

MEDIANEIRA



On February 6th, 1987, the Federal Government founded the Federal Center of Technological Education (Centro Federal de Educação Tecnológica - Cefet-PR) – Medianeira unit. In 1990, the first High School Technical courses were launched.

In 1996, the first undergraduation course of Food Technology was implanted, on Industrialization of Meat modality. In 1999, four other underundergraduation courses were offered on campus: Electromechanical, Dairy, Meat and Environment Technologies, and in 2000, the course of Technology in Computer Science was also opened.

In 2005, the most outstanding change happened: CEFET became the FEDERAL UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY OF PARANÁ – UTFPR, the first technological university in Brazil.

In 2007, the Distance Education began on campus, a partnership between UTFPR and the Open University of Brazil (UAB).

Nowadays, the campus offers undergraduation courses in Food Technology, Chemistry Degree, Analysis and Systems Development, Environmental Management, Industrial Maintenance. It also offers bachelor's degree courses in Computer Science, Food Engineering, Environmental Engineering, Electrical Engineering and Production Engineering, besides Master courses in Food Technology, Environmental Technologies, Food Engineering and Computer Technologies for Agribusiness.

The Medianeira campus is composed by more than 3,000 students, 100 administrative employees and 185 teachers.

UTFPR – Medianeira Campus - is located in Medianeira, which is a city on the west of Paraná State, and is located 700km from Curitiba, the capital of the State of Paraná, 62km from Foz do Iguaçu which is the city of Iguaçu Waterfalls (Cataratas do Iguaçu), and Itaipu Binational Power Plant (Usina Itaipu Binacional). Medianeira is also located near the Triple Border Brazil, Argentina and Paraguay.

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