dr. Burcu Özge Özasan Çalışkan reflects the importance of global academic partnerships in advancing higher education at Nakhchivan State University. Through her teaching, professional development activities, and academic engagement, she contributed to strengthening research competencies, enhancing academic communication skills, and supporting the University's goals of educational excellence and internationalization.





Assoc. Prof. Dr.
Ertuğrul ADIGÜZEL

Home University: Istanbul University-
Cerrahpaşa, Türkiye

Faculty at Nakhchivan State University:
Faculty of Architecture and Engineering;
Center for Master's and Doctoral Studies

Total Teaching Hours: 299 Hours

Courses Taught:

- Cloud Computing Technologies and Virtualization
- Artificial Intelligence
- SCADA Systems

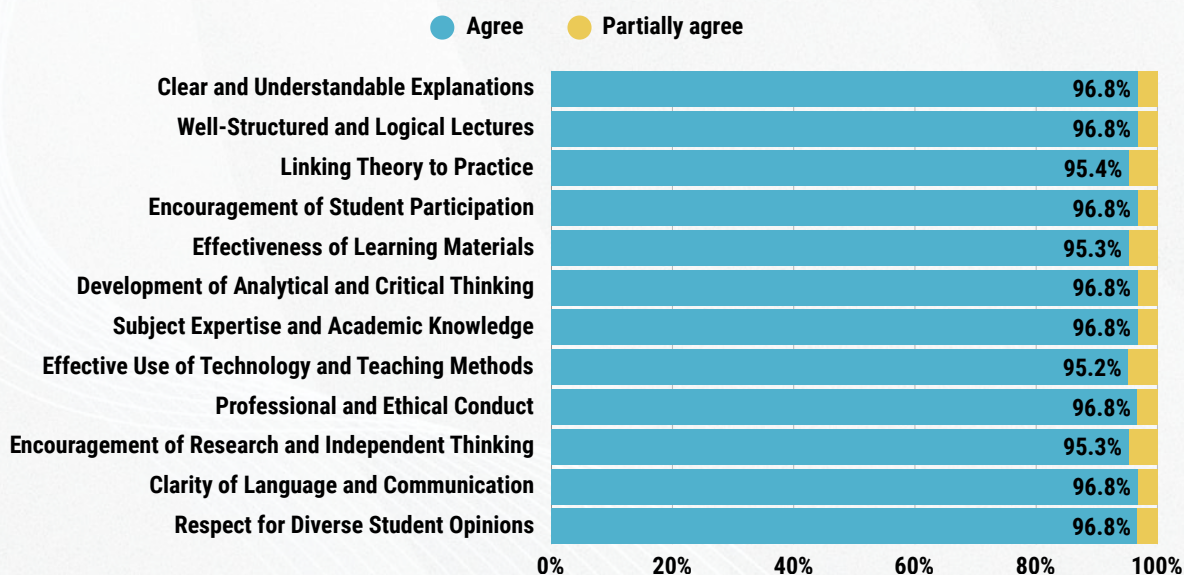
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Assoc. Prof. Dr. Ertuğrul Adıgüzel from Istanbul University-Cerrahpaşa served as an international visiting professor at Nakhchivan State University during the 2025–2026 academic year. His expertise in Cloud Computing, Artificial Intelligence, and Industrial Automation contributed to strengthening engineering education within the Faculty of Architecture and Engineering and the Center for Master's and Doctoral Studies.

During his appointment, he delivered 299 teaching hours in the courses Cloud Computing Technologies and Virtualization, Artificial Intelligence, and SCADA Systems. These courses provided students with comprehensive knowledge of cloud technologies, intelligent systems, virtualization, industrial automation, and real-time process control while developing their technical and analytical skills.

In addition to his teaching activities, Assoc. Prof. Dr. Adıgüzel shared international academic experience and current developments in digital technologies, encouraging innovation, interdisciplinary learning, and practical engineering applications. His contribution supported Nakhchivan State University's commitment to international academic cooperation and the preparation of highly qualified specialists in information technologies and engineering.



