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UNIVERSITIES AND UNIVERSITIES OF APPLIED SCIENCES



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STUDENTS LOVE IT
HERE — COME
AND JOIN US FOR
HIGHEST QUALITY
EDUCATION FROM THE
TOP OF THE WORLD**



UNIVERSITIES

Aalto University
Hanken School of Economics
LUT University
Tampere University
University of Eastern Finland
University of Helsinki
University of Jyväskylä
University of Lapland
University of Oulu
University of Turku
University of Vaasa
University of the Arts Helsinki
Åbo Akademi University

UNIVERSITIES OF APPLIED SCIENCES (UAS)

Arcada UAS
Centria UAS
Diaconia UAS
Haaga-Helia UAS
Häme UAS
Metropolia UAS
HUMAK UAS
JAMK UAS
Kajaani UAS
Karelia UAS
LAB UAS
Lapland UAS
Laurea UAS
Novia UAS
Oulu UAS
Satakunta UAS
Savonia UAS
Seinäjoki UAS
Tampere UAS
Turku UAS
Vaasa UAS
XAMK – South-Eastern Finland UAS

HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS

Finland's higher education consists of two complementary sectors:

universities promoting research and academic education, and universities of applied sciences (UAS) offering professionally oriented higher education with close connections to the working life.

Universities of applied sciences

offer bachelor's degree programmes (3,5 – 4,5 years) and master's degree programmes (1 – 1,5 years).

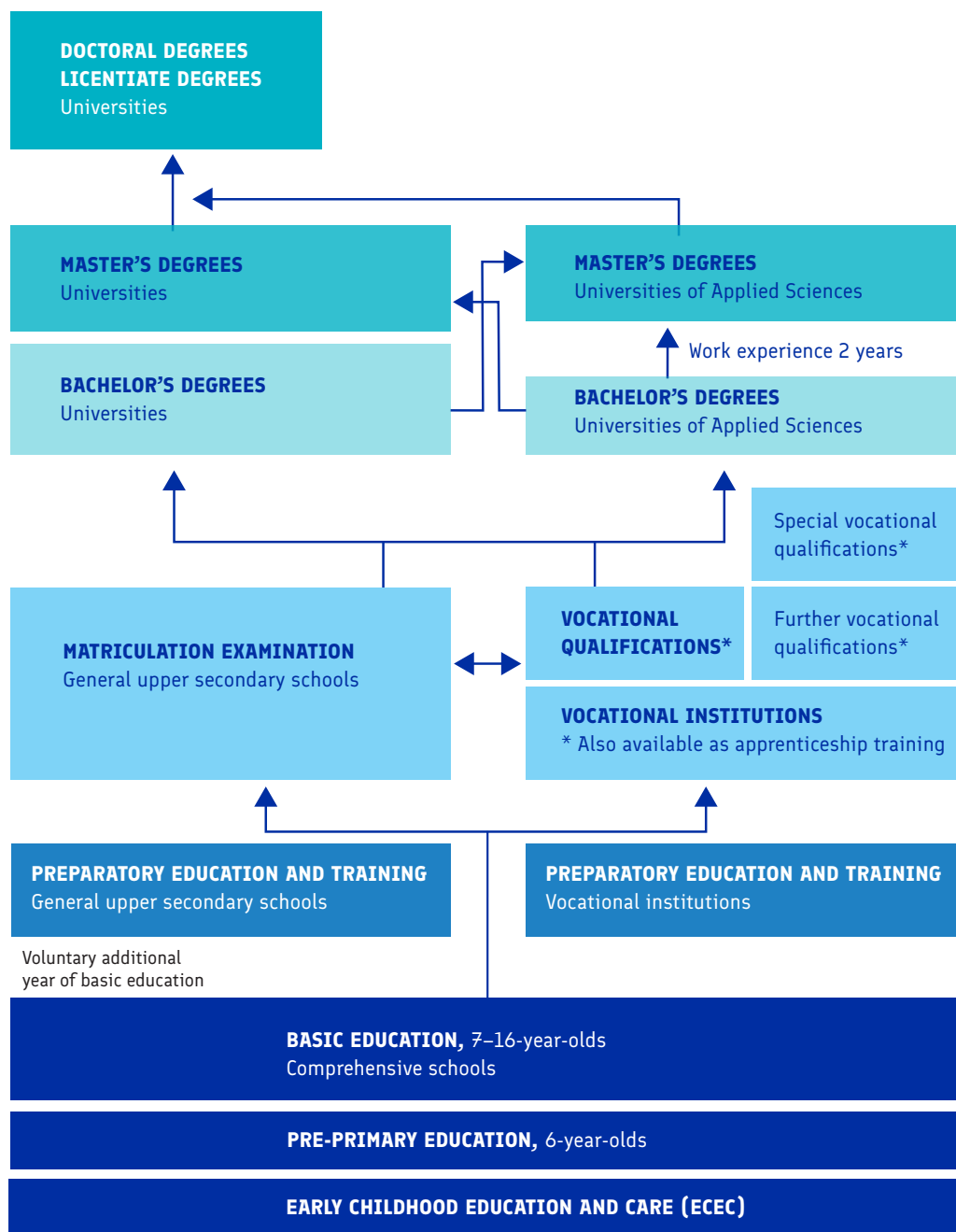
Universities offer bachelor's (3 years), master's (2 years) and doctoral (4 years) degree programmes.

