



Study at Linnæus University 2019



Open your mind
to new opportunities

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*On the cover:
Naina, student from the
master programme in
Innovation through Business,
Engineering and Design.*

*At Linnaeus University
we think it's strange that
not more is possible today.
Like understanding the
whole picture when working
together on a project.
Naina studies the master
programme in innovation
at Linnaeus University.
By working in teams with
other students from business,
engineering and design, she
has learned to understand the
different approaches and how
to benefit from them when
working with innovation.
Open your mind to new
opportunities – at Linnaeus
University.*

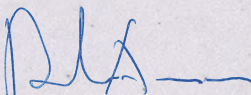
*Learn about Naina's time
on the master programme in
innovation, watch the film.*



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Open your mind to new opportunities




Peter Aronsson
Vice-chancellor

Linnaeus University has taken its name from Carl Linnaeus (1707–1778), the world-renowned Swedish scientist. Carl Linnaeus was intrepid, curious and innovative. This is the key to inspiration at Linnaeus University. While the university is firmly rooted in the Småland region of southern Sweden, where Linnaeus was born, our activities, like his, have no boundaries. We offer you a modern university, combining the highest possible quality in education and research with the demands and needs of both the surrounding community and our students. We strongly believe in linking education with research, as

well as linking academic curiosity with applied knowledge. At our university, you will find a rich academic offer: cultural and social activities and many interesting programmes and courses to choose from. I am convinced that in coming here, your knowledge will grow and you will grow as a person. You will learn about Swedish culture and society and increase your skills, which will make you appealing to future employers.

Welcome to Linnaeus University – to take part of the friendly atmosphere and active student life, together with more than 2,000 international students!

“This has been one of the best summers of my life. Meeting so many amazing and interesting people from different cultures, experiencing beautiful places and acquiring new knowledge. It’s something I’ll never forget and I hope to be back again someday.”

LAURA, LATVIA, SUMMER ACADEMY

Welcome to Linnaeus University

Linnaeus University in south-eastern Sweden is a modern university with 34,000 students.

We currently offer some 180 degree programmes and 3,000 single subject courses in a wide variety of academic and vocational disciplines. Around 50 degree programmes and 700 single subject courses are given in English.

Linnaeus University is one of the larger higher education institutions in

Sweden. But even though we are located in two cities – Kalmar and Växjö – we have retained the original intimate feeling of the institutions.

At Linnaeus University we want to enable you to grow as a person. The learning environment is characterised by an active student life with teaching and research staff in close proximity to students. Many of our international students mention the informal

relationships with the teachers as one of the things they appreciate most at Linnaeus University. Other things they value are the modern and environmentally-friendly buildings, easy and widespread access to computers and other equipment, good connections with businesses and organisations in the area and the reality-based case studies which add a real-life dimension to the studies.

“A master programme where engineering students study together with business and design students is quite revolutionising.”

TAYFUN, TURKEY, FORMER STUDENT ON INNOVATION THROUGH BUSINESS, ENGINEERING AND DESIGN – SPECIALISATION ENGINEERING, MASTER PROGRAMME

In my class, there were students from Italy, Colombia, China and Iran – and from Sweden, of course. To have fellow students with different cultural and professional backgrounds was a great experience. In particular, I liked the group projects where we worked together with the students from the design and business specialisations of the programme. As a matter of fact, the interdisciplinary approach on the innovation master was one of the main reasons why I chose to study that programme.

The programme involved hands-on projects and enabled us to complete the theoretical part of our studies by applying the theory on real working-life situations. Through contacts with partners and contributors from the trade and industry we had the opportunity to build our own networks during our studies. Also, when working in projects with companies we really felt more like colleagues than students.

Now, I am working at IKEA of Sweden as a laws and standards specialist. When I'm working with

product requirement, safety, and compliance, I can really make use of the technical competencies that I gained through my studies at Linnaeus University. At IKEA of Sweden, we have a diverse working environment where all diversities melt and merge in a common IKEA culture of shared values.

Sweden truly is a great country to study in, both what goes for the education itself and the social aspect. The master programme was the perfect preparation for my working life.

Linnaeus University is known for its strong international profile, with partner universities in more than 60 countries. The first programme offered in English was established more than two decades ago. Every year more than 2,000 international students from all over the world come here to study. International students at Linnaeus University can study at both undergraduate, graduate and postgraduate level.

In collaboration with IKEA

Did you know that Linnaeus University has a unique and close collaboration with IKEA? The largest furniture company in the world, founded in Älmhult in Småland. A good example from this close collaboration is the Master Programme in Innovation through Business, Engineering and Design, established in 2013.

For further information, visit our website Lnu.se

Växjö

A living campus

Everything on campus is within five minutes' walking distance – student accommodation, classrooms, the library, restaurants and pubs, lakes and other leisure facilities. Campus is full of life and energy and is a natural meeting place for all students and interests.

Växjö has a long tradition of education and the university is a natural part of the city of Växjö. Linnaeus University has close ties with the local business sector and is a major player in the development of the city. The business enterprise spirit permeating Växjö is well known.

