South-Eastern Finland University of Applied Sciences, Xamk

11 4500 students | 750 international students annually
48 bachelor’s programmes | 32 master’s programmes
4 campuses | app. 300 partner institutions

**ACADEMIC CALENDAR**

**Kotka campus:**
- Game programming
- Cybersecurity
- Logistics
- Health care

**Kouvola campus:**
- Digital international business
- Culture (Game design, Graphic design, Restoration, Product & service design, Interior architecture & furniture design, Fashion & costume design)

**Mikkeli campus:**
- Environmental engineering
- Information technology
- Business
- Tourism and service business
- Youth work
- Social services
- Health care

**Savonlinna campus:**
- Nursing
- Physiotherapy
- Podiatry
- Physical education
- Social services, school wellbeing
- Bioproduct technology

Each semester starts with an orientation day for new students.
## NOMINATION AND APPLICATION DEADLINES
Nomination deadlines: May 1 and October 15
Application deadlines: Autumn term and whole academic year: May 15  Spring term: November 1

## APPLICATION PROCEDURE
Nominations and applications in SoleMOVE. Check the instructions here

## RECOMMENDED LANGUAGE LEVEL
English: Studies: B2; Training: B2; Staff: C1  Finnish: none

## CREDIT SYSTEM: ECTS

### GRADING SYSTEM:
- **5** = excellent: outstanding performance with only minor errors (A, 89-100%)
- **4** = very good: above average but with some errors (B, 77-88)
- **3** = good: generally sound work with a number of notable errors (C, 65-77)
- **2** = satisfactory: fair but with significant shortcomings (D, 53-64)
- **1** = sufficient: performance meets the minimum criteria (E, 40-52)
- **0** = fail: considerable further work is required (F, <51)
- **H** = accepted

## HEALTH INSURANCE
Exchange students must have valid health insurance for the whole period of their stay in Finland.

## HOUSING
Xamk assists in arranging accommodation for exchange students.

## INTERNATIONAL SERVICES

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