

# BDP in Information and Communication Technology Orientation

Autumn 2025

## Saturday 23 August

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16-02 Jumpstart, Q-talo, Nummenpuistokatu 2

## Monday 25 August

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Location: Lecture Hall Osmo Järvi, Medisiina C (1st floor)

Organised by Admission Services

10:00 – 10:45 Studying at the University of Turku – Valtteri Kiviö & Johanna Kärki

10:45 – 11:00 Student Union of the University of Turku (TYY)

11:00 – 11:30 IT Services – Aleksi Turunen

11:30 – 12:00 Library Services – Jari Herranen

12:00 – 13:30 Lunch + Tutor Introduction

13:30 – 14:00 Registration with the University and in Finland – Valtteri Kiviö

14:00 – 14:45 Tuition Fees, Scholarships, and Residence Permits – Johanna Kärki

14:45 – 15:00 Break

15:00 – 15:10 Rector's Greeting – Rector Marjo Kaartinen

15:10 – 15:25 International Office and Student Exchange

15:25 – 16:30 Career after Studies – Oscar Nyman & Lotta Metsärinne

16:30 Chocolate & Chat – Medisiina central hall

16:00 – 20:00 Fresher Olympics (arranged by Student Organisation) – Natura,  
UTU Campus

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## Tuesday 26 August

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Location: Lecture Hall Pub3, Publicum Building (1st floor)

Organised by Admission Services

10:00 – 10:45 Stay Connected: Student Life at UTU – Suvi-Anni Huhtinen

10:45 – 11:15 Being an Active Student – Shavindya Kariyawasam

11:15 – 12:00 Student Organisations of UTU

12:00 – 13:30 Lunch

13:30 – 13:50 UTU Well-being Services – Anu Mäkelä

13:50 – 14:05 Centre for Language and Communication Studies – Anna Väre

14:05 – 15:00 Academic Writing at Finnish Universities – Bridget Palmer

15:00 – 15:15 Break

15:15 – 15:45 Finnish Language Courses – Emilia Hongisto, Jenni Laine, Olga Riski

15:45 – 16:00 Finnish Language and Culture Minor – Hanna Jokela

Location: University Hill

16:15 Picnic with new international degree students & tutors

*Note: Weather dependent – updates via email*

Location: Kuuvuorenkenttä, Ruukuntekijänkuja 2

16:00 – 20:00 Kyykkä-game + Pubcrawl (arranged by Student Organisation) –

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## Wednesday 27 August

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Location: Lecture Hall Osmo Järvi, Medisiina C (1st floor)

Organised by Admission Services

09:00 – 09:20 CampusSport Morning Exercise

09:20 – 09:50 The Finnish Language – Hanna Jokela

09:50 – 10:50 Finnish Culture and Society – Ville Soimetsä

10:50 – 11:00 Friendship Programme – Sonja Kareranta

11:00 – 11:15 Final Exam

11:15 – 12:00 Lunch

12:00 – 14:00 Welcome Fair – University Hill

- Language Centre, Finnish Language Teachers, CampusSport, ESN, TYY, Chaplain, Subject Organisations

14:15 – 15:30 Turku City Bus Tour

- Departure: Turku Cathedral (only for those signed up)

For Bachelor's Degree Students and Parents:

15:30 – 16:15 Walking Tour of the Main Campus – Departure: Turku Cathedral

16:15 – 17:15 Introduction to UTU – Lecture Hall 1 (Tauno Nurmela), Main Building

16:00 – 23:00

Location: Location: TYY Sauna, Rehtorinpellonkatu 4

Fresher Sauna + Club Showcase (arranged by Student Organisation)

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## Thursday 28 August

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Location: Lecture Hall XXI, Agora

Organised by the Department of Computing

09:00 – 12:00

- Welcome – Seppo Virtanen
- Study Practicalities – Jarko Papalitsas
  - Curriculum, Personal Study Plan
  - Tools: Peppi, Moodle, Ville
  - Study Tips

12:00 – 13:00 Lunch in Student Tutor Groups

13:00 – 14:00 First Period Courses and Teachers

- Introduction to Engineering – Jouni Isoaho
- Mathematics for Engineers – Laszlo Major
- Introduction to Programming – Erno Lokkila
- Introduction to Computing – Jouni Smed
- English for STEM A – Peter Levrai

14:00 – Presentation of Student Organisation Digit ry

15.00 – Library tour (LOCATION: Teutori building, Lemminkäisenkatu 3 B)

- Meeting point at the library by the library customer service desk

17:00 – 21:00

Location: Educarium/Publicum Yard, UTU Campus

Teekkari Fresher Checkpoint Tour (arranged by Student Organisation)

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## Friday 29 August

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Location: ICT-City and EduCity, Joukahaisenkatu 3

10:00 – 15:00 Study in Turku Fair

16:00 –

Location: Agora, UTU Campus

Club Night (arranged by Student Organisation)