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HOW TO APPLY?

Ready to join us? The application for our English-taught Master's Degree Programmes is open every January. However, you can prepare for the application beforehand by reading the admission criteria carefully and obtaining the necessary certificates and other documents needed in the process.

MASTER'S DEGREE PROGRAMMES

Visit the JYU website to find more information on the Master's programmes offered by our six different faculties. Get to know the admission criteria, degree structure and curricula, and check the information and instructions concerning scholarships and tuition fees. Find the right programme for you and get ready for the next application period that takes place 4-18 January 2023.

LEARN MORE ABOUT JYU

Want to know more about JYU and our programmes? Join the Applicant's Day online event on 28 October 2022 to hear what it is like to live and study in Jyväskylä.

Want to know more?

→ jyu.fi/apply

WHO SHARES, WINS.

The Jyväskylä Teacher Seminary was established in 1863 to share teaching and learning in Finnish with all. Today that same spirit of dialogue continues to drive us. It opens doors and minds between research, education and society. We strive to kindle the skills, knowledge and passion to live wisely for the best of humanity.

Our 2,500 professionals and 15,000 students collaborate closely in an open, multidisciplinary community, seeking answers to the questions of today – and tomorrow.

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WELCOME TO THE UNIVERSITY OF JYVÄSKYLÄ

Unique and international. Innovative and dynamic. Warm and cool. Welcome to your destination – University of Jyväskylä.

Located at the heart of Finland, JYU is a world-class university where cross-disciplinary and cutting-edge research meets open and energetic communality.

Through renowned teaching, high-profile expertise, and global collaboration, the JYU community seeks and finds solutions to the challenges of the future.

MULTIDISCIPLINARY, HIGH-QUALITY RESEARCH & STUDIES

In the international rankings of all universities in the world, the University of Jyväskylä is among the top three percent and represents the best of the world in several of its disciplines.

The University of Jyväskylä brings together education and psychology, natural sciences, humanities and social sciences, sport and health sciences, and business and economics into a multidisciplinary whole brimming with the latest knowledge and skills.

Since 1863, the dialogue between research, education and society has been our driving force. We cherish this balance of research and education, and work to promote open thinking. We kindle the skills, knowledge and passion to live wisely for the best of humanity.



Welcome to study at the University of Jyväskylä! We have been providing education since 1863, starting with teacher education and expanding into a wide range of disciplines. Jyväskylä is the right size for a city that is a pleasure to visit, but also a pleasure to stay in. Build your future in Finland, with the cutting-edge research and education our university offers. Our international university community is easy to join, both as a student and as an employee.

Keijo Hämäläinen
RECTOR

MASTER'S DEGREE PROGRAMMES

We offer the following Master's Degree Programmes in English in six different faculties

FACULTY OF EDUCATION AND PSYCHOLOGY

- Development, Education and International Cooperation *
- Educational Sciences

* This programme is shared by the two faculties

FACULTY OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

- Development, Education and International Cooperation *
- Language, Globalization and Intercultural Communication
- Music and Science

FACULTY OF MATHEMATICS AND SCIENCE

- Biological and Environmental Science
- Nanoscience
- Erasmus Mundus Joint Master's degree programme in Radiation and its Effects on MicroElectronics and Photonics Technologies (RADMEP) *

* Own application process and schedule

FACULTY OF SPORT AND HEALTH SCIENCES

- Biology of Physical Activity
- Psychology of Physical Activity, Health and Wellbeing
- Responsible Management and Business of Sport *

* This programme is shared by the two faculties

FACULTY OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

- Cognitive Computing and Collective Intelligence
- Information Systems

JYVÄSKYLÄ UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF BUSINESS AND ECONOMICS (JSBE)

- Banking and International Finance
- Corporate Environmental Management
- Digital Marketing and Corporate Communication
- International Business and Entrepreneurship
- Responsible Management and Business of Sport *

NEXT APPLICATION PERIOD

4-18 January 2023 | Studies start in August 2023

Tuition is free for EU/EEA citizens. For other students tuition fees range from €8,000 to €12,000 annually depending on the programme. Scholarships are available for students liable to pay tuition fees.



Destination Jyväskylä

The city of Jyväskylä, founded in 1837, is located in Central Finland, some 270 kilometres (168 miles) north of the capital Helsinki. Jyväskylä is best reached by train, bus or plane. The connections are relatively frequent and the journey from Helsinki to Jyväskylä takes about 3.5 hours by train.

With the population of nearly 145,000, Jyväskylä is the seventh largest city in Finland. The city is a safe and pleasant place to live. Thanks to the short distances and lively urban centre, Jyväskylä is a "little big city", where all the services, shops, schools, and workplaces are close at hand.

The city that follows in the footsteps of the world-famous architect Alvar Aalto can offer visitors some amazing encounters with nature in the middle of the city as well as a variety of thought-provoking culture.

CRAZY ABOUT JYU



Before I came here, I just had vague ideas about Finland, such as 'Finland is known for its good education system'. Nevertheless, I was convinced that being a student is a great chance to explore new things, and I am happily surprised to experience what Finland has to offer.

Ahee Kim
DEVELOPMENT, EDUCATION AND INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION



The University of Jyväskylä is truly a place where you feel welcomed, cherished and supported on your journey to higher education and in life. You don't have to give up your passion or neglect your personal life for education, choose JYU and you can have both!

Theodor Cristof
CORPORATE ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT



Research shows that when you are interested in something it is much easier to learn. When I applied to JYU's Master's degree programme, I had already heard about the freedom of choosing your own courses in Finland. I knew that I would enjoy it, but it surpassed my expectations.

Milan Bratu
INFORMATION SYSTEMS



When I first applied to JYU, I didn't know that this place would offer me so much in one year. The environment at the University is very friendly and welcoming, allowing students to take initiatives, be creative, suggest ideas, raise their voices and contribute actively to the student affairs.

Maria Marouli
EDUCATIONAL SCIENCE

JYU IN NUMBERS

6

FACULTIES

100

SUBJECTS

14,700

STUDENTS

1,000

FOREIGN STUDENTS

CORE FIELDS OF RESEARCH



Learning, teaching and interaction



Physical activity, health and wellbeing



Languages, culture and society



Basic natural phenomena and mathematical thinking



Sustainable business and economics



Information technology and the human in the knowledge society