

Japan is the most represented nation, with 103 universities featured. China is in second place with 72 universities. Other countries with a strong presence in the ranking are Australia (35 universities), Taiwan (32), South Korea (29) and Thailand (14). The University of Melbourne is again the only university outside Asia to crack the top five, claiming third place (one up from fourth last year). The other universities featured in the top five are Tsinghua University (in first place), the National University of Singapore (second place), the Hong Kong University of Science and Technology (fourth place) and the University of Hong Kong (fifth place). (Fonte: THE 22-02-19)