Specialists, masters and doctors science year 2012

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In 2012 post-graduate studies finished totally 1,874 students, which presents increase of 7.8% compared to 2011. From total number of students who finished post-graduate studies 1,592 or 85% were specialists, and 282 or 15% masters of science. Post-graduate studies finished 63.6% female, and 36.4% male students.

The majority of persons have finished their post-graduate studies at University of Montenegro – 79.8%, University Mediteran – 10.4%, University Donja Gorica -4.3%, and in other higher education institutions - 5.5%.

Doctor of science degree in 2012, obtained 8 persons which presents decrease by 27.3% comparing to previous year.
METHODOLICAL EXPLANATIONS

The data in this release are a result of regular annual statistical survey.

Statistical activity includes all higher education institutions, both public and private. The data on students enrolled at postgraduate (specialist studies and master studies) and doctoral studies refer to academic year.

Pursuant to the Law on Higher Education, there are three levels of higher education: undergraduate studies (basic studies), postgraduate studies, and doctoral studies.

Postgraduate studies may be organised as: specialist studies and master studies. Postgraduate specialist studies runs for one study year, i.e. two semesters. Postgraduate master studies usually runs two study years (1+1), i.e. four semesters after basic, i.e. a year after specialist studies.

Doctoral studies at the University of Montenegro are realised in duration of at least three study years, i.e. six semesters.