*Assoc. Prof. Dr.***Fatma Önay KOÇOĞLU****Home University:** Istanbul University,
Türkiye**Faculty at Nakhchivan State University:**
Faculty of Architecture and Engineering;
Center for Master's and Doctoral Studies**Total Teaching Hours:** 95 Hours**Courses Taught:**

- Systems Analysis and Design
- Information Technologies

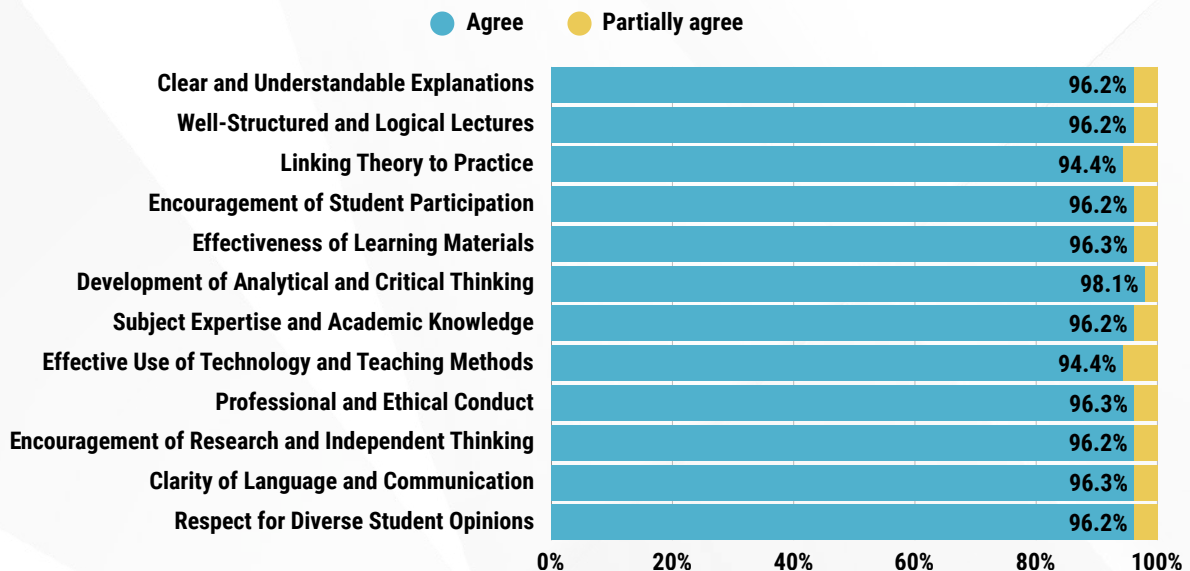


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Assoc. Prof. Dr. Fatma Önay Koçoğlu from Istanbul University served as an international visiting professor at Nakhchivan State University during the 2025–2026 academic year. Her expertise in Information Systems and Software Technologies contributed to strengthening engineering education within the Faculty of Architecture and Engineering and the Center for Master's and Doctoral Studies.

During her appointment, she delivered 95 teaching hours in the courses Systems Analysis and Design and Information Technologies. These courses provided students with fundamental knowledge of information systems, software development processes, system analysis, digital technologies, and information management while enhancing their analytical and technical skills.

In addition to her teaching activities, Assoc. Prof. Dr. Koçoğlu shared international academic experience and current developments in information technologies, encouraging innovation, critical thinking, and the practical application of digital solutions. Her contribution supported Nakhchivan State University's commitment to international academic cooperation and the preparation of highly qualified specialists in information technologies.





Assoc. Prof. Dr.
Gökhan UŞMA

Home University: Adana Alparslan Türkeş Science and Technology University, Türkiye

Faculty at Nakhchivan State University: Faculty of Architecture and Engineering

Total Teaching Hours: 144 Hours

Courses Taught:

- Visual Composition in Architectural Design
- Landscape Architecture



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Academic Profiles:

As part of Nakhchivan State University's commitment to strengthening architectural education and promoting sustainable design practices, Assoc. Prof. Dr. Gökhan Uşma from Adana Alparslan Türkeş Science and Technology University joined the University as an international visiting professor during the 2025–2026 academic year. His expertise in architectural design and environmental planning enriched the academic environment of the Faculty of Architecture and Engineering. His participation also contributed to expanding international academic cooperation in architecture and urban design.

During his appointment, Assoc. Prof. Dr. Uşma delivered a total of 144 teaching hours in the courses Visual Composition in Architectural Design and Landscape Architecture. These courses enabled students to develop both creative design skills and a deeper understanding of the relationship between architecture, landscape, and the built environment. The curriculum combined theoretical knowledge with practical design approaches relevant to contemporary architectural practice.

Through the Visual Composition in Architectural Design course, students explored the principles of visual perception, spatial organization, composition, and architectural aesthetics. The course encouraged students to produce innovative design solutions while strengthening their creativity, visual communication, and design thinking skills. Particular emphasis was placed on integrating artistic expression with functional architectural concepts.

