

# A Great Place to Think Ahead.

**Welcome to Turku School of Economics!**

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# Milestones

- Established 1950 by the local business community
- State university since 1977
- Executive education started 1982
- TSE Pori established 1984
- Merged with the University of Turku 2010



# Departments and subjects

## Department of Accounting and Finance

- Accounting and Finance
- Business Law

## Department of Management and Entrepreneurship

- Management and Organisation
- Information Systems Science
- Entrepreneurship

## Department of Economics

- Economics

## Department of Marketing and International Business

- Marketing Management
- International Business
- Supply Chain Management
- Economic Geography

## TSE Pori

- Accounting and Finance
- Management and Organisation
- Marketing

## Finland Futures Research Centre (FFRC)

- Futures Studies



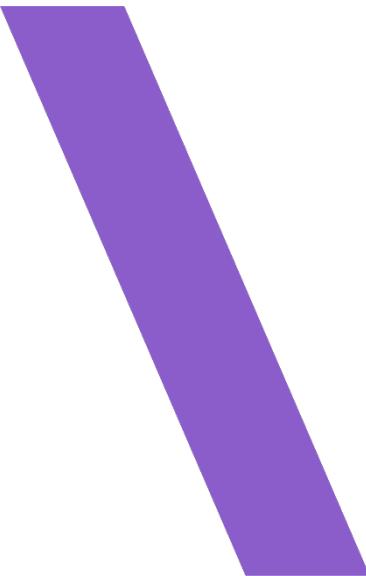
# TSE in student numbers



**1538**

BACHELOR  
STUDENTS  
(2025)

# Study Guide



<http://studyguide.utu.fi>

> Courses for exchange  
students

> Turku School of Economics

Check the course description  
for the teaching schedule and  
person in charge/teacher!



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# The course code

Example:

*KV202010 KV1 International Business Management*

KV202010 → Peppi code

KV1 → TSE code indicating the subject and level of the course:

- Basic and Intermediate studies (KV1)
  - Bachelor level studies (1st-3rd year)
- Advanced studies (KVS8)
  - Master level studies (4th-5th year)



# Teaching periods – Spring semester 2026

## Teaching period III:

- Course registration Dec 1 – 14, 2025
- Teaching Jan 12 – Feb 22, 2026
- Intensive courses & individual learning Feb 23 – March 8, 2026
- Exams March 9 – 13, 2026

## Teaching period IV:

- Course registration Feb 23 – March 8, 2026
- Teaching March 16 – May 3, 2026
- Intensive courses & individual learning May 4 – 10, 2026
- Exams May 11 – 15, 2026

### Vacation periods:

- Easter Holiday 3.4. – 6.4.2026
- May Day 30.4.-1.5.2026

# Academic calendar at TSE

Spring term 2026																								
January			February				March				April				May									
Week	Lectures (Period III)							EXAMS				Lectures (Period IV)							EXAMS					
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	In.	10	In.	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	In.	20	21	22
M	5	<b>12</b>	19	26	2	9	16	23		2		9	<b>16</b>	23	30	<b>6</b>	13	20	27	4		11	18	<b>25</b>
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T	8	15	22	29	5	12	19	26		5		12	19	26	2	9	16	23	30	7		14	21	28
F	9	16	23	30	6	13	20	27		6		13	20	27	<b>3</b>	10	17	24	1	8		15	22	29
S	10	17	24	31	7	14	21	28		7		14	21	28	4	11	18	25	2	9		16	23	30
S	11	18	25	1	8	15	22	1		8		15	22	29	5	12	19	26	3	10		17	24	31

Orange = weekly teaching. Light grey = intensive teaching and individual learning week. Dark grey = exam week. Bolded dates are confirmed by the rector's decision and can't be altered.

