

# GETTING TO KNOW UFPEL

What do I need to know?

UFPEL



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# ABOUT THE UNIVERSITY

## HISTORY

Located in the south of the state of Rio Grande do Sul, in the city of Pelotas, which is 250km away from the capital of the state, Porto Alegre, the Universidade Federal de Pelotas (UFPel) always attentive to the scientific and technological growth and development of the country, as well as the public demands of the city and region, has been investing in the growth and pursuit of excellence in the areas that it operates. The mission of UFPel is to promote the integral and permanent graduation of professionals, building knowledge and culture, committed to the values of life and to the construction and progress of the society.

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UFPel was founded in 1969, from the transformation of the Universidade Federal Rural do Rio Grande do Sul (composed by the centennial Eliseu Maciel Agricultural School, Veterinary School and the Domestic Science School) and the annexation of the Dentistry and Law Schools, that were, at that time, bonded with the Universidade Federal do Rio Grande do Sul (UFRGS). Private institutions that already existed in Pelotas were also added to Universidade Federal de Pelotas, such as Pelotas Conservatory of Music, Dona Carmem Trápaga Simões School of Fine Arts, the Medicine School from Instituto Pró-Ensino Superior do Sul do Estado and the Visconde da Graça Agrotechnical Complex (CAVG).

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The Universidade Federal de Pelotas has been increasingly investing in teaching, research and extension programs. Since 2007, when it joined the Reestruturing and Expansion Program of Federal Universities (REUNI) developed by the Ministry of Education, UFPel has registered significant improvements that correspond to its enlargement in the academic field through the increase in the number of admissions and the creation of new post and undergraduate programs, as much as to the expansion of its patrimony. But also, improvements mainly correspond to the implementation of inclusion and student assistance policies to guarantee and magnify the access of low-income students, afro-descendants, quilombolas (Brazilian indigenous people) and persons with disabilities to the University.

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UFPeI has 22 academic departments and relies on 96 presential undergraduate programs, being 66 of them bachelor of science degrees, 22 teaching degrees and 8 bachelor of technology degrees, and also three distance education degrees. The University also has 26 PhD programs, 50 master degree programs, 6 professional master programs and 34 specialization courses. When it comes to research, there are 2,698 current projects, distributed among different fields of study as well as hundreds of extension projects with the purpose of inserting the UFPeI in the local community.

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In terms of physical structures, UFPel's total area is reckoned at about 2 111 106,22 m<sup>2</sup>. Our facilities are distributed among several places, mainly in Pelotas and Capão do Leão. Students at UFPel rely on 398 classrooms, consisting of 19 540,93 m<sup>2</sup>, 9 libraries that add 3 928,96 m<sup>2</sup>, 700 laboratories and workshops available for teaching practices that add up to 20 892,24 m<sup>2</sup>, 15 auditoriums totalizing 1 960,98 m<sup>2</sup>, 3 school restaurants occupying 1 605,34 m<sup>2</sup> and a student residence that consists of 1 943,63 m<sup>2</sup>.

UFPel is expected to bring dynamism to the economy of Pelotas and help in finding solutions for historical problems that used to trouble the development of the southern region as a whole. Nowadays, the University is one of the most important institutions for the city: its budget is ranked as the second highest of the city, only below the budget of the city hall.

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# ABOUT THE UNIVERSITY

## GENERAL INFORMATION

**In terms of human resources, UFPel estimates:**

Undergraduate Students | 16 461

EAD Students | 1 763

PhD Students | 1 034

Master's Students | 1 174

Specialization Students | 285

Professional Master's Students | 110

Professors | 1 356

Technical-administrative Staff | 1 332

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# ABOUT THE UNIVERSITY

## RANKINGS

- In 2017, UFPel was ranked 83rd in the QS World University Rankings among Latin America universities and 170th among BRICS universities.
- Ranking Universitário Folha: 32nd position among the Brazilian Universities.
- In 2022 The Federal University of Pelotas (UFPel) was considered the 29th best university in Latin America in the Webometrics Ranking of Universities.
- In 2022, UFPel ranked 72nd in the QS Latin America University Rankings 2022
- In 2022, UFPel ranked among the 1000 best universities in the world according to the "THE World University Rankings".





