

| Rank | 2016 | 2015 | 2014 | Institution | Country | 1971 | 1972 | 1973 | 1974 | 1975 | 1976 | 1977 | 1978 | 1979 | 1980 |
|------|------|---------|---------|--|----------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| 21 | 8 | 8 | 251-00 | James Cook University | Australia | 1977 | 6 | 29 | 777 | 9 | 468 | 49 | | | |
| 22 | 41 | 49 | 01-50 | University of Bremen | Germany | 1970 | 273 | 02 | 82 | 42 | 741 | 49 | | | |
| 23 | 43 | 50 | 251-00 | Deakin University | Australia | 1974 | 28 | 06 | 755 | 01 | 768 | 48 | | | |
| 24 | 45 | 9 | 01-50 | Technical University of Dortmund | Germany | 1968 | 455 | 426 | 571 | 48 | 415 | 479 | | | |
| 25 | 46 | 54 | 01-50 | University of Erling | United Kingdom | 197 | 28 | 54 | 69 | 3 | 751 | 465 | | | |
| 26 | 47 | 59 | 01-50 | George Mason University | United States | 1972 | 04 | 3 | 78 | 8 | 3 | 460 | | | |
| 27 | 51 | - | 51-400 | University of Calabria | Italy | 1972 | 19 | 8 | 82 | 8 | 31 | 456 | | | |
| 28 | 54 | 63 | 51-400 | University of Eastern Finland | Finland | 1969 | 35 | 29 | 745 | 56 | 48 | 450 | | | |
| 29 | 56 | 58 | 51-400 | La Trobe University | Australia | 197 | 6 | 424 | 49 | 455 | 78 | 446 | | | |
| 30 | 58 | 66 | 01-50 | University of Crete | Greece | 1973 | 23 | 269 | 8 | 88 | 469 | 444 | | | |
| 31 | 59 | 43 | 401-500 | National Taiwan University of Science and Technology (Taiwan Technological University) | Taiwan | 1974 | 75 | 578 | 8 | 701 | 23 | 443 | | | |
| 32 | 60 | 47 | 01-50 | Linköping University | Sweden | 1975 | 29 | 18 | 79 | 417 | 621 | 442 | | | |
| 33 | 62 | 69 | 51-400 | University of Kaiserslautern | Germany | 1970 | 451 | 5 | 503 | 69 | 463 | 49 | | | |
| 34 | 64 | - | 51-400 | Toyota Technological Institute | Japan | 198 | 29 | 250 | 76 | 59 | 241 | 42 | | | |
| 35 | 66 | 71 | 51-400 | Autonomous University of Madrid | Spain | 1968 | 61 | 5 | 574 | 58 | 516 | 429 | | | |
| 36 | 67 | 8 | 51-400 | University of Adau | Madagascar | 198 | 279 | 21 | 53 | 463 | 9 | 425 | | | |
| 37 | 68 | 8 | 401-500 | Uppsala University | Australia | 1973 | 23 | 01 | 573 | 428 | 97 | 423 | | | |
| 38 | 68 | - | 401-500 | University of Bergen | Germany | 1972 | 29 | 51 | 608 | 407 | 501 | 423 | | | |
| 39 | 68 | 77 | 51-400 | University of Texas at San Antonio | United States | 1969 | 220 | 23 | 60 | 24 | 26 | 423 | | | |
| 40 | 71 | - | 51-400 | University of Salerno | Italy | 1968 | 28 | 19 | 67 | 9 | 08 | 421 | | | |
| 41 | 73 | - | 401-500 | Utrecht University | Belgium | 1973 | 28 | 30 | 616 | 49 | 552 | 418 | | | |
| 42 | 76 | 76 | 51-400 | Bkent University | Turkey | 198 | 277 | 254 | 68 | 9 | 519 | 413 | | | |
| 43 | 79 | 75 | 401-500 | University of Tsukuba | Japan | 1973 | 475 | 417 | 51 | 424 | 21 | 411 | | | |
| 44 | 8 | 8 | 401-500 | University of Aveiro | Portugal | 1973 | 9 | 83 | 445 | 415 | 465 | 410 | | | |
| 44 | 8 | 66 | 401-500 | Ufona University | Italy | 198 | 06 | 19 | 78 | 421 | 409 | 410 | | | |
| 46 | 8 | 9 | 51-400 | Claude Bernard University Lyon 1 | France | 1971 | 257 | 212 | 78 | 76 | 478 | 405 | | | |
| 47 | 8 | 73 | 401-500 | Uit The Arctic University of Norway | Norway | 1968 | 279 | 220 | 643 | 69 | 673 | 402 | | | |
| 48 | 9 | - | 401-500 | Florida International University | United States | 1972 | 29 | 28 | 577 | 52 | 53 | 9 | | | |
| 49 | 9 | 101-150 | 401-500 | Central Queensland University | Australia | 1971 | 251 | 142 | 78 | 51 | 59 | 9 | | | |
| 50 | 9 | 69 | 51-400 | Bris-Bonne University -Bris 4 | France | 1971 | 48 | 68 | 279 | 22 | 542 | 9 | | | |
| 50 | 9 | 8 | 401-500 | University of Rome II -Tor Vergata | Italy | 198 | 24 | 203 | 642 | 9 | 89 | 9 | | | |

Note: 'Generation X' institutions are those founded between 1967 and 1985.