



Foreign higher education graduates employed in Finland three years after graduation

(Source: Vipunen – Education statistics Finland)

Year	%	number
2020	44 %	1428
2021	49 %	1818
2022	52 %	2145
2023	53 %	2199

Foreign higher education graduates employed in Finland three years after graduation by field of study

(Source: Vipunen – Education statistics Finland)

	Situation in 2021		Situation in 2022		Situation in 2023	
	%	no.	%	no.	%	no.
Education	29 %	39	32 %	51	41 %	48
Humanities and arts	45 %	132	40 %	153	41 %	165
Social sciences	41 %	60	44 %	63	47 %	60
Business, administration and law	44 %	393	50 %	474	50 %	519
Natural sciences	46 %	138	49 %	147	51 %	159
Information and communication technologies	56 %	360	61 %	477	58 %	495
Engineering and technology	56 %	441	57 %	510	56 %	447
Agriculture and forestry	41 %	21	25 %	12	37 %	21
Health and welfare	60 %	165	65 %	192	68 %	186
Services	47 %	72	44 %	69	51 %	99
Grand total	49 %	1818	52 %	2145	53 %	2 199



Foreign higher education graduates employed in Finland three years after graduation by level of education

(Source: Vipunen – Education statistics Finland)

	Situation in 2021		Situation in 2022		Situation in 2023	
	%	no.	%	no.	%	no.
Bachelor's degree (UAS)	51 %	708	56 %	849	55 %	933
Bachelor's degree (university)	44 %	21	29 %	24	53 %	27
Master's degree (UAS)	66 %	75	59 %	66	58 %	87
Master's degree (university)	48 %	828	52 %	1023	52 %	954
Licentiate	n/a	1-4	n/a	1-4	n/a	1-4
Doctoral degree	45 %	183	45 %	180	47 %	198
Grand total	49 %	1818	52 %	2145	53 %	2 199

Foreign higher education graduates employed in Finland three years after graduation by nationality

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	Situation in 2021		Situation in 2022		Situation in 2023	
	%	lkm	%	lkm	%	lkm
EU/EEA nationalities (excl. Finland)	37 %	300	38 %	330	36 %	360
Other	53 %	1518	56 %	1815	58 %	1 839
Grand total	49 %	1818	52 %	2145	53 %	2 199



Foreign higher education graduates employed in Finland three years after graduation by region of education

(Source: Vipunen – Education statistics Finland)

	Situation in 2021		Situation in 2022		Situation in 2023	
	%	lkm	%	lkm	%	lkm
Uusimaa	54 %	714	56 %	846	53 %	840
Varsinais-Suomi	41 %	123	46 %	153	47 %	159
Satakunta	57 %	12	29 %	15	58 %	21
Kanta-Häme	62 %	24	63 %	30	75 %	36
Pirkanmaa	58 %	201	61 %	228	61 %	225
Päijät-Häme	59 %	51	45 %	45	56 %	72
Kymenlaakso	43 %	18	50 %	21	47 %	24
South Karelia	45 %	129	40 %	111	56 %	150
Etelä-Savo	29 %	24	43 %	30	32 %	21
Pohjois-Savo	52 %	42	59 %	48	59 %	60
North Karelia	37 %	69	37 %	66	49 %	90
Central Finland	37 %	102	45 %	114	44 %	120
South Ostrobothnia	27 %	9	31 %	12	38 %	18
Ostrobothnia	52 %	78	54 %	90	50 %	84
Central Ostrobothnia	70 %	42	68 %	51	63 %	51
North Ostrobothnia	49 %	123	60 %	216	57 %	162
Kainuu	43 %	9	45 %	15	71 %	15
Lapland	54 %	39	49 %	51	45 %	51
Grand total	49 %	1818	52 %	2145	53 %	2 199



Foreign higher education graduates employed in Finland three years after graduation by institution

(Source: Vipunen – Education statistics Finland)

	Situation in 2021		Situation in 2022		Situation in 2023	
	%	no.	%	no.	%	no.
Universities of applied sciences (UAS) total	52 %	786	56 %	915	55 %	1 020
Centria UAS	66 %	57	69 %	72	70 %	84
Diaconia UAS	63 %	15	100 %	12	80 %	12
Haaga-Helia UAS	58 %	117	58 %	120	60 %	129
Humak UAS	-	-	n/a	1-4	-	-
Häme UAS	54 %	42	61 %	51	69 %	54
Jamk UAS	39 %	48	50 %	60	46 %	66
South-Eastern Finland UAS Xamk	31 %	33	45 %	42	40 %	42
Kajaani UAS	43 %	9	45 %	15	71 %	15
Karelia UAS	n/a	1-4	50 %	6	50 %	9
LAB UAS	45 %	75	37 %	69	51 %	123
Lapland UAS	61 %	33	56 %	42	46 %	39
Laurea UAS	58 %	45	64 %	42	67 %	48
Metropolia UAS	60 %	111	68 %	147	56 %	126
Oulu UAS	53 %	24	57 %	36	50 %	30
Satakunta UAS SAMK	57 %	12	50 %	15	58 %	21
Savonia UAS	44 %	12	57 %	12	50 %	15
Seinäjoki UAS	27 %	9	31 %	12	38 %	18
Tampere UAS	62 %	39	61 %	42	58 %	45
Turku UAS	63 %	36	74 %	51	61 %	51
Vaasa UAS	62 %	24	50 %	24	44 %	30
Arcada UAS	56 %	30	65 %	33	70 %	48
Novia UAS	36 %	12	45 %	15	43 %	18
Universities total	48 %	1032	50 %	1230	51 %	1 179
Aalto University	54 %	261	53 %	324	48 %	285
University of Helsinki	45 %	114	49 %	129	50 %	171
University of Eastern Finland	42 %	96	42 %	93	52 %	123
University of Jyväskylä	37 %	57	43 %	60	40 %	54
University of Lapland	33 %	6	33 %	9	33 %	9
Lappeenranta-Lahti University of Technology LUT	52 %	102	48 %	87	65 %	93
University of Oulu	50 %	96	60 %	174	59 %	123
Hanken School of Economics	42 %	15	59 %	30	78 %	21
University of the Arts	35 %	18	30 %	21	36 %	15
University of Tampere	59 %	144	61 %	165	63 %	165



University of Turku	35 %	57	35 %	72	39 %	66
University of Vaasa	45 %	30	53 %	27	33 %	15
Åbo Akademi University	45 %	39	34 %	33	52 %	39
Grand total	49 %	1818	52 %	2145	53 %	2 199

Information about the statistics

Source: Vipunen/All levels and sectors/Placement after graduation/Analysis reports: Graduates' entry into employment and placement into further education

Filters:

- Main type of activity 1 = Employed
- Nationality = EU/EEA and Other countries
- Level of education = Bachelor's or equivalent, Master's of equivalent, Doctoral or equivalent