Finnish higher education institutions offer over 400 degree programmes which are fully taught in English. All these institutions offer scholarships for those students who are required to pay tuition fees.



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STUDYING IN FINLAND
IS LIKE?**

STRUCTURE OF THE FINNISH EDUCATION SYSTEM





#1

**IN EDUCATING FOR THE FUTURE
AND PREPARING STUDENTS FOR
THE DEMANDS OF WORK AND LIFE**

Source: [The Economist Intelligence Unit & Yidan Prize, Worldwide Educating for the Future Index 2019](#)

#1

**IN HIGHER EDUCATION
EFFICIENCY RELATIVE TO
NATIONAL INCOME LEVEL**

Source: [Universitas 21 2020](#)

BACHELORS'S DEGREE PROGRAMMES IN ENGLISH		Agriculture, forestry, fisheries and veterinary	Arts and Humanities	Business, administration and law	Education	Engineering, manufacturing and construction	Health and welfare	Information and communication technologies	Natural sciences, mathematics and statistics	Services	Social sciences, journalism and information
UAS	Arcada UAS			●		●	●				
UAS	Centria UAS			●		●	●	●			
UAS	Diaconia UAS						●				●
UAS	Haaga-Helia UAS			●				●		●	
UAS	Humak UAS				●		●				
UAS	Häme UAS	●	●	●		●		●			
UAS	JAMK UAS			●		●	●	●		●	
UAS	Kajaani UAS			●						●	
UAS	Karelia UAS			●		●					
UAS	LAB UAS		●	●		●	●			●	
UAS	Lapland UAS			●		●	●			●	
UAS	Laurea UAS			●			●	●		●	
UAS	Metropolia UAS			●		●	●	●			
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UAS	Satakunta UAS			●		●	●				
UAS	Savonia UAS			●		●	●	●			
UAS	Seinäjoki UAS			●		●	●				
UAS	South-Eastern Finland UAS (XAMK)		●	●		●		●			
UAS	Tampere UAS		●	●		●	●	●			
UAS	Turku UAS			●			●				
UAS	Vaasa UAS			●			●				
University	Aalto University		●	●		●		●	●		
University	Hanken School of Economics										
University	LUT University					●					
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University	University of Lapland										
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University	University of Turku				●			●			
University	University of Vaasa										
University	Åbo Akademi University										

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MASTER'S DEGREE PROGRAMMES IN ENGLISH

For Master's degree programmes in UASs, you need to have a minimum of three years of work experience.

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University	University of Jyväskylä		●	●	●		●	●	●		●
University	University of Lapland		●							●	●
University	University of Oulu			●	●	●	●	●	●		
University	University of Turku		●	●	●	●	●	●	●		
University	University of Vaasa			●		●					
University	Åbo Akademi University		●	●	●	●	●	●	●		●
UAS	Arcada UAS		●	●			●	●			●
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FIVE STEPS TO FINLAND

1. Choose your programmes

You can search
for your desired
programmes at
the national
database

www.studyinfo.fi

2. Check the admissions information

Learn about
the admissions
process and
application
deadlines, also
make sure that
you know which
documents you
need to submit.

3. Apply to programmes and scholarships

Make sure you
apply on time!
All universities
have scholarships
for those who
are required to
pay tuition fees.
Applying for studies
is always free.

4. Wait for acceptance letter

This could be
the hardest part!
Universities
will inform all
applicants and
those accepted
will be guided
how to accept the
study place offer.

5. Prepare for arrival

If you are from
outside EU/EEA
area, you need to
have a residence
permit before
arriving to Finland.
Make sure you have
a valid insurance,
apply for housing
and buy your
ticket to Finland.
Congratulations!



**STUDYINFO.FI –
NATIONAL DATABASE
FOR STUDY
PROGRAMMES**



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