



**KAMK • University
of Applied Sciences**



WELCOME TO KAMK!

Kajaani University of Applied Sciences (KAMK) is a proactive and international university in Kainuun Region with the vision of being a small but big university of applied sciences. KAMK has approximately 3,100 students and 250 members of staff and offers a number of Bachelor's and Master's degrees. KAMK is actively doing research and development projects with companies and organizations operating in the regions of Kainuu, Koillismaa and Northern Ostrobothnia. KAMK is owned by the city of Kajaani.

See more: www.kamk.fi

Possibilities to Work at KAMK

Kajaani University of Applied Sciences enables you to work in higher education, research and development, as well as in a variety of professional tasks. To be employed with us, you need a university degree, good English language skills and a teaching qualification if you are applying for a teaching position. The posts are open to applications by public advertisement. If you are interested in applying for positions at KAMK, please follow the job vacancies on the website: www.kuntarekry.fi.

If you have worked at a university in your home country, please contact:

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Possibilities to Study at KAMK

We want to enable people who have fled the war in Ukraine to study at KAMK. We also want to provide those interested in education with individual guidance according to your needs. We cannot give you ready-made answers, but we can help you to:

- find a study or career path in Finland that suits you;
- discover your skills, strengths and potential development needs;
- consider opportunities for employment in your field in Finland or;
- learn new skills and expand your knowledge of new career options.

Alternative Study Paths at KAMK

Access to Degree Studies and a New Profession

1) Degree studies/Bachelor's Degrees.

KAMK offers a wide selection of English-taught Bachelor's degrees that provide valuable core knowledge, hands-on experience and networking opportunities in your future industry. Finland is known worldwide for providing extremely high-quality education, and KAMK continues this tradition within four Bachelor's degree programs delivered fully in English.

2) Degree Studies/Master's Degrees. The Master's Degrees at KAMK will help you on your journey towards achieving a management position, developing a strong professional network, or even starting your own business. The English-taught Master's Degrees at KAMK are multidisciplinary programs that welcomes applicants with the minimum of a Bachelor's (first-cycle) degree qualification and at least two years of subsequent work experience in a relevant field.

Application period for English-taught degree studies will open in January 2023. Please visit English-taught Degrees at KAMK for [more information](#).

3) Pathway studies.

Pathway studies are taught in English. The studies will start in autumn 2022 and the application period will open in August 2022. The extent of pathway studies is 60 credits, which corresponds to one academic year of study. Studying is free of charge, but the pathway students are not entitled to student financial aid such as study grants. The offered courses are based on KAMK degrees' curricula and can be accredited towards a degree later. Studies are taught face-to-face and as full-time studies. Pathway studies help you to prepare for higher education studies and reach the skill level needed for admission. Upon successful completion of the pathway, international students can apply to enter for bachelor's degree studies at KAMK.



4)UAS Pathway Studies (60 credits).

Tuition fee-based pathway studies are available in Information and Communication Technology, or in International Business and they consist of 60 credits. Upon successful completion of the pathway studies, you can apply to enter for bachelor's degree studies at selected Universities of Applied Sciences in Finland. The tuition fee for UAS pathway studies is 6,000 euros/academic year. Pathway studies are offered online.

**For more information, please visit www.uaspath.fi.
Contact information and enquiries: Project Manager Pekka Silvén, email: [pekka.silven\(at\) kamk.fi](mailto:pekka.silven@kamk.fi), tel +358 40 484 3399.**

Individual courses (1 - 5 credits) at the Open University of Applied Sciences

Open University of Applied Sciences (Open UAS) studies are open for everyone regardless of your previous studies, work experience and age. However, to succeed in the studies you should have sufficient study, language, and time management skills. The Open UAS studies are independent courses, offered mostly online, giving you the opportunity to study part-time and remotely. The studies do not lead to a degree but give you a head start for a degree studies.

1. Individual courses offered by the Open University of Applied Sciences.

Courses are taught in English. The individual courses range from 1 to 5 credits. Several courses can be combined to form a broader study package. To combine the courses into modules, the student needs guidance from the Open University of Applied Sciences Coordinators. Some courses are taught face-to-face and some are offered online. Studying at Kajaani Open University of Applied Sciences is free of charge until 30.7.2022.

2. Master level studies offered by the Open University of Applied Sciences.

Studies can be completed starting from spring 2022. The studies will be implemented through online teaching, and they can be designed as a package, which enables a student to apply for a Master's degree.

[Further information on studies and how to enroll for the courses.](#)

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