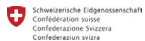


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**GUESS WHICH
KOSOVO'S DISTRICT
HAS MORE YOUNG
PEOPLE?**

#OF YOUNG PEOPLE 15-24, IN 2018:

1. Prishtina -> 114,114 (48% Women, 52% Men)
2. Mitrovica -> 37,313 (56% Women, 52% Men)
3. Peja -> 35,870 (53% Women, 52% Men)
4. Gjakova -> 33,687 (48% Women, 52% Men)
5. Gjilan -> 40,275 (48% Women, 52% Men)
6. Ferizaj -> 31,099 (48% Women, 52% Men)
7. Prizren -> 80,306 (49% Women, 52% Men)

(Source: Civil Registration Agency, 2018)



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**GUESS WHERE
UNEMPLOYMENT IS
HIGHEST?**

OF UNEMPLOYED YOUNG PEOPLE 15-24, IN 2018:

1. Prishtina -> 394 (39% Women, 61% Men)
2. Mitrovica -> 199 (44% Women, 56% Men)
3. Peja -> 166 (48% Women, 52% Men)
4. Gjakova -> 79 (37% Women, 63% Men)
5. Gjilan -> 66 (58% Women, 42% Men)
6. Ferizaj -> 172 (48% Women, 52% Men)
7. Prizren -> 319 (40% Women, 60% Men)

(Source: Employment Agency of the Republic of Kosovo, 2018)



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**WHICH DISTRICT HAS
THE HIGHEST
REGISTERED
UNEMPLOYED YOUTH
RATE?**

% OF UNEMPLOYED YOUTH IN EMPLOYMENT OFFICES IN KOSOVO, IN 2018

1. Prishtina -> 0.3% (0.3% Women, 0.4% Men)
2. Mitrovica -> 0.5% (0.4% Women, 0.7% Men)
3. Peja -> 0.5% (0.4% Women, 0.5% Men)
4. Gjakova -> 0.2% (0.2% Women, 0.3% Men)
5. Gjilan -> 0.2% (0.2% Women, 0.1% Men)
6. Ferizaj -> 0.6% (0.5% Women, 0.6% Men)
7. Prizren -> 0.4% (0.3% Women, 0.5% Men)

(Source: Kosovo 2.0 calculations)



PUBLIC UNIVERSITIES, 2017/2018 (BA+MA+PHD STUDENTS)

- 1.University of Prishtina: 41,208 (58% Women, 42% Men)
- 2.University of Mitrovica: 3,185 (55% Women, 45% Men)
- 3.University of Peja: 12,693 (45% Women, 55% Men)
- 4.University of Gjakova: 2,373 (71% Women, 29% Men)
- 5.University of Gjilan: 3,235 (67% Women, 35% Men)
- 6.University of Ferizaj: 1,302 (51% Women, 47% Men)
- 7.University of Prizren: 5,778 (59% Women, 42% Men)

(Source: KAS)

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**WHAT DO YOUTH
STUDY MOST IN
PUBLIC UNIVERSITIES?**

MAIN FIELDS STUDIED IN PUBLIC UNIVERSITIES, IN 2017/2018:

-University of Prishtina, (BA+MA+PhD students)

Faculty of Economics (8,696, 53% Women, 47% Men)

Faculty of Law (5,125, 60% Women, 40% Men)

Faculty of Medicine (3,849, 60% Women, 40% Men)

Faculty of Philosophy (3,780, 65% Women, 35% Men)

Faculty of Education (3,758, 89% Women, 11% Men)

-University of Mitrovica (BA+MA students)

Faculty of Mechanical Engineering and Computer Sciences
(949, 41% Women, 59% Men)

Faculty of Food and Technology (618, 58% Women, 42% Men)

Faculty of Education (615, 94% Women, 6% Men)

(Source: Agency of Statistics of Kosovo)

-University of Peja (BA+MA students)

Faculty of Business (6,046, 47% Women, 53% Men)

Faculty of Law (3,835, 43 Women, 57% Men)

Faculty of Tourism, Hospitality and Environment Management
(1,862, 44% Women, 56% Men)

-University of Gjakova (BA students)

Education/Primary (597, 82% Women, 18% Men)

