

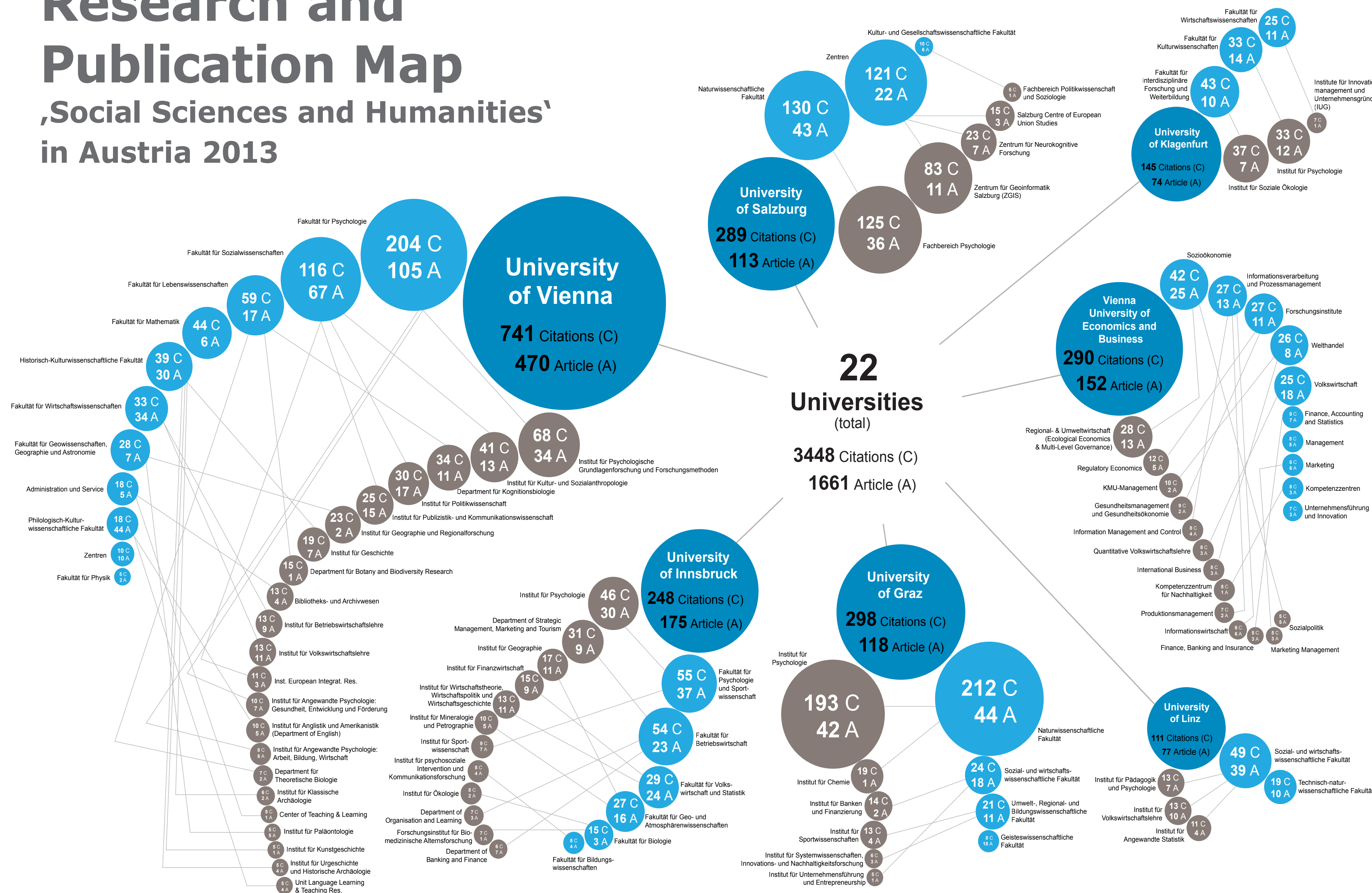
# Research in Social Sciences and Humanities (SSH) at Austrian Universities

## Bibliometric Article Analysis and Comparison of the Years 2007, 2010 and 2013

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## Research and Publication Map ,Social Sciences and Humanities' in Austria 2013



## How can research and research quality be measured?

One dimension of manifestation of research quality focuses on the publication of articles in international journals that are being peer reviewed. Bibliometric analysis opens here a route to measurement of article publications. Based on such results, the formulation of propositions is possible, which can be connected then to statements of evaluation.

The results of a bibliometric study of article publications at seven Austrian universities in the social sciences and humanities (SSH) are being presented and are discussed further with regard to their possible relevance for evaluation and governance (internal governance, external governance). The bibliometric study was based on the following methodic design: Only articles were considered, with at least one institutional address in Austria and that were released in journals which are represented in the SSCI or A&HCI. Also, three years were compared: 2007, 2010 and 2013.

Furthermore, the following issues of governance are being addressed: (1) a comparative commenting on the publication performance in the SSH for all Austrian universities covered by the analysis; (2) Discussion of methodic design considerations for bibliometric analyses; (3) Discussion of possible propositions for (internal, external) governance at Austrian universities.

## Further Information & Reference:



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