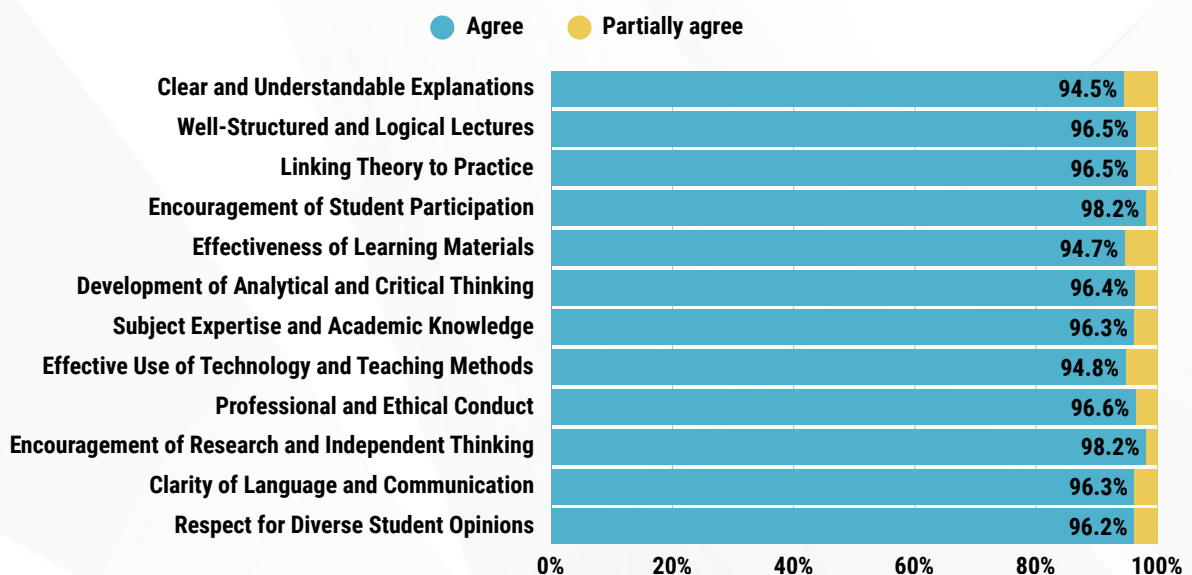
The Landscape Architecture course introduced students to the principles of landscape planning, sustainable site design, and the integration of natural and built environments. Students examined how landscape elements contribute to environmental quality, urban sustainability, and human well-being. The course also highlighted the importance of ecological considerations in contemporary architectural and urban planning projects.

Beyond his classroom responsibilities, Assoc. Prof. Dr. Uşma actively shared international perspectives on architectural design and sustainable planning with students and faculty members. His interactive teaching approach encouraged critical thinking, interdisciplinary collaboration, and the practical application of design concepts through project-based learning. These activities contributed to strengthening students' professional competencies and creative vision.

As part of his broader contribution to institutional development, Assoc. Prof. Dr. Uşma conducted a professional training session entitled “Climate Data and Façade Design: Impacts and Approaches.” The training focused on the relationship between climate conditions and architectural façade design, emphasizing energy efficiency, environmental sustainability, and climate-responsive architecture. It provided valuable insights into contemporary design strategies that support sustainable and high-performance buildings.



The participation of distinguished international scholars such as Assoc. Prof. Dr. Gökhan Uşma reflects the importance of global academic partnerships in advancing higher education at Nakhchivan State University. Through his teaching, professional training, and academic engagement, he contributed to strengthening architectural education, promoting sustainable design practices, and supporting the University's vision of innovation, academic excellence, and internationalization.





Assoc. Prof. Dr.
Gökhan ÜNAL

Home University: Erciyes University, Türkiye

Faculty at Nakhchivan State University:

Faculty of Medicine; SABAH Groups

Total Teaching Hours: 207 Hours

Courses Taught:

- Pharmacology I (English)
- Pharmacology II (English)
- Pharmacology II (English) – SABAH
- Pharmacology

