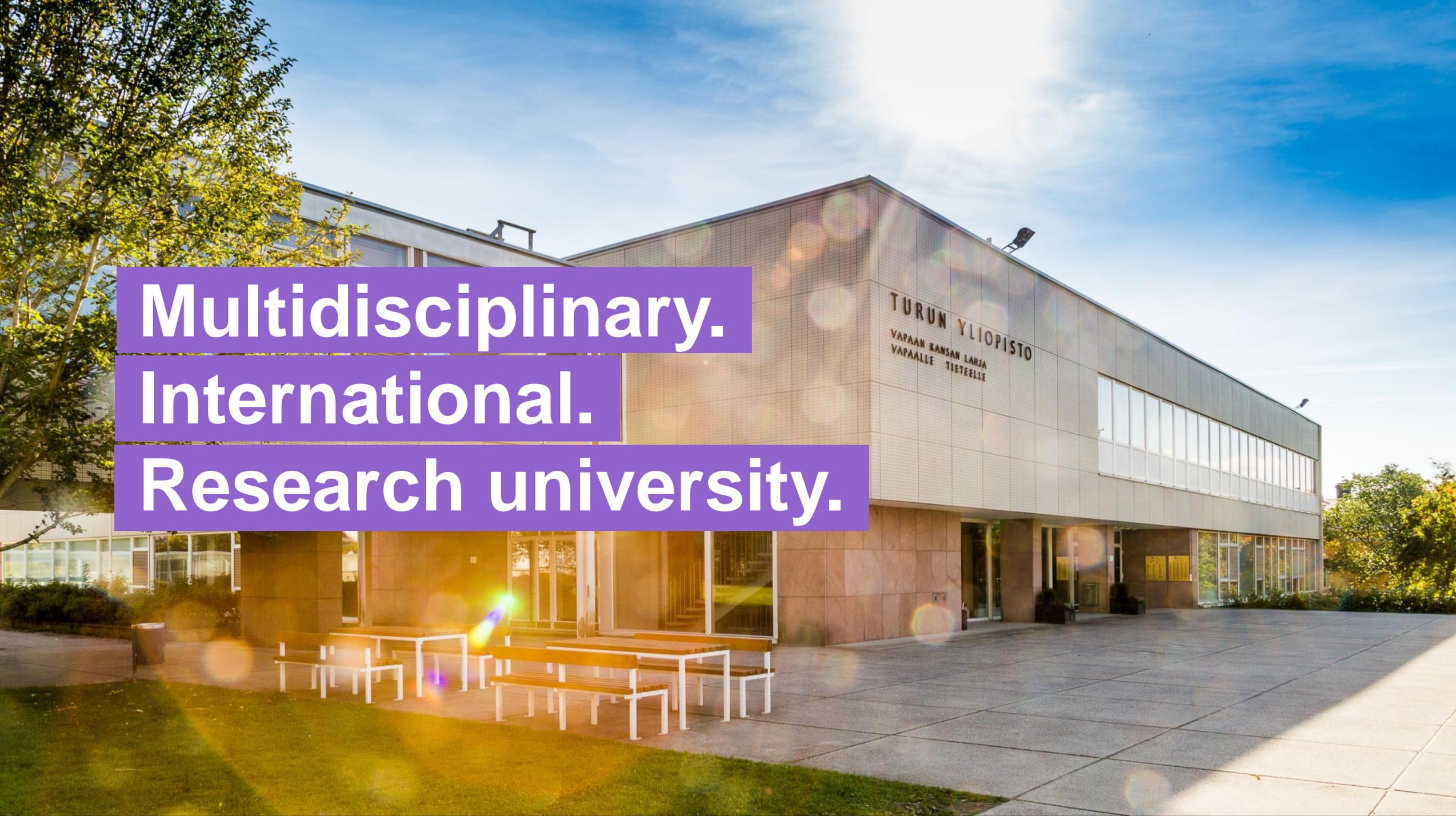


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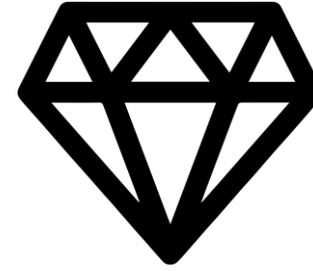
International.