# STUDENTS CARDS

## DCE STUDENT CARD

The Student Card provided by the Student's Council (DCE) of UFPel ensures half-price entry for students in many places and events, such as movie theaters, circus, theaters, sports events, music events and more. In order to request the card, the students must fill a form with their personal information and, instead of typing the RG number, foreign students must type their passport number. After filling the form, the student must go to DCE with the passport and pay R\$5,00 so that the card can be issued right away.

Email address: [dceufpeldiasdeluta@gmail.com](mailto:dceufpeldiasdeluta@gmail.com)



**A CARTEIRINHA DO DCE ESTÁ DE VOLTA**  
meia entrada é nosso direito conquistado!

**Valor: R\$10,00**  
**Beneficiários(as) PRAE: R\$5,00.**  
**Acesse o site do DCE para saber como solicitar a sua e maiores informações!**



**DCE**  
**UFPel**  
**É PRA LUTAR!**  
a voz ativa dos estudantes



# STUDENTS CARDS

## UFPEL IDENTIFICATION CARD

### IDENTIFICAÇÃO UFPEL



**MATRÍCULA** 90202119

**CURSO**  
Teatro

**ANDERSON MORAIS**



**ESTUDANTE**



The UFPel Identification Card is provided by the Collegiate of each program and the students must head to any library of UFPel to sign up for the card. At the library, the student has to inform his or her registration number in UFPel and take a photo at the place that will be put in the card. After 20 days, the card can be withdraw at the Program Collegiate. The card is a valid document to access the restaurants of UFPel.



# STUDENTS CARDS

## DOCUMENTO DO ESTUDANTE

Every student in Brazil has access to this document. This student card can be used in the whole country and grants students rights as well as 50% discount in concerts, events, games, movie theaters and more. To get this document, the student must fill a form and send 1 photo 3x4 + 1 copy of an identification document + 1 copy of your university registration. The document costs R\$35,00 plus the transportation fee (transportation to Pelotas costs around R\$12,00). The payment must be done either by credit card or by Boletão Bancário - similar to a Bank slip - it is a common method of payment in Brazil in which the customer prints a document that has the information about the product and the recipient's bank account - this document must be presented to a bank or an ATM in order to transfer the money and complete the transaction. The payment must be done in up to 5 working days after issuing the bank slip. The card will be sent to your residence by the postal service.

Sign Up Form: <https://www.documentodoestudante.com.br>





# COBALTO



- UFPel has a University Management System called Cobalto. Through the website [www.cobalto.ufpel.edu.br](http://www.cobalto.ufpel.edu.br), students have access to academic information such as their registration number, schedule, academic transcripts and grades. The system requires a CPF number and a password in order to access it. The first password is generated by the system and should be changed after its first use. If the student doesn't have a CPF number, they should head to the Coordination of Academic Records (CRA) to generate a password with the passport number.
- In the system you can check your registration in teaching, research and extension projects. In addition, it is possible to download certificates and attestations of projects, lectures and other events participated in the scope of the university.