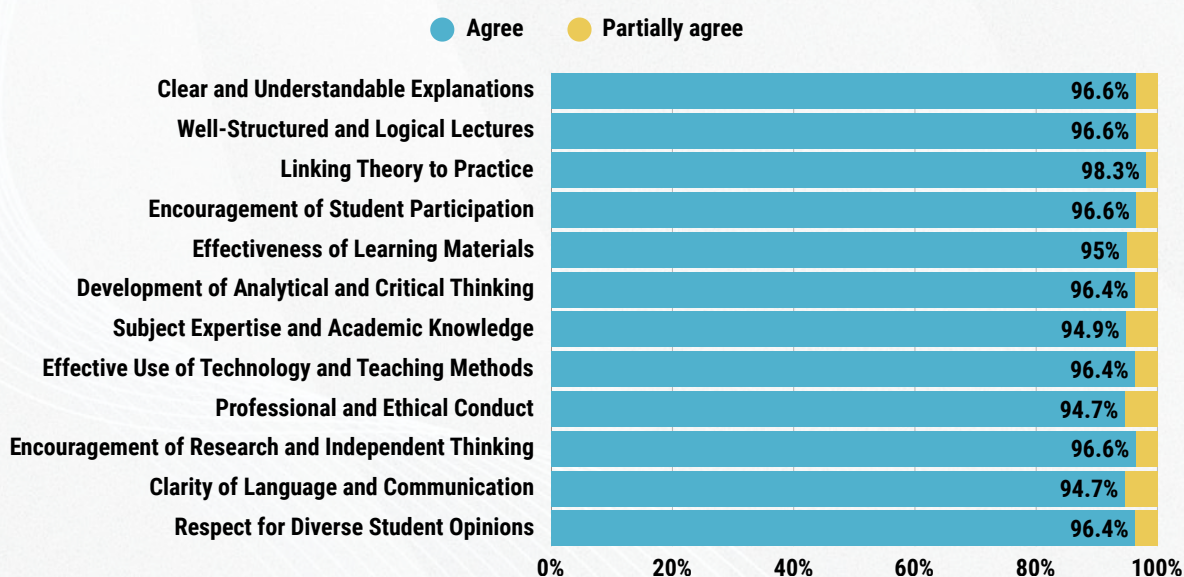


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During the semester, Assoc. Prof. Dr. Gökhan Ünal delivered 207 teaching hours in Pharmacology courses for students of the Faculty of Medicine and the English-language SABAH groups, providing comprehensive instruction in pharmacology and rational drug therapy.

Beyond his teaching responsibilities, Assoc. Prof. Dr. Ünal actively collaborated with the University's Pharmacology Research Group on scientific studies. Together, they conducted research on "The effects of ivermectin, a positive allosteric modulator of the $\alpha 7$ nicotinic acetylcholine receptor, on positive-, negative-, and cognitive-like behaviors in a Poly I:C-induced neurodevelopmental rat model of schizophrenia" and "Investigation of the neuropharmacological properties of *Crocus sativus* growing in the Nakhchivan AR."

Through his teaching, research collaboration, and international academic experience, Assoc. Prof. Dr. Ünal contributed to strengthening pharmacology education and biomedical research at Nakhchivan State University, while supporting the University's commitment to international cooperation and the preparation of highly qualified future physicians.



*Assoc. Prof. Dr.***İnci ZAIM GÖKBAY****Home University:** Istanbul University,
Türkiye**Faculty at Nakhchivan State University:**
Faculty of Architecture and Engineering;
Center for Master's and Doctoral Studies**Total Teaching Hours:** 135 Hours**Course Taught:**