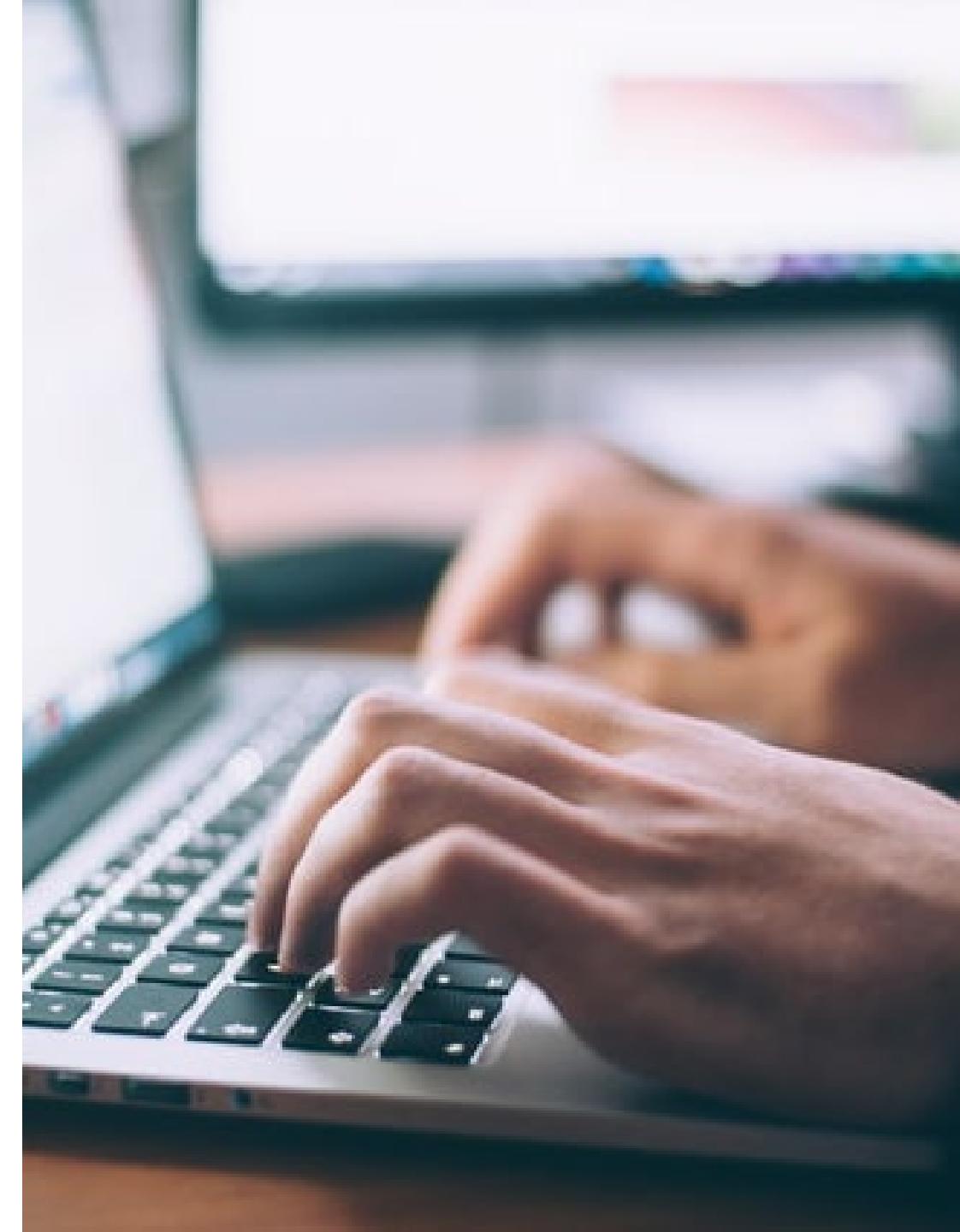
[TSE\\_Academic Calendar 2024-2027.pdf \(utu.fi\)](https://www.utu.fi/en/units/tse/academics/academic-calendar)

# Course registration

- Course registration is done in [Peppi](#) – Register for all of your courses!
- Courses on your Learning Agreement – **NOT** the same as course registration!
- Registration for **independent** study options: Check the course description in Peppi (is it done in Peppi or simply by sending an e-mail to the teacher?)
- Make sure to attend the first lecture of a course to secure your place.
- You can register to courses from different TSE departments and also from other faculties with some restrictions.
- NB! If you plan to take courses organised by other HEIs, first check with your home university, if this is ok.
- More on studies at TSE [here!](#)

# Exam registration

- Check [exam.utu.fi](http://exam.utu.fi) and [peppi.utu.fi](http://peppi.utu.fi) for the exam dates! If the dates aren't available, the teacher will give them at the start of the course
- Three attempts / course
- Exams mostly as e-Exams in [exam.utu.fi](http://exam.utu.fi) > Book any time during the exam period
- Rare: "classic lecture hall exams" > Register 7 days before the examination in Peppi
- Results in Peppi in three weeks' time



# Exams & evaluation

- Electronic exams most common type of examination
  - Completed via E-exam
  - Video and audio surveillance!
  - Take **nothing** into the exam room with you!
  - [More info about E-exams and detailed instructions](#)
- Course evaluation also with final papers and essays
- Occasional lecture room exams (nowadays seldom) and Moodle exams
- **Your teacher will instruct you about your course evaluation!**
- Be on time! No talking or copying! No phones allowed! **All cheating attempts are reported and lead to termination of your exchange.** Teachers apply software to find and verify plagiarism!
- Every TSE student must familiarize themselves with [Guidelines for the Use of Artificial Intelligence in Theses at TSE](#)  
(applicable to all written assignments)

# Template for your assignments

- [On UTU Intranet](#) you can find template and guides for writing your assignments, essays, and reports at TSE.

## Reports template

The following template can be used for writing reports consisting of several pages.  
Please DO NOT use this template for theses:

- [TSE\\_reports\\_template.dotx](#) (updated 6/2024)

If you need the templates in Finnish, please visit [the Finnish Intranet page](#).



# What if...

...I do not want to take a course I have registered for?

Let the teacher know! It's okay if the course is still in your Peppi enrollments.

... I want to take a course I have not registered for or the course is full?

Contact the teacher!

... the courses I have selected are held at the same time?

Maybe it is possible to do them both? Ask the teachers if you need to be present on all lectures.

# What if...

... the course I want is not in Peppi?

