## Tampere University of Applied Sciences



Your ideal partner for hands-on working life skills and practical innovations

# Diverse and extensive education

Tampere University of Applied Sciences (TAMK) is a professional higher education institution oriented towards working life and RDI co-operation. Our strengths are multidisciplinary education, creativity, and a strong international profile. We place special emphasis on technology, wellbeing services, business administration, and culture.

#### Degrees

TAMK studies are a combination of theory and practice: you can create your own career path and update your skillset. TAMK's degrees provide professional expertise for working life, with opportunities both in Finnish and English.

Besides Bachelor's and Master's degrees, in TAMK you can find a range of possibilities to update your competences and expertise. Continuing education opportunities are numerous, from short specialized courses to longer MBA programmes.

Since 2019, TAMK has been a full member of the Tampere Universities community – together with Tampere University.



#### **TAMK Schools**

Built Environment and Bioeconomy Business Health Industrial Engineering Media, Music and Art Pedagogical Innovations Well-being and Health Technology

#### **Professional Teacher Education**

Current and future teachers can benefit from Finland's topclass education and TAMK's expertise in pedagogics. From our great range you can choose the study programme and services that fit your career path and needs.

#### High student popularity

TAMK is number one in popularity among the universities of applied sciences in Finland. What makes the difference? Survey\* shows that TAMK ranks high with good reputation, interesting fields of study and international possibilities. Students also value the atmosphere in Tampere and the recognition of TAMK in the labour market.

#### Vibrant student union

TAMK's student union Tamko and other associations look after students' interests and regularly organize free time activities, cultural and sports events.

Tampere University Library is a scientific library open to everybody. Its wide-ranging services, materials and resources are available to you on campus or online.



## Tampere, the best study place in Finland!

Finland is a land of peace and quiet, lakes and forests but also a land of lively and laid-back cities. Largest inland city in the Nordic countries, Tampere offers nice scenery between two lakes, a great variety of student events, cosy and functional campus areas and good student housing facilities.

As a safe and vivid city of 240,000 inhabitants Tampere is just the right size: you can walk or bike everywhere in the city centre. Tampere has also been voted the most desirable place to live in Finland\* every year since 2010. And Finland happens to be the world's happiest country\*\*.

Can't go wrong with that.

\* "Willingness to move to Finnish cities in 2018" research by Taloustutkimus \*\* The 2019 World Happiness Report by the United Nations

#### Students in Tampere enjoy:

- · Affordable student housing
- Student health care
- Discounts in local shops & services
- SportUni: on-campus sports facilities, such as gyms, sport courts and group exercise classes at an affordable price
- On-campus full warm meal restaurant
- Tampere Universities community
- A great range of student events
- Social counsellor for international students
- Studies & free time balance
- Possibility to work part-time (max 25h/week)



#### Tampere – so easy to love

Under 2 km to nearest lake from any campus Every sixth resident is a student World Sauna Capital Easy to get around by bike or on foot 170 km (1,5 hours by train) to Helsinki Direct flights to European cities Longest day: 19h 30min

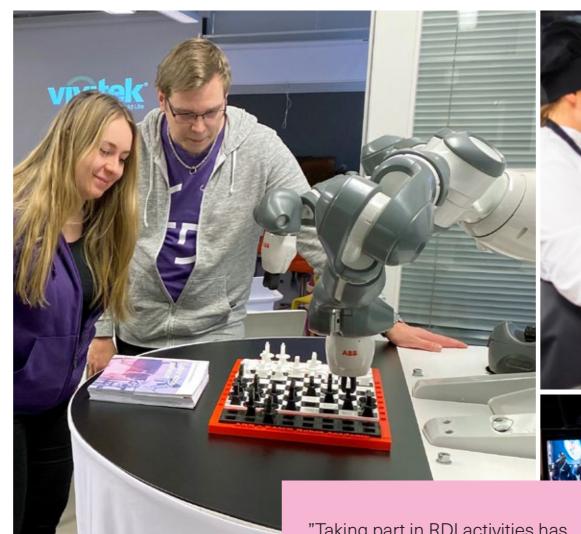
# Skillful partner in business and work comunity development

TAMK's extensive expert network and inventive students are available for businesses. You can give us individual commissions or conclude a long-term and multidisciplinary development partnership. We also organise staff training for work communities.

