

Programme Specific questions for MDP in Biomedical Sciences

These questions will be asked on the Application form you will find in studyinfo.fi after the start of the application period. This document has been created so that applicants can familiarize themselves with the programme specific questions and prepare answers in advance. This is particularly relevant for possible motivation letters and other questions requiring a longer answer. We recommend you draft the answer in advance and then copy and paste the text onto the application form. Please note that unless stated otherwise the answers should be written directly onto the application form and not be added as attachments.

Choosing the specialisation track

You may choose max two specialisation tracks. Please mark the specialisation tracks you are applying to in the order of preference. The order is binding.

- MDP in Biomedical Sciences: Biomedical Imaging
- MDP in Biomedical Sciences: Drug Discovery and Development
- MDP in Biomedical Sciences: Molecular Biotechnology and Diagnostics

Motivation letter

1. Please tell us why are you interested in the Master's Degree Programme in Biomedical Sciences and the particular track(s) you are applying to?
2. What kind of career plans do you have?
3. Why are you interested in applying to Turku, Finland?
4. Expected living expenses in Finland are minimum 600€/month. How do you intend to finance your studies at the University of Turku?

Maximum 4000 characters including spaces.

Previous studies

1. How do you think that your background fits the Master's Degree Programme in Biomedical Sciences's tracks you are applying to?
2. Are you familiar with writing scientific essays or reports? If yes, please describe.
3. Have you published scientific articles? If yes, please give the title of the article and the name of the journal.
4. Have you prepared a written thesis? Please, give the title and level (i.e. bachelor, masters, doctoral) of your thesis.

Laboratory training and research practices

1. During your studies, how many months of experience in practical laboratory training did you approximately have? Please differentiate molecular biology laboratory/wet lab experience from other type of laboratory experience.
2. Did your BSc/MSc thesis include a practical laboratory work period or project?



3. If you have experience in laboratory training that is not directly related to your study degree, then please describe what kind of experience and for how many months (for example extra courses, summer projects, internships, employment etc.).
4. What type of work have you done and what type of assays/techniques or methods you have used?

References

Please include name, affiliation, full address and e-mail address of two referees, who are willing to give information about you if needed.

Please note

The admission board reserves itself the right to interview the applicant. In that case the applicant will be informed in advance by email. The interviews are organised online and the applicants need to use video connection. The interviews will take place during week 11 (14.-18.3.2022).