Check the Study Guide! In which period is the course organised? Is it a self-study course?

...I don't have enough courses? / I can't register to all the courses I want?

Could you take more self-study courses?

Could you take more courses in later periods?

Could you do studies of your home university?

If you are interested in some special field, contact the department/teachers of that field!

Consider taking courses from different faculties!

# Intranet

- Check the [intranet](#) for more info on studies at UTU!
- TSE study pages:
  - *Organisation and decision-making* → *Faculties* → *Turku School of Economics* → *Studying*
- Information for exchange students:
  - *Services for studying* → *Internationality* → [For Exchange Students at UTU](#)

... or use the search option on the front page!

A photograph of a modern university atrium. In the foreground, two students are seated at a white table with green chairs, working on laptops. One student is facing the camera with a smile. In the background, other students are visible, some standing and talking, others working at tables. The space is bright with natural light from large windows and has a minimalist, modern design with white walls and wooden paneling.

# Studies at other faculties (examples)

- Faculty of Social Sciences
  - [Finnish and Nordic Society and Culture](#)
  - [European Studies](#)
- Faculty of Humanities
  - [Finnish Culture Studies](#)
  - [North American Studies](#)
- Faculty of Technology
  - [Department of Computing](#)
- [Centre for Language and Communication Studies](#)
  - Chinese, English, Finnish, Swedish...
- Online options: [UniPID courses](#) or [Asianet](#)
  - If you are planning to complete courses offered by another university, please check with your home university that it is fine for them.

# Finnish and Nordic Society and Culture

- Finnish and Nordic Society and Culture is a multidisciplinary non-degree programme that focuses on exploring the cultural, historical, political and social dimensions of Finnish and Nordic societies. It familiarizes students with contemporary history, political system, ethics of safety and well-being, social inequality and cultural practices and social institutions.
- Registration in Peppi or as stated in the [study guide](#).
- Courses available during spring:
  - The Finnish Political System, Lecture Course, 2 ECTS
  - The Finnish Political System, Essay, 3 ECTS
  - Social Inequality, 5 ECTS
  - Contact: Ulla Morelli [oposoc@utu.fi](mailto:oposoc@utu.fi)

# European Studies

- European studies is composed of compulsory courses and additional courses, which are announced annually. The studies explore EU and European studies from various historical, political, economic, ideological and theoretical perspectives.
- Lecture courses and independent study options.
- Courses available in spring:
  - Europe and the Other, 5 ECTS
  - European Studies Essay, 5 ECTS
  - European Integration Exam, 5 ECTS
- Registration: Please see the study guide for further information.
- Contact: Mika Suonpää, [misuon@utu.fi](mailto:misuon@utu.fi)

# North American Studies

- North American Studies (NAMS) is a joint program within Social Sciences and Humanities. Organized by the John Morton Center for North American Studies and the Department of English, the program offers an exciting transdisciplinary and multi-methodological approach to the study of North America.
- The North American Studies program provides students with an opportunity to assess from a variety of perspectives the societies, cultures, and politics of North American nations, communities, and phenomena.
- Most of the lecture courses in the North American Studies curriculum are taught in the autumn.
- **The list of courses:** [North American Studies, 2024-2027 | Opinto-opas 2024-2027](#)
- **Registration:** See Peppi study register and the study guide for details regarding registration policies of individual courses and independent studies.
- **Contact:** Janne Korkka, Dept. of English ([jkorkka@utu.fi](mailto:jkorkka@utu.fi))

# East Asian Studies

- The Minor in East Asian Studies programme provides a comprehensive introduction to the contemporary history and societies of East Asia on general issues of East Asia as well as particularities of the three major East Asian societies and states. In addition, the programme includes one language course (Chinese, Japanese, or Korean).
- Courses available in spring:
  - Korean Contemporary History and Society, 5 ECTS
  - Introduction to Chinese History, 5 ECTS
- Sign-up in Peppi if not mentioned otherwise.
- Contact: Tuula Karjalainen, [tuusah@utu.fi](mailto:tuusah@utu.fi)

# ASIANET

- The Asian Programme is an interdisciplinary Bachelor's and Master's level study programme which provides students with basic knowledge of Asia. For students whose study or career plans relate to Asia, this programme provides a good introduction to the region.
- **Sign-up** Application guidelines and the application form in <http://www.asianet.fi>
- Available courses [here](#) and [here](#).

# Who to contact?

- In academic matters?
  - Your teachers or departmental contact persons!
  - Practical questions about TSE studies can also be addressed to [tseopintotoimisto@utu.fi](mailto:tseopintotoimisto@utu.fi).
- In practical matters?
  - Your tutor!
- In questions related to your mobility?
  - International Office at [incoming@utu.fi](mailto:incoming@utu.fi)

# >International master programmes

**Global Innovation Management (GIM)**

**Futures Studies (FUTU)**

**Global Information Technology Management (GITM)**

- With Tilburg University (Netherlands) Passau University (Germany), and Central China Normal University (Wuhan, China)

**International Master in Management of Information Technology (IMMIT)**

- With IAE Aix Graduate School of Management (France) and Tilburg University (Netherlands)



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