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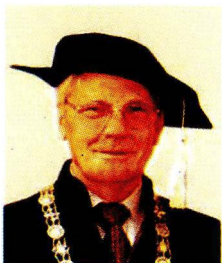
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Dear Reader,

This report features the multishaped research face of the Riga Technical University. It provides general information on different fundamental and applied research projects carried out in our academic and research units. It also gives the names of our academic staff members as well as institutions involved in particular research areas.

We regard promotion of research activities to be one of our priorities and I strongly believe that this will in the future rank the Riga Technical University among the leading higher educational institutions in the Baltic sea region contributing to the development of science and technology.

Wishing success, new discoveries and achievements to everybody in the fantastic and challenging world of research.

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This presentation highlights information on the organisational structure of our University which comprises 8 faculties, wide range of institutes, departments and divisions.

It presents the main topics of scientific interests, acquired scientific equipment and the list of funded projects in 2006-2007. The publication also includes the list of Promotion Councils and the list of the Doctoral thesis defended in RTU in 2005-2006.

Research activity in our University is an integral part of the study process and it is to be noted that many of the research programmes are very important for the industry and economy of Latvia.

Riga Technical University is open to world-wide co-operation in scientific research and in education for sustainable development of knowledge based society.

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