- Artificial Intelligence Applications

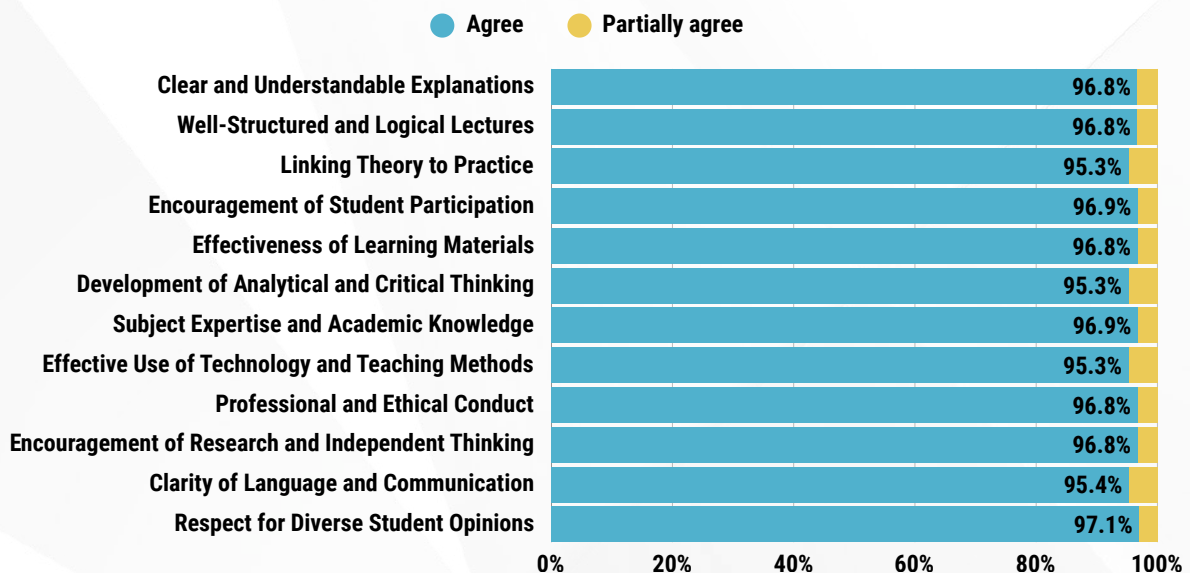


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Assoc. Prof. Dr. İnci Zaim Gökbay from Istanbul University served as an international visiting professor at Nakhchivan State University during the 2025–2026 academic year. Her expertise in Artificial Intelligence, Biomedical Engineering, and Information Technologies contributed to strengthening graduate education and promoting innovation within the Faculty of Architecture and Engineering and the Center for Master's and Doctoral Studies.

During her appointment, she delivered 135 teaching hours in the master's-level course Artificial Intelligence Applications. The course provided students with comprehensive knowledge of artificial intelligence, machine learning, intelligent systems, and data-driven technologies while developing their analytical, research, and problem-solving skills.

In addition to her teaching activities, Assoc. Prof. Dr. Zaim Gökbay shared international academic experience and current developments in artificial intelligence and interdisciplinary research, encouraging innovation and the responsible use of AI technologies. Her contribution supported Nakhchivan State University's commitment to international academic cooperation and the development of highly qualified specialists in emerging technologies.





Assoc. Prof. Dr. İshak PAÇAL

Home University: Iğdır University, Türkiye

Faculty at Nakhchivan State University:

Faculty of Architecture and Engineering;

Center for Master's and Doctoral Studies

Total Teaching Hours: 213 Hours

Course Taught:

- Artificial Intelligence Applications

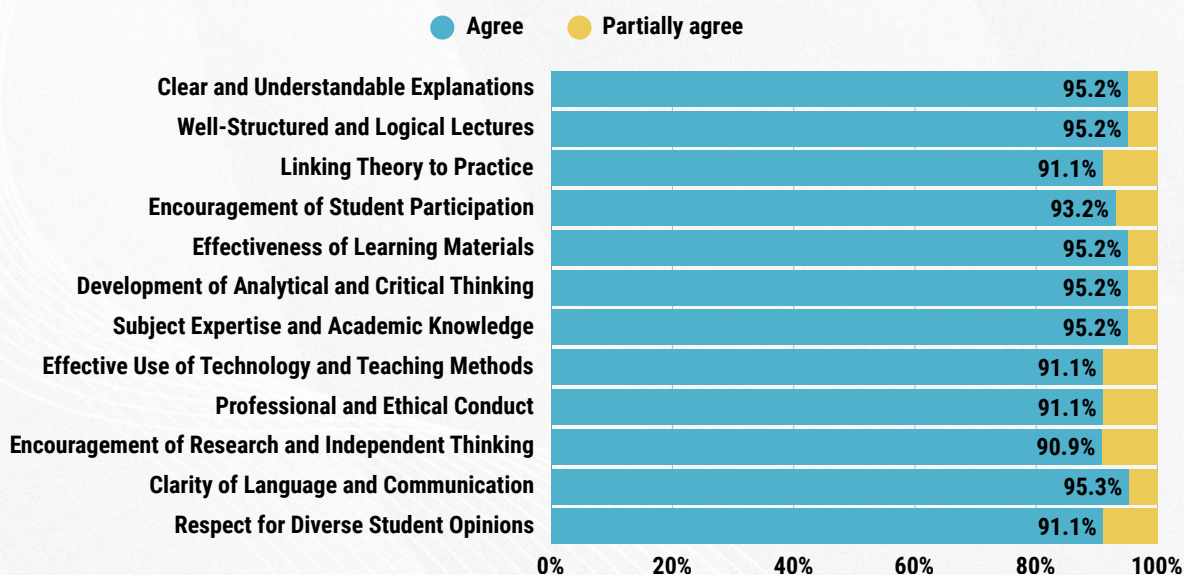


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Academic Profiles:

Assoc. Prof. Dr. İshak Paçal from Iğdır University served as an international visiting professor at Nakhchivan State University during the 2025–2026 academic year. His expertise in Artificial Intelligence and Advanced Computing Technologies contributed to strengthening engineering education within the Faculty of Architecture and Engineering and the Center for Master's and Doctoral Studies.

During his appointment, he delivered 213 teaching hours in the master's-level course Artificial Intelligence Applications. The course provided students with comprehensive knowledge of artificial intelligence, machine learning, intelligent systems, and data-driven technologies while developing their programming, analytical, and problem-solving skills.