Research university.

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**The University
of Turku is
among the top
1% in the world**

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**YEARS IN
2020**

Founded in 1920 by
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Finnish people with
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**FINNISH-
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UNIVERSITY**

“From a free people
to free science”



**ACADEMIC
HERITAGE IN
TURKU SINCE 1640**

The first university in
Finland, the Royal
Academy of Turku,
operated in the city
1640–1828.

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FACULTIES



Faculty of Education

Faculty of Humanities

Faculty of Law

Faculty of Medicine

Faculty of Science and Engineering

Faculty of Social Sciences

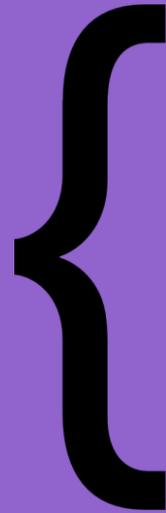
Turku School of Economics

Campuses in the cities of Turku, Rauma and Pori



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INDEPENDENT
UNITS



Brahea Centre of University of Turku

Centre for Language and Communication Studies

Finnish Centre for Astronomy with ESO

Turku Centre for Biotechnology

Turku PET Centre

A man and two children are using augmented reality (AR) glasses in a park. The man is holding a large, glowing digital globe of the Earth. The children are interacting with various digital elements, including a DNA helix and a human evolution diagram. The background shows a city skyline and trees.

Effective research

We study digital learning environments and develop new ways of learning and teaching by utilising gamification and other novel methods.

We conduct research and work towards a better future and well-being. We promote free, effective and open science. Our research is multidisciplinary and international aiming towards new, interdisciplinary initiatives.

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6,000

**SCIENTIFIC
PUBLICATIONS
ANNUALLY**

**Our research is profiled
through six thematic
areas**



Biofuture

Children, young people and learning

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Digital futures

Drug development and diagnostics

Sea and maritime studies

A futuristic laboratory scene. In the center, a woman in a white lab coat holds a flask of green liquid. To her right is a large bio-reactor with a digital display showing a metabolic pathway and the text 'BIO RESEARCH'. In the background, there are large white bio-reactor tanks, a modern building, and flying drones in a blue sky.

Inspiring research careers

[We study how fossil fuels can be replaced in the future, for example, by transforming solar energy into biofuel through the photosynthesis of green algae.]

We want to support young researchers in their career and offer a research environment and community that inspires them to unique achievements and results.

> 16 DOCTORAL PROGRAMMES

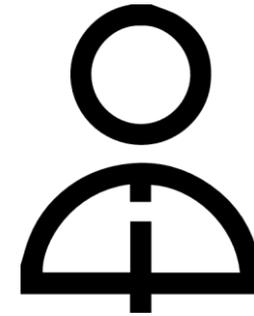
> 170 DOCTORAL DEGREES ANNUALLY

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We are a responsible employer. The well-being of the entire University community is important to us.

We are building an encouraging and interactive university, where it is a pleasure to study and work.

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**EXPERTS IN THE
ACADEMIC
COMMUNITY**

Innovations from research

The preventive effect of xylitol on teeth decay was first discovered at the Institute of Dentistry of the University of Turku. Each year, over a hundred different innovations and dozens of invention disclosures originate from the research conducted at the University.

Creative, agile and innovative

We develop entrepreneurial attitude and activities in the entire University. We offer a growth platform for startups and spinoffs stemming from top research.

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future career
with us**

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20,000

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FROM OVER 100
COUNTRIES**



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**INCOMING
EXCHANGE
STUDENTS**



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**OUTGOING
EXCHANGE
STUDENTS**



Welcome to the Student City of Turku

Turku, located in the Southwest Finland and founded in 1229, is the oldest city in Finland. Turku is compact in size, perfect for exploring the exciting mixture of old and new.

Turku offers the best quality of life with reasonable living costs, many housing options, active academic community, vivid cultural life, and a variety of outdoor activities.

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40,000

**STUDENTS IN
HIGHER
EDUCATION**





Compact campus in the city centre

The Turku campus is located near the city centre and Aura River and close to other higher education institutions, businesses at Science Park, and the University Hospital. Also at Pori and Rauma, the campus is situated in the city centre.



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