**The Cobalto system also disposes of a free smartphone app that provides academic information to the user.**

**Android: <https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.ionicframework.cobaltoapp528330>**

**iOS: <https://itunes.apple.com/us/app/cobalto-ufpel/id1280228121?mt=8>**





# UNIVERSITY RESTAURANT

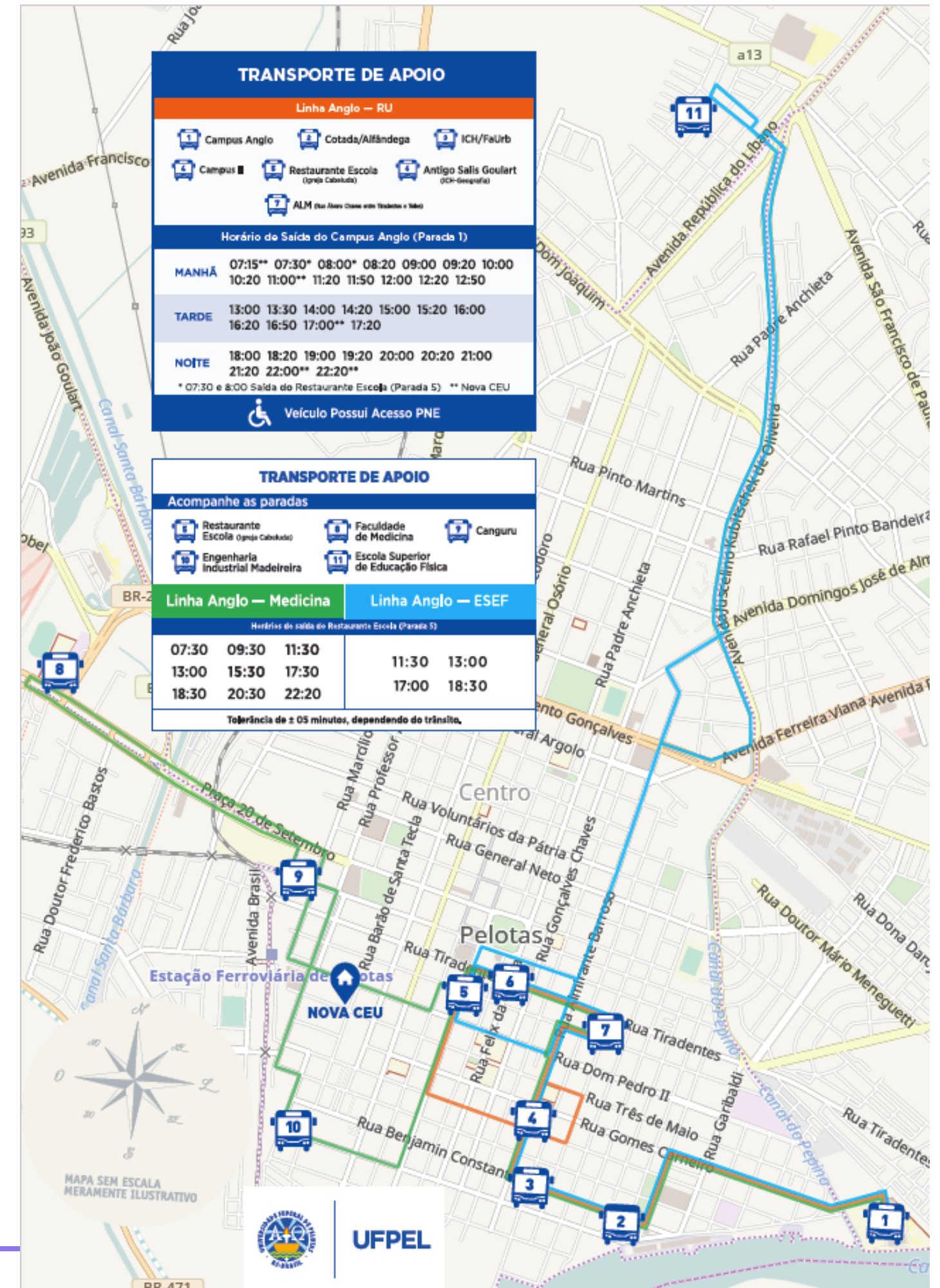
There are three University Restaurants in UFPel: one in Campus Capão do Leão and three in Campus Pelotas. In Campus Pelotas, one of them is located at Rua Santa Cruz, 1705, the other one is at R. Gomes Carneiro, 1, and the last one is on R. Três de Maio, 1212. Lunch and dinner are free every day for Meal Allowance students (including weekends and holidays). From Mondays to Fridays, regular students can eat at the restaurant for R\$2,00 per meal and they are allowed to buy tickets from the cashiers of the restaurant to eat there on weekends. The restaurant menu provides vegetarian and vegan options. Breakfast is served from 06:45 am to 07:45 am - which can be accessed only by Meal Allowance students -, lunch from 11:15 am to 13:30 pm and dinner from 17:30 pm to 20:00 pm.