In addition to his teaching activities, Assoc. Prof. Dr. Paçal shared international academic experience and current developments in artificial intelligence, encouraging innovation, research, and interdisciplinary learning. His contribution supported Nakhchivan State University's commitment to international academic cooperation and the preparation of highly qualified specialists in emerging digital technologies.



Assoc. Prof. Dr.
Mehmet ÜZEL

Home University: Istanbul University-
Cerrahpaşa, Türkiye

Faculty at Nakhchivan State University:
Faculty of Medicine

Total Teaching Hours: 174 Hours

Courses Taught:

- Human Anatomy I (English)
- Human Anatomy II (English)

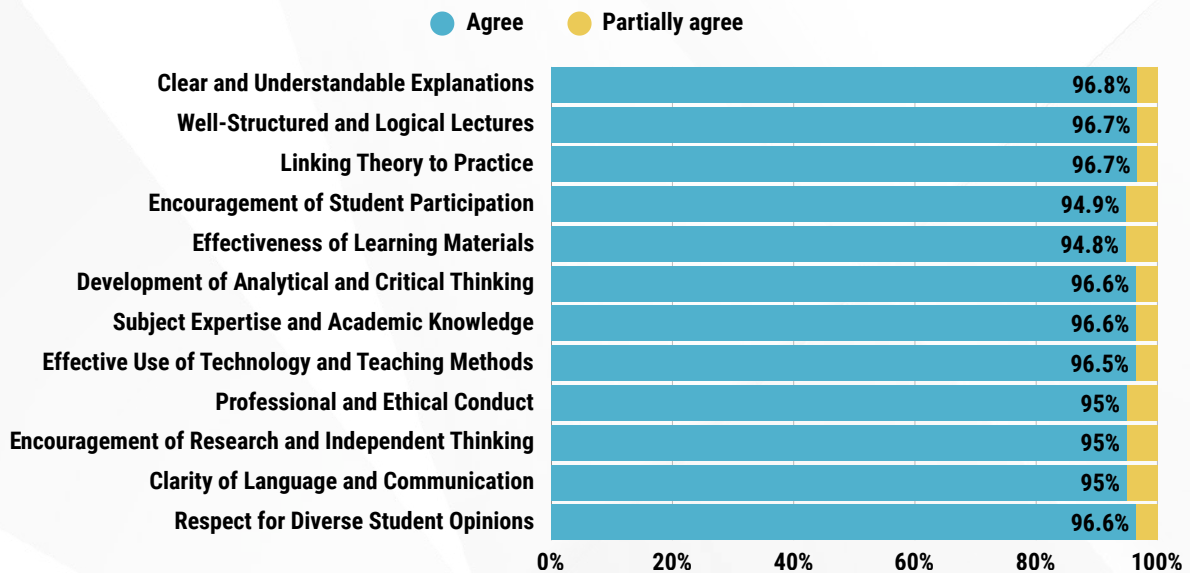


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Academic Profiles:

Assoc. Prof. Dr. Mehmet Üzel from Istanbul University-Cerrahpaşa served as an international visiting professor at Nakhchivan State University during the 2025–2026 academic year. His expertise in Human Anatomy contributed to strengthening medical education and supporting English-medium instruction within the Faculty of Medicine.

During his appointment, he delivered 174 teaching hours in the courses Human Anatomy I (English) and Human Anatomy II (English). These courses provided students with comprehensive knowledge of the structure and organization of the human body, anatomical terminology, and the relationship between anatomy and clinical practice, while enhancing their professional medical English.

In addition to his teaching activities, Assoc. Prof. Dr. Üzel shared international academic experience and current developments in anatomical sciences, encouraging scientific inquiry and the integration of theoretical knowledge with clinical applications. His contribution supported Nakhchivan State University's commitment to international academic cooperation and the preparation of highly qualified future physicians.





Assoc. Prof. Dr.
Murat KARAKILIÇ

Home University: Iğdır University, Türkiye

Faculty at Nakhchivan State University:

Faculty of Architecture and Engineering

Total Teaching Hours: 184 Hours

Courses Taught:

