





# Welcome to Finland

Finland is a Northern European country bordering Sweden, Norway and Russia. Finland's key features are high standard of education, social security, and healthcare, all financed by the state. Forests cover three quarters of the country's surface area. Other outstanding features of Finland's scenery are some 190,000 lakes and approximately as many islands.

# Finland is also the happiest country in the world!

Capital: Helsinki

Population: 5.6 million

- Official languages: Finnish, Swedish
- Currency: Euro
- Area: 338,440 km<sup>2</sup>
- Climate: Cold winters and fairly warm summers
- Religion: Christianity
- Main exports: Electrotechnical goods, metal products, machinery, transport equipment, wood and paper products, chemicals
- Independence year: 1917, member of the European Union since 1995





#### Welcome to Xamk

South-Eastern Finland University of Applied Sciences – Xamk – is an institute of higher education focusing on

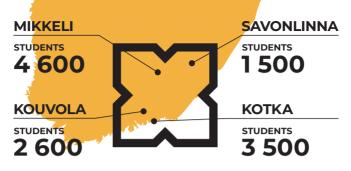
- ullet wellbeing,
- · technology and
- creative industries.

We train skilled professionals and create wellbeing and new business in a solution-oriented way. We provide education in eight fields of study, participate in research and development activities, and provide services to the businesses and residents of the area. There are campuses in four towns: Kotka, Kouvola, Mikkeli and Savonlinna

International cooperation is an important part of our profile, with more than 300 partner

educational institutions around the globe.

- over 12 000 students
- 4 campuses in the towns of Kotka, Kouvola, Mikkeli and Savonlinna
- 900 full-time faculty and staff members
- 51 Bachelor's programmes, 9 taught in English
- 34 Master's programmes, 3 taught in English
- Double degree programmes
- · Open UAS courses
- Extensive R&D activities



# **Campus info**

The range of services on all Xamk's 4 campuses is wide: restaurants, cafes, libraries, sport and leisure facilities, and modern learning environments.







# **Exchange studies**

Study in Finland! Apply for an exchange to South-Eastern Finland University of Applied Sciences. We offer studies in English in many different study fields.

International study PISA is a proof of education being at high level in Finland. This has aroused interest among foreigners in the Finnish education system. In our university we pay a lot of attention to quality issues by continuous development of the quality system.

Our unique nature and four seasons are other good reasons to come for an exchange to Finland. You can experience snow and northern lights as well as the midnight sun and warm summer days all in one place.

# **Double degree studies**

Double degree programmes are based on agreements between South-Eastern Finland UAS (Xamk) and its international partner institutions. The programmes are intended for students in our partner institutions who

wish to obtain a double degree. Many of the programmes are part of the full-time degree programmes at Xamk.

## Kotka campus

Exchange and double degree studies available on the Kotka campus:

- Business Logistics and Logistics Engineering
- · Game Programming
- Energy Technology
- Social Services
- Health Care
- Cybersecurity

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MORE INFORMATION ABOUT KOTKA CAMPUS AT:

xamk.fi/en/campuses/kotka





## Kouvola campus

Exchange and double degree studies available on the Kouvola campus:

- Digital International Business
- Culture

Selections of culture courses can be a combination from the following fields:

- · Game design
- Graphic design
- Restoration
- Product & service design
- Interior architecture & furniture design
- Fashion & costume design

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# Mikkeli campus

Exchange and double degree studies available on the Mikkeli campus:

- Business
- Information Technology
- Environmental Engineering
- Tourism and Service Business
- Youth Work
- Social Services
- Health Care

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# Savonlinna campus

Exchange and double degree studies available on the Savonlinna campus:

- Nursing
- Physiotherapy
- Podiatry
- Bioproduct Technology

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#### APPLY ONLINE AT WWW.XAMK.FI/EXCHANGE

#### **Application periods:**

For the autumn term and whole academic year: 1 April – 15 May.

For the spring term: 15 September – 1 November.



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