

## **KEY DATA SHEET**

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Information for Incoming Students				
Academic Calendar 2018	Autumn Term 2018 Exchange student orientation Period 1 Autumn holiday Period 2  * Classes and exams end by 20  Spring Term 2019 Main orientation Period 3 Autumn holiday Period 4  * Classes and exams end by 31	3–7 January 2019 1 January–4 March 2019 25 February–3 March 2019 22 March–31 July 2019*		
Possible length of Exchange	One term (or full academic year, if mentioned in agreement or agreed upon separately)			
Deadline for exchange nominations and applications	For Autumn Term (August–December)  Nursing, Physiotherapy, Biomedical Laboratory Science, Radiography and Radiotherapy: Nominations 27 March / Applications 10 April All others: Nominations 31 March / Applications 30 April  For Spring Term (January–May)  Nursing, Physiotherapy, Biomedical Laboratory Science, Radiography and Radiotherapy: Nominations 1 October / Applications 15 October All others: Nominations 1 October / Applications 15 October			
Arrival dates for exchange students		August 2018 uary 2019		
Orientation dates		Orientation 20–24 August 2018 Orientation 3–7 January 2019		
TAMK courses for exchange students	Course lists are published at <a href="http://www.tamk.fi/web/tamken/student-exchange#courses">http://www.tamk.fi/web/tamken/student-exchange#courses</a> .  Detailed timetables are given during the Orientation.			
Other possible courses for exchange students	TAMK exchange students may register for certain courses at the two other universities in Tampere (University of Tampere, Tampere University of Technology). More information at <a href="http://www.unipolitampere.fi/">http://www.unipolitampere.fi/</a>			
Language of tuition	English (and Finnish)			



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Student accommodation	TAMK does not have campus dormitories.	
	Exchange students apply independently by filling an online application:	
	<ul> <li>TOAS (Tampere Student Housing Foundation) <a href="https://toas.fi/en/NOTE: TOAS RENTS OUT ROOMS FOR A FIXED PERIOD ONLY:">https://toas.fi/en/NOTE: TOAS RENTS OUT ROOMS FOR A FIXED PERIOD ONLY:</a> <ul> <li>August–December</li> <li>January–May</li> </ul> </li> <li>Opiskelijan Tampere ry <a href="http://www.opiskelijantampere.fi/en/int-housing/Pirkan Opiskelija-asunnot Oy https://poas.fi/en/">https://www.opiskelijantampere.fi/en/int-housing/Pirkan Opiskelija-asunnot Oy https://poas.fi/en/</a> <ul> <li>Estimated cost of student accommodation: 250 €–300 €/month including electricity, water, furniture and (in most cases) internet</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Registration at the local Register Office (if needed): 50 €</li> <li>Tamko Student Union membership: 26 € / term</li> </ul>	
Other costs of living	<ul> <li>Unipoli Sport – campus gym membership         <ul> <li>Autumn term 41€, Spring term 45€ or the entire academic year 70€</li> </ul> </li> <li>Course books: 0 € (can be borrowed from the library)</li> <li>Bus card for city of Tampere: 35 € / month (under 25-year olds)</li> <li>Bus card for city of Tampere: 51€ / month (over 25-year olds)</li> <li>Lunch at TAMK: 2,60 €</li> <li>Coffee at TAMK: 1 €</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Sandwich at TAMK: 2–3 €</li> <li>Dinner in a restaurant: 10–15 €</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Beer in a restaurant: 5 €</li> <li>NOTE: There are many student discounts available (restaurants, cinemas, museums, events, hairdressers and others)</li> </ul>	
	If you need to apply for a <i>Visa</i> or a <i>Student Residence Permit</i> beforehand, the Finnish Immigration will ask you to prove that you have 560€ on your bank account for each exchange month in Finland.	
Application procedure	See <a href="http://www.tamk.fi/web/tamken/student-exchange">http://www.tamk.fi/web/tamken/student-exchange</a> (> Detailed instructions for applicants) for more information.	
	Steps needed:  1) Nomination from home university 2) Online application (further instructions after nomination), including:  • Photo • Motivation Letter • CV	
	<ul> <li>Transcript of Records</li> <li>TAMK English Language Skills Form</li> <li>Learning Agreement</li> <li>Project Work / Final Thesis / Trainscehin Plan (if application)</li> </ul>	
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Credits in use	1 cr (credit)=1 ECTS credit=27 hours of student work One Term=30 cr, Academic year=60 cr Students are expected to take at least 5 cr/month. Grading scale:	
	5=A, 4=B, 3/S=C, 2=D, 1=E (lowest passing grade), 0=F (fail)	