- Fundamentals of Electronics
- Fundamentals of Robotics
- Industrial Sensors

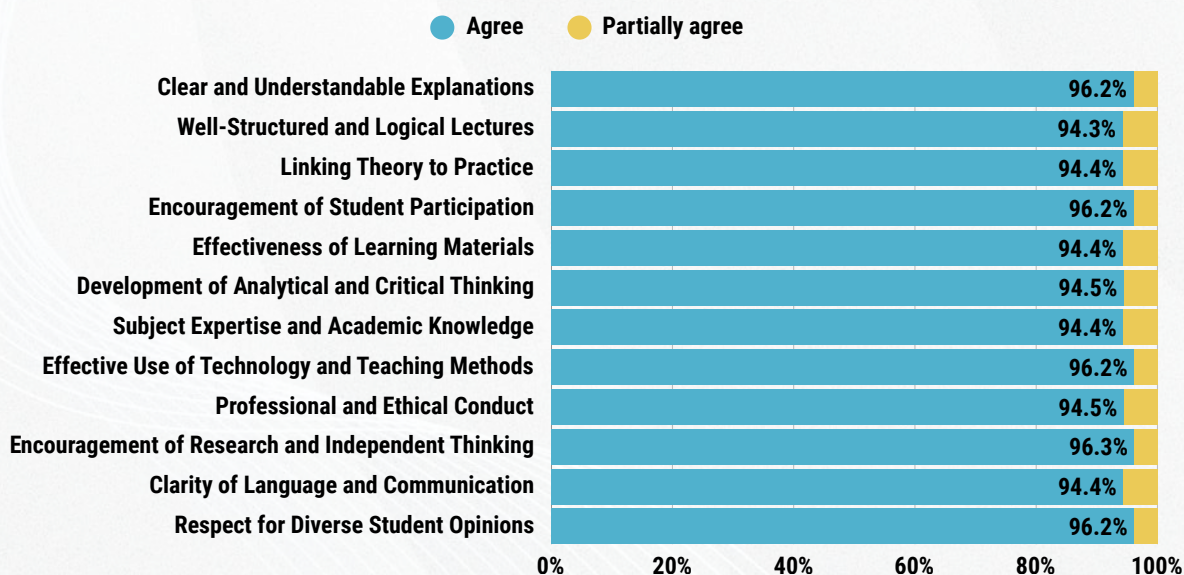


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Academic Profiles:

Assoc. Prof. Dr. Murat Karakılıç from Iğdır University served as an international visiting professor at Nakhchivan State University during the 2025–2026 academic year. His expertise in Electronics, Robotics, and Automation Technologies contributed to strengthening engineering education within the Faculty of Architecture and Engineering.

During his appointment, he delivered 184 teaching hours in the courses Fundamentals of Electronics, Fundamentals of Robotics, and Industrial Sensors. These courses provided students with fundamental knowledge of electronic systems, robotics, industrial automation, and sensor technologies while developing their technical, analytical, and engineering design skills.

In addition to his teaching activities, Assoc. Prof. Dr. Karakılıç shared international academic experience and current developments in electronics and automation, encouraging innovation and the practical application of modern engineering technologies. His contribution supported Nakhchivan State University's commitment to international academic cooperation and the preparation of highly qualified engineers.



*Assoc. Prof. Dr.***Ömer Naci ERGİN****Home University:** Istanbul University,
Türkiye**Faculty at Nakhchivan State University:**

