UNIVERSITY OF HELSINKI

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My Unit Choices:

Term 1:	Term 2:	Term 3:	Term 4:
Inverse Problems 1	Inverse Problems 2	Measure and Integration	Quantum Computing
Mathematical Modelling 1	Introduction to AI	Information Retrieval	French the Traditional Way
French for Beginners 1		French for Beginners 2	
Finnish Course for Exchange Students			
Functional Programming 1			
Functional Programming 2			

Why Choose the University of Helsinki?

- Wide range of unit choices
- Top 1% of unis worldwide
- Diverse learning environments
- Vibrant student life
- Finnish education system regarded as one of the world's best

Activities and Societies:

There are lots of societies to join when you arrive, such as ESN and Integralis, plus an orientation program to meet students alike. There's always an activity on offer.





What does Helsinki offer?

- Beautiful scenery with loads of forests and lakes
- Plenty of bars and karaoke
- Saunas at every corner
- Museums and historical sites
- Ice rinks and X-country ski tracks
- Gyms and climbing centres

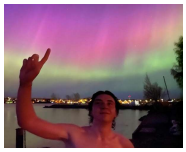


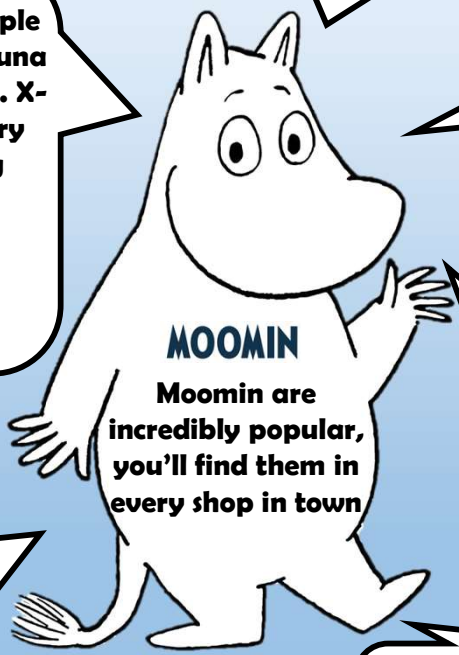


Finnish Culture:

Finns are very quiet and reserved people but are always lovely. Finns love to sauna and there is usually one in every home. X-country skiing and ice hockey are very popular whilst there is also a strong drinking and karaoke culture.





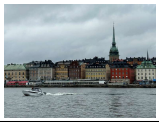


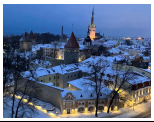
Accommodation:

Studio rooms or shared kitchen, €615 a month. Blocks shared completely between exchange students doing similar courses.

Travelling Opportunities:

Travelling from Helsinki is very cheap. There's a return ferry to Tallinn for as little as €20, as well as opportunities to go to Lapland, Sweden, and the Baltic countries through ESN. I travelled to Spain and Italy very cheaply too.





Transport in Helsinki:

Public transport is always on time and very frequent. You will receive a student travel card which will allow you to use almost all buses, trains and metros, as well as the ferry to Suomenlinna for only €40 a month.

Finnish Diet:

You can't go wrong with Finnish food, there's always options for vegetarians and vegans. Every shop has lactose and gluten free items.



Finnish Language:

The Finnish language is incredibly hard to learn, but do not worry. Almost everyone in Helsinki speaks incredible English and all lectures are in English