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# UFPEL TRANSPORTATION

The University offers free transportation that connects many campuses in the city of Pelotas. The map below shows the trajectory of the bus lines Anglo-RU, Anglo-Medicina and Anglo-ESEF from UFPel buses.





# PORTUGUESE LESSONS

At the beginning of every semester, the Universidade Federal de Pelotas offers Portuguese lessons with no costs through the teaching project Políticas Linguísticas de Internacionalização na UFPel. The classes are taught by Professor Helena Selbach, from CRInter/CLC. It is also possible to take Portuguese courses for foreigners through IsF (Idioma sem Fronteiras).

The Portuguese course relies on different classes, including basic Portuguese classes, preparation classes for the Celpe-Bras exam and classes that cover Brazilian Culture Aspects.

Information can be requested by email [politicasinguisticasufpel@gmail.com](mailto:politicasinguisticasufpel@gmail.com)







# COURSES

Check out the list of courses by pointing your camarea to the QR Code





# STRUCTURE

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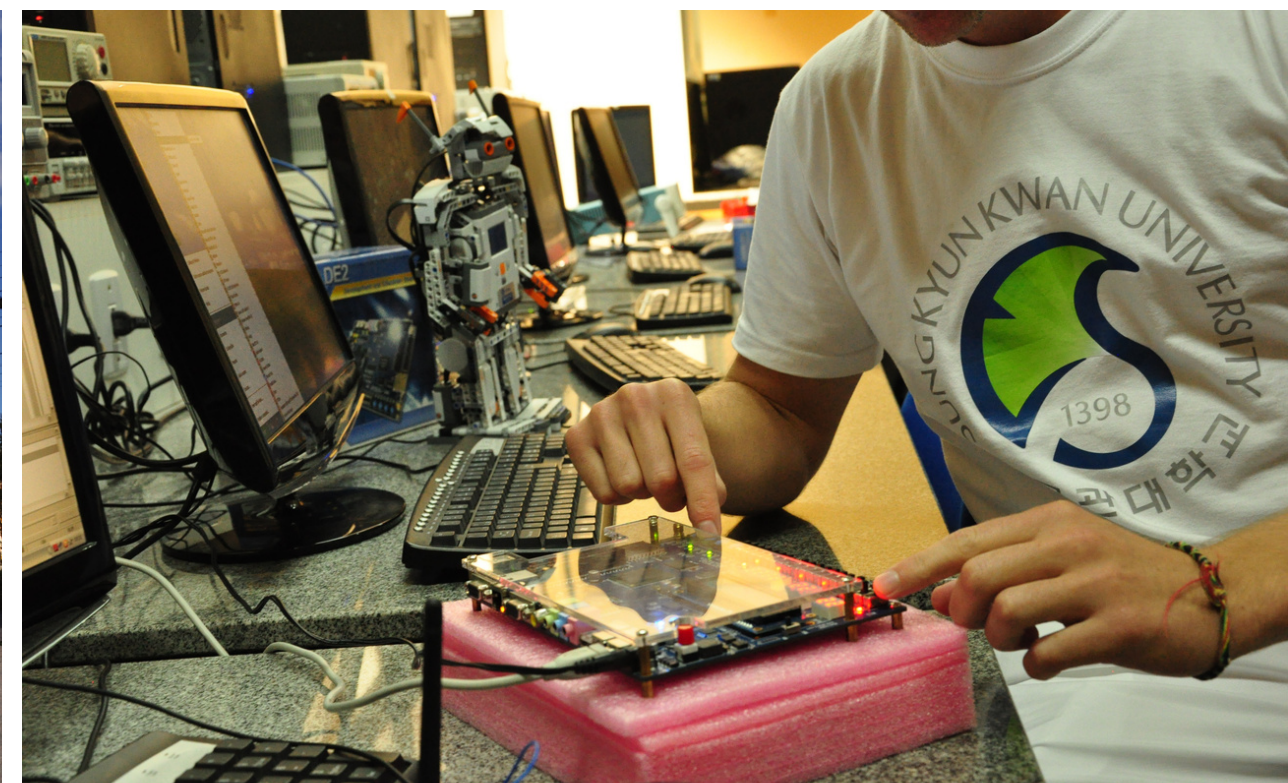
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# MUSIC CONSERVATORY