Faculty of Medicine; SABAH Groups

Total Teaching Hours: 36 Hours**Course Taught:**

- Traumatology (English) – SABAH

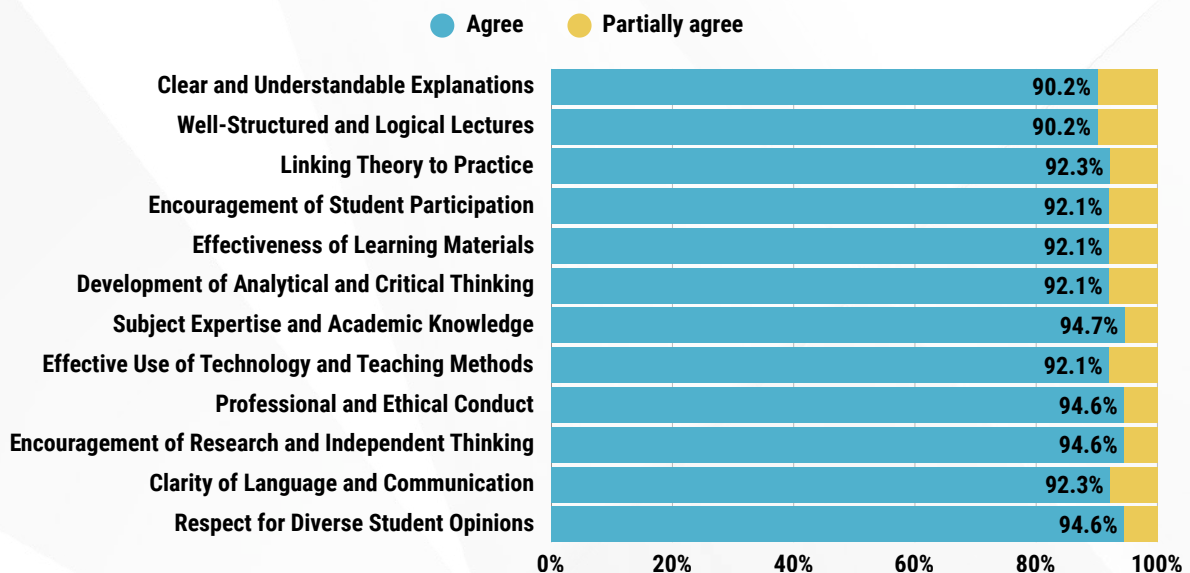


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Academic Profiles:

Assoc. Prof. Dr. Ömer Naci Ergin from Istanbul University served as an international visiting professor at Nakhchivan State University during the 2025–2026 academic year. His expertise in Traumatology contributed to strengthening clinical education within the Faculty of Medicine and the English-language SABAH groups.

During his appointment, he delivered 36 teaching hours in the course Traumatology (English) – SABAH. The course provided students with fundamental knowledge of trauma management, musculoskeletal injuries, fracture assessment, and emergency clinical care while enhancing their professional medical terminology in English.

In addition to his teaching activities, Assoc. Prof. Dr. Ergin shared international academic and clinical experience, encouraging evidence-based learning and the integration of theoretical knowledge with clinical practice. His contribution supported Nakhchivan State University's commitment to international academic cooperation and the preparation of highly qualified future physicians.



Overall Student Satisfaction Survey on Visiting Professors ★★★★★

Teaching and Learning Evaluation Questions

1. The professor explained the topics clearly and understandably.
2. The course was structured in a systematic and logical manner.
3. The professor was able to relate theoretical knowledge to practical examples.
4. Active student participation was encouraged during the classes.
5. The teaching materials helped me understand and master the subject matter.
6. The classes contributed to the development of my analytical and critical thinking skills.
7. The professor demonstrated a high level of scientific and academic expertise in the subject area.
8. The professor effectively utilized modern technologies and teaching methodologies.
9. The professor maintained a professional and ethical relationship with students.
10. The professor encouraged students to engage in research and independent thinking.
11. I did not experience difficulties understanding the classes in terms of language and communication.
12. The professor respected students' different opinions and perspectives.

Open-Ended Questions

1. Which aspects of the teaching process would you like to see improved?
2. How might these courses influence your future academic and professional development?
3. Please describe the most important new knowledge or skill you gained during the course.
4. Additional comments or suggestions.

Student Satisfaction Survey Report on Visiting Professors

Nakhchivan State University conducted a comprehensive Student Satisfaction Survey to evaluate the teaching performance and academic contribution of visiting professors during the semester. The survey aimed to assess students' perceptions regarding teaching effectiveness, communication skills, course organization, academic support, and overall learning experience.

A total of 292 evaluation responses were collected from students across different faculties and study programs. The findings indicate a remarkably high level of satisfaction with the visiting professor program, with the vast majority of professors receiving satisfaction scores above 90%.

Methodology

The survey responses were analyzed using the following scoring system:



Key Findings

The survey results demonstrate exceptionally high student satisfaction with the visiting professor initiative. More than 85% of participating professors achieved satisfaction rates exceeding 90%, reflecting strong teaching performance and positive student engagement.

The highest-rated professors received satisfaction scores close to or equal to 100%, indicating excellent performance in course delivery, communication, academic guidance, and classroom management.

The results provide evidence that the university's internationalization strategy and visiting professor program contribute significantly to enhancing educational quality, exposing students to diverse academic perspectives, and improving learning outcomes.

Students reported high levels of satisfaction regarding:

- Clarity of instruction;
- Subject knowledge and expertise;
- Responsiveness to student questions;
- Professional conduct;
- Course organization and learning support.

While most professors received an adequate number of evaluations, some results should be interpreted with caution due to limited respondent numbers. In particular, evaluations based on one or a very small number of responses may not.

The Student Satisfaction Survey confirms the success of Nakhchivan State University's Visiting Professor Program during the 2025–2026 academic year. The overwhelmingly positive results demonstrate that visiting professors have made a substantial contribution to teaching quality, student learning experiences, and the university's internationalization objectives.

The findings further support the continuation and expansion of international academic cooperation initiatives, as well as the recruitment of distinguished international scholars to enrich the educational environment at Nakhchivan State University. The Visiting Professor Program achieved an excellent level of student satisfaction and has become an important component of the university's strategy for academic excellence and international engagement.

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