#### **Research, Development and Innovations**

Through our RDI operations, we create solutions to help our partners develop their businesses. We constantly brainstorm, test and implement new products and services, and help small and medium-sized enterprises commercialize their ideas. Small student-led projects can lead to largescale development partnerships and new spin-off companies.

In the Virtual Lab for Social and Health Care we develop, test and put forward ideas on tomorrow's digital and intelligent technologies related to basic health care, safe and well-performing home environment, remote care and rehabilitation, telemedicine, and mobile healthcare services.



#### **TAMK** laboratories

We offer multidisciplinary product development and analysis services and facilities for companies, communities and private persons. Contact: yrityspalvelut@tuni.fi

#### **Recruit students**

Companies can recruit students for internships, part-time work, thesis and other projects.

"Taking part in RDI activities has become a new normal. Students get involved in projects that have societal impact or develop the operations of our cooperative partners."

- Perttu Heino, Research Director





# **Global cooperation broadens expertise**

We value international cooperation with educational institutions, organizations, associations and more. TAMK is also a proud member of multiple field specific networks.

Various international events attract both domestic and international presenters and participants. They connect students, staff and businesses, creating international impact with partners and companies regionally.

#### International campus

The international family of TAMK is ever growing, with both international teaching & support staff and students joining us. More students apply for our international programmes every year.



As a multidisciplinary and working life oriented university of applied sciences, TAMK's ambition is to produce highguality professional higher education and innovations.

The Campuses of Tampere Universities offer a broad range of venues to accommodate a variety of events and meetings; traditional lecture halls, spaces that foster creativity, or for hosting festive events.

With 335 partner universities in 55 countries, students and staff can participate in several mobility programmes including Erasmus+, Nordplus, First+, Asia Program and several Double Degree options.

# Major player in technology, health and society

Tampere University of Applied Sciences and Tampere University form a unique higher education community that is a meeting place for leading experts in technology, health and society. Our multidisciplinary and inspiring community of 35,000 encourages crossing the boundaries of science and its applications.

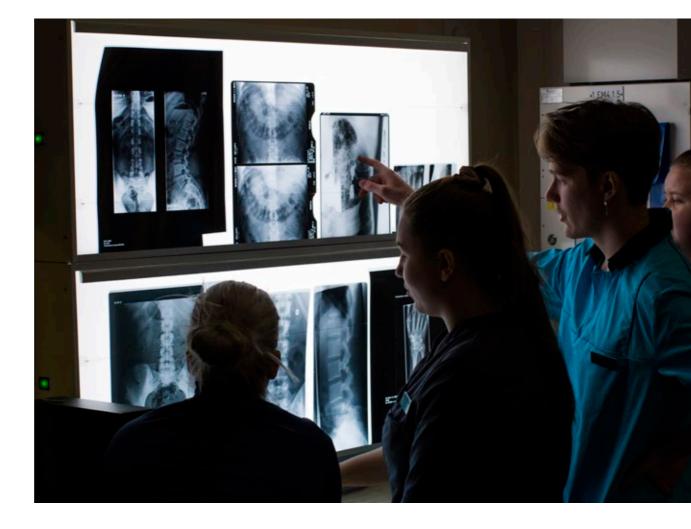
As a university of applied sciences, our task is to educate experts for working life and to influence the future with our research, development and innovation activities.

#### Strategic partnerships

TAMK has strategic partnership agreements with selected prestigious international universities. Together we have long-term shared goals regarding education, research and regional development.

"We pursue common goals such as holding the student in the center of attention, innovative teaching methods and strong focus on entrepreneurship and sustainability. Exchange activities take place at all levels; including students, professors, administration and university management."

- Munich University of Applied Sciences, strategic partner



#### **Education export**

We provide a large range of different education services from workshops to degree programmes. All programmes are tailor-made to suit the needs of our partners. We have experience in working all around the world and in several languages.

"We have been developing the pedagogical expertise of our staff by enhancing learning by doing, sharing knowledge and digital skills mentoring."

- Merja Jortikka, Director, Human Resources

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### Second biggest university of applied sciences in Finland

app. 10,000 students app. 700 employees

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