Education/Preschool (501, 68% Women, 32% Men)

Medicine/Nursing (349, 73% Women, 27% Men)

-University of Gjilan (BA+MA students)

Law (940, 61% Women, 39% Men)

Education/Primary (559, 87% Women, 13% Men)

Economics/Management (489, 52% Women, 48% Men)

Economics/Banking, Finance and Accounting (468, 59%
Women, 41% Men)

-University of Ferizaj (BA+MA)

Faculty of Management (376, 56% Women, 44% Men)

Faculty of Tourism and Environment (356, 55% Women, 45% Men)

Faculty of Architecture and Wood Technology (341, 50% Women, 50% Men)

-University of Prizren (BA+MA)

Business Administration (848, 48% Women, 52% Men)

Law (998, 49% Women, 51% Men)

Primary Program (826, 86% Women, 14% Men)

(Source: Agency of Statistics of Kosovo)

Vocational Education, 2017/2018

Prishtina: 13,212 students
Mitrovica: 6,731 students
Peja: 4,943 students
Gjakova: 3,185 students
Gjilan: 4,616 students
Ferizaj: 4,489 students
Prizren: 8,298 students

High Schools, 2017/2018

Prishtina: 11,549 students
Mitrovica: 4,061 students
Peja: 3,569 students
Gjakova: 2,850 students

(Source: KAS)

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**WHAT INDUSTRIES
EMPLOY MORE IN
KOSOVO?**

SECTORS/INDUSTRIES EMPLOYING MORE IN 2018

Employment by Economic Activity [Thousand and %], 2018

	(000's)			(%)		
	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	11.6	0.7	12.3	4.2	1.0	3.5
Mining and quarrying	3.1	0.1	3.2	1.1	0.1	0.9
Manufacturing	31.3	4.5	35.9	11.4	6.1	10.3
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	6.2	0.1	6.3	2.3	0.1	1.8
Water supply, sewerage, waste management	4.1	0.3	4.4	1.5	0.4	1.3
Construction	40.6	0.9	41.5	14.8	1.2	11.9
Wholesale and retail trade, repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles	46.0	13.1	59.0	16.8	17.7	17.0
Transportation and storage	10.4	1.1	11.5	3.8	1.4	3.3
Accommodation and food service activities	21.2	2.7	23.9	7.7	3.6	6.9

Information and communication	9.6	2.3	12.0	3.5	3.2	3.4
Financial and insurance activities	4.7	2.4	7.1	1.7	3.2	2.0
Real estate activities	0.3	0.0	0.4	0.1	0.0	0.1
Professional, scientific and technical activities	4.2	1.9	6.2	1.5	2.6	1.8
Administrative and support service activities	7.9	2.1	10.0	2.9	2.8	2.9
Public administration and defense, compulsory social security	19.5	4.8	24.2	7.1	6.5	7.0
Education	23.3	16.1	39.4	8.5	21.8	11.3
Human health and social work activities	10.2	9.9	20.1	3.7	13.4	5.8
Arts, entertainment and recreation	4.0	0.6	4.6	1.5	0.8	1.3
Other service activities	13.0	3.8	16.8	4.8	5.1	4.8
*Activities of households as employers	1.0	5.1	6.0	0.4	6.8	1.7
Activities of extraterritorial organizations and bodies	1.9	1.5	3.4	0.7	2.0	1.0
Total	274.1	74.0	348.2	100.0	99.8	100.0

(Source: Kosovo Agency of Statistics)

MIGRATION IN KOSOVO, 2017

	International Migration - Immigration	International Migration - Emigration	National Migration - Immigration	National Migration - Migration
Prishtina	1716	2084	4458	3483
Mitrovica	521	1706	800	1301
Peja	532	596	739	771
Gjakova	424	1260	447	578
Gjilan	699	1396	694	960
Ferizaj	929	840	850	836
Prizren	1011	3381	1388	1447

(Source: Agency of Statistics of Kosovo)



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**WHAT ARE SOME OF
THE ESTABLISHED
CENTERS OFFERING
CAREER BUILDING
SUPPORT?**

▪ ***University Career Development Centres***

- University of Prishtina: UP Career Development Center; Innovation Lab Kosovo; Venture UP
- University of Peja: Career Development Center Haxhi Zeka University