Founded on June 4, 1918 by Alcides Costa and Francisco Simões, and opened on September 18 of the same year. The Conservatory was created in the wake of the civilizing and progressive republican project whose ideals aimed at a cultural equality between Brazil and the most advanced countries in Europe.

Since its creation, the Conservatory of Pelotas has been the only institution for music education with uninterrupted activity in the city, and its concert hall is one of the oldest in Brazil in activity.

The importance of the Pelotas Music Conservatory was already attested when, on July 26, 2004, Law nº 12,133 was enacted, which declared it a member of the Cultural Heritage of the State of Rio Grande do Sul.





# UFPEL MUSEUMS

## MUSEUM OF NATURAL SCIENCES CARLOS RITTER





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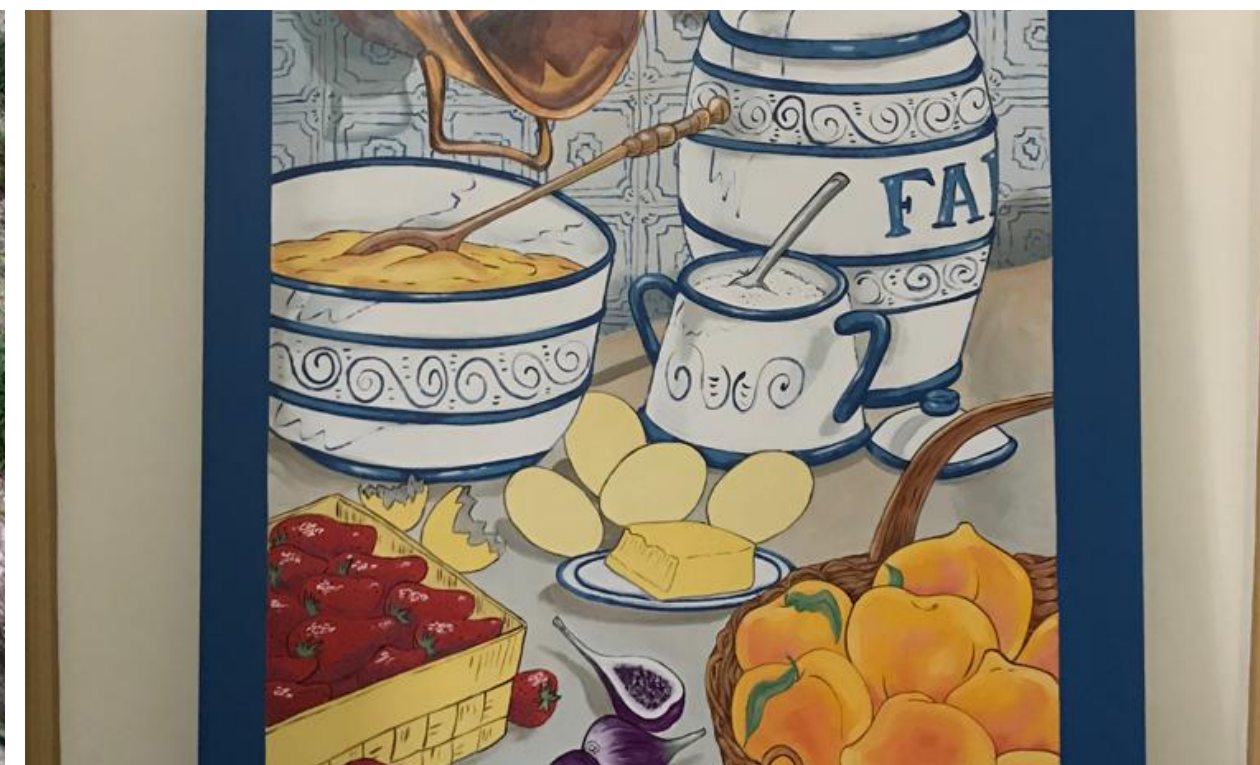
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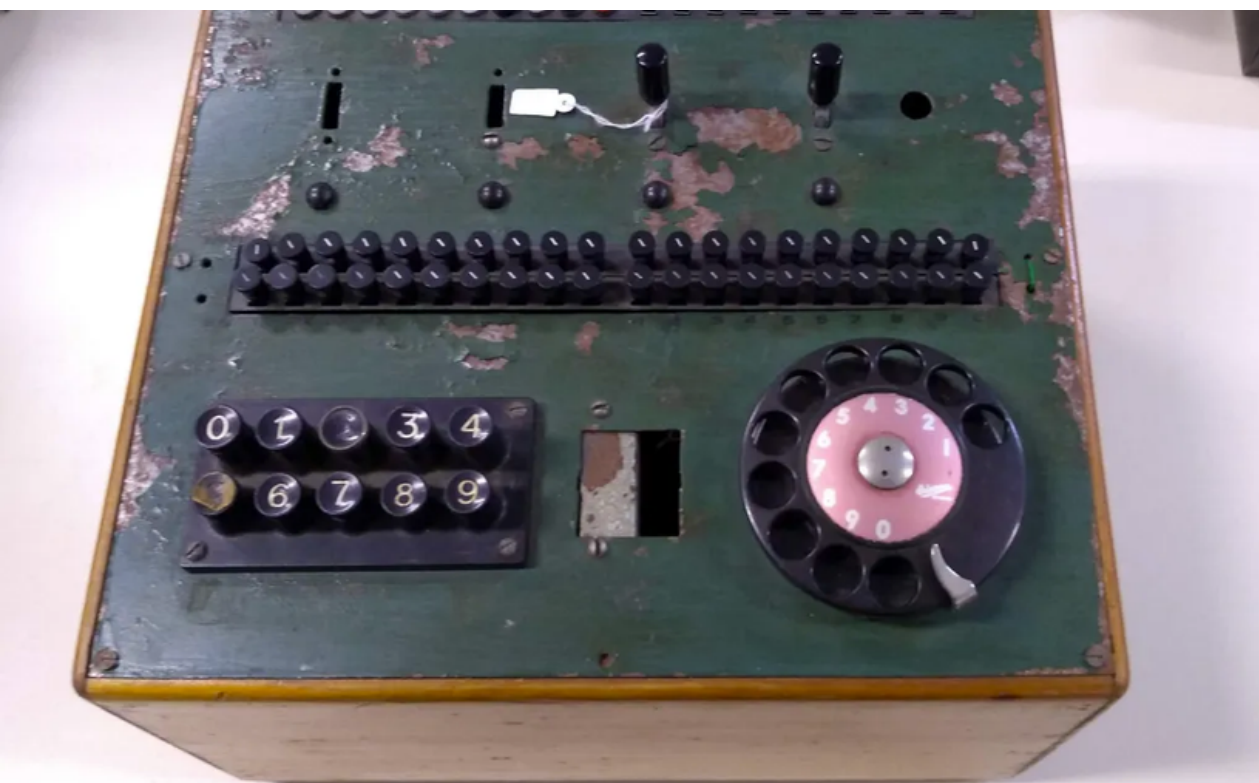
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# UFPEL MUSEUMS

## TELECOMMUNICATIONS MUSEUM







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For more information:

<https://wp.ufpel.edu.br/crinter/>