



Foreign higher education graduates employed in Finland in expert positions* three years after graduation

(Source: Vipunen – Education statistics Finland)

Year	%	number
2020	62 %	879
2021	60 %	1089
2022	62 %	1329
2023	63 %	1 395

*Profession group 1 = professionals or experts

Foreign higher education graduates employed in Finland in expert positions* three years after graduation by field of education

(Source: Vipunen – Education statistics Finland)

	Situation in 2021		Situation in 2022		Situation in 2023	
	%	no.	%	no.	%	no.
Education	46 %	18	47 %	24	63 %	30
Humanities and arts	64 %	84	57 %	87	62 %	102
Social sciences	45 %	27	48 %	30	60 %	36
Business, administration and law	35 %	138	40 %	189	40 %	207
Natural sciences	61 %	84	67 %	99	64 %	102
Information and communication technologies	78 %	282	81 %	384	83 %	411
Engineering and technology	70 %	309	67 %	342	74 %	330
Agriculture and forestry	57 %	12	75 %	9	71 %	15
Health and welfare	73 %	120	77 %	147	82 %	153
Services	21 %	15	22 %	15	12 %	12
Grand total	60 %	1089	62 %	1329	63 %	1 395

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Foreign higher education graduates employed in Finland in expert positions* 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)	46 %	324	50 %	423	50 %	462
Bachelor's degree (university)	43 %	9	50 %	12	55 %	48
Master's degree (UAS)	52 %	39	50 %	33	56 %	15
Master's degree (university)	68 %	567	69 %	705	74 %	702
Doctoral degree	80 %	147	85 %	153	83 %	165
Grand total	60 %	1089	62 %	1329	63 %	1395

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

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	Situation in 2021		Situation in 2022		Situation in 2023	
	%	no.	%	no.	%	no.
EU/EEA countries (excl. Finland)	70 %	210	74 %	243	74 %	267
Other	58 %	879	60 %	1086	61 %	1 128
Grand total	60 %	1089	62 %	1329	63 %	1 395

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

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	Situation in 2021		Situation in 2022		Situation in 2023	
	%	no.	%	no.	%	no.
Uusimaa	68 %	483	68 %	576	71 %	594
Varsinais-Suomi	59 %	72	69 %	105	62 %	99
Satakunta	50 %	6	40 %	6	57 %	12
Kanta-Häme	38 %	9	80 %	24	92 %	33
Pirkanmaa	64 %	129	67 %	153	72 %	162
Päijät-Häme	59 %	30	40 %	18	42 %	30
Kymenlaakso	33 %	6	29 %	6	50 %	12
South Karelia	63 %	81	73 %	81	64 %	96
Etelä-Savo	63 %	15	60 %	18	57 %	12
Pohjois-Savo	50 %	21	50 %	24	60 %	36
North Karelia	48 %	33	45 %	30	53 %	48
Central Finland	62 %	63	55 %	63	58 %	69
South Ostrobothnia	n/a	1-4	n/a	1-4	33 %	6
Ostrobothnia	42 %	33	47 %	42	46 %	39
Central Ostrobothnia	21 %	9	24 %	12	35 %	18
North Ostrobothnia	68 %	84	65 %	141	69 %	111
Kainuu	n/a	1-4	40 %	6	n/a	1-4
Lapland	38 %	15	41 %	21	35 %	18
Grand total	60 %	1089	62 %	1329	63 %	1 395

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Foreign higher education graduates employed in Finland in expert positions* 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	46 %	363	50 %	456	50 %	510
Centria UAS	16 %	9	17 %	12	25 %	21
Diaconia UAS	60 %	9	50 %	6	75 %	9
Haaga-Helia UAS	36 %	42	38 %	45	51 %	66
Humak UAS	-	-	n/a	1-4	-	-
Häme UAS	43 %	18	71 %	36	72 %	39
Jamk UAS	50 %	24	50 %	30	50 %	33
South-Eastern Finland UAS Xamk	55 %	18	50 %	21	50 %	21
Kajaani UAS	n/a	1-4	40 %	6	n/a	1-4
Karelia UAS	n/a	1-4	n/a	1-4	67 %	6
LAB UAS	48 %	36	43 %	30	34 %	42
Lapland UAS	45 %	15	43 %	18	31 %	12
Laurea UAS	40 %	18	36 %	15	50 %	24
Metropolia UAS	65 %	72	69 %	102	64 %	81
Oulu UAS	50 %	12	67 %	24	60 %	18
Satakunta UAS SAMK	50 %	6	n/a	1-4	57 %	12
Savonia UAS	50 %	6	50 %	6	60 %	9
Seinäjäki UAS	n/a	1-4	n/a	1-4	33 %	6
Tampere UAS	54 %	21	57 %	24	47 %	21
Turku UAS	50 %	18	65 %	33	59 %	30
Vaasa UAS	38 %	9	50 %	12	60 %	18
Arcada UAS	60 %	18	64 %	21	56 %	27
Novia UAS	50 %	6	40 %	6	50 %	9
Universities total	70 %	726	71 %	873	75 %	885
Aalto University	84 %	219	81 %	261	85 %	243
University of Helsinki	71 %	81	77 %	99	74 %	126
University of Eastern Finland	50 %	48	52 %	48	56 %	69
University of Jyväskylä	74 %	42	55 %	33	67 %	36
University of Lapland	-	-	n/a	1-4	67 %	6
Lappeenranta-Lahti University of Technology LUT	71 %	72	79 %	69	90 %	84
University of Oulu	72 %	69	67 %	117	73 %	90
Hanken School of Economics	60 %	9	80 %	24	57 %	12
University of the Arts	83 %	15	57 %	12	80 %	12
University of Tampere	71 %	102	69 %	114	80 %	132



University of Turku	58 %	33	71 %	51	59 %	39
University of Vaasa	60 %	18	67 %	18	60 %	9
Åbo Akademi University	54 %	21	64 %	21	69 %	27
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Information about the statistics

Source: Vipunen/All levels and sectors/Placement after graduation/Analysis report: Graduates' status in employment

Filters:

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