▪ ***District Employment Offices***

- Prishtina, Mitrovica, Peja, Gjakova, Gjilan, Ferizaj and Prizren

▪ ***Vocational Trainings Centres***

- There are eight Vocational Training Centres (VTC) within the Employment Agency, in Prishtina, Prizren, Peja, Gjilan, Gjakova, Ferizaj, Mitrovica and Doljane. These centres offer support in training for people registered as unemployed and/or jobseekers, and those interested in receiving training for career development and orientation in the employment offices of municipalities. Vocational training is provided in two ways:

1.institutional training in VTC; and, combined training provided by VTCs and companies. The training programme lasts 3-6 months and its curriculum covers 30% theory and 70% practical knowledge. The candidate should pass the exams after each module and a final exam at the end of the training in order to receive a certificate on the skills and competencies developed.

Institutional training includes free training provided by 8 VTCs for the unemployed and/or jobseekers in a certain field/profession. The goal the enhancement and creation of professional skills that help people get or maintain jobs.

2.Combined training includes collaboration with business companies where VTCs cover the theoretical ground in certain fields/professions whereas companies provide practical knowledge and the opportunity to practice theoretical knowl-

edge, under the supervision of an employer in the respective company.

Industries/professions at VTCs:

- Prishtina: plumbing and central heating installment; business administrator and self-employment; administrative assistant/accounting; bakeries; confectionery; technology and industrial electronics; construction; office equipment servicing; auto electrical; tailoring

- Prizren: cooker; waitress; auto-electric; hydraulic and pneumatic; welding; business administration/self-employment; industrial electronics; white technical services; technology; tailoring; milk processing; hairdressing; bakeries

- Peje: administrative assistant/accounting; business administration; electro-installation; construction; plumbing; agro-culture; kitchen; welding; carpentry; entrepreneurship/self-employment

- Ferizaj: carpentry; electrical installation; construction; welding/water supply system installation; technology; business ad-

ministration/self-employment; maintenance of facilities; computer use; kitchen; hotel services

- Gjilan: woodwork; welding; computer use; business administrations/self-employment; graphic design; cooking

- Gjakova: administrative assistant/accounting; electro-installation; entrepreneurship/self-employment; welding; business administration; hairdresser; tailoring

- Mitrovica: woodwork; technology; textile; construction; welding; business administration/self-employment; kitchen

- Doljane: woodwork; kitchen; textile; welding; business administration

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**WHERE CAN YOU
FIND OPPORTUNITIES
FOR EMPLOYMENT,
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GRANTS?**

Useful Links:

Busulla: [**https://busulla.com**](https://busulla.com)

MEST official platform for occupational orientation, education and career guidance

Kastori: [**https://kastori.net**](https://kastori.net)

Work, grants, procurement, scholarships, trainings and conferences portal

Labour Market Information System (LMIS): [**http://sitp.rks-gov.net**](http://sitp.rks-gov.net)

Labour Market Information System (LMIS) is a comprehensive system of collecting, analyzing, and disseminating quantitative and qualitative information on the situation and trends in labour supply and demand and on the factors causing distortions between the two, including in different economic sectors, occupations, and areas of a country. LMIS covers both

the macro and micro (occupational) levels of labour supply/demand and resultant imbalances and it suggests that the need for data and information on the resultant imbalances between labour supply and demand, in the form of surplus supply (leading to unemployment) on the one hand and inadequate supply (at occupational level) resulting in labour shortages on the other.

Labour Market Information System (LMIS) gathers a variety of data such as information from Kosovo Agency of Statistics (about population census, Labour Force Survey), from MEST (education statistics), MLSW (registered unemployed, vacancies announced, social assistance beneficiaries, disabled etc.), from Tax Authority (formal employment figures); MTI (business registry) into one common system, with the aim to provide up-to-date information on the latest trends in the Kosovo labour market.

In addition to that, Career Information Module has been added to LMIS which provides (i) information on economic sector and occupational trends; (ii) occupational content and skills requirements; (iii) information on learning opportunities (education and training offer); (iv) current (formal economy) and future jobs, vacancies and working conditions; (v) other employment opportunities such as self-employment /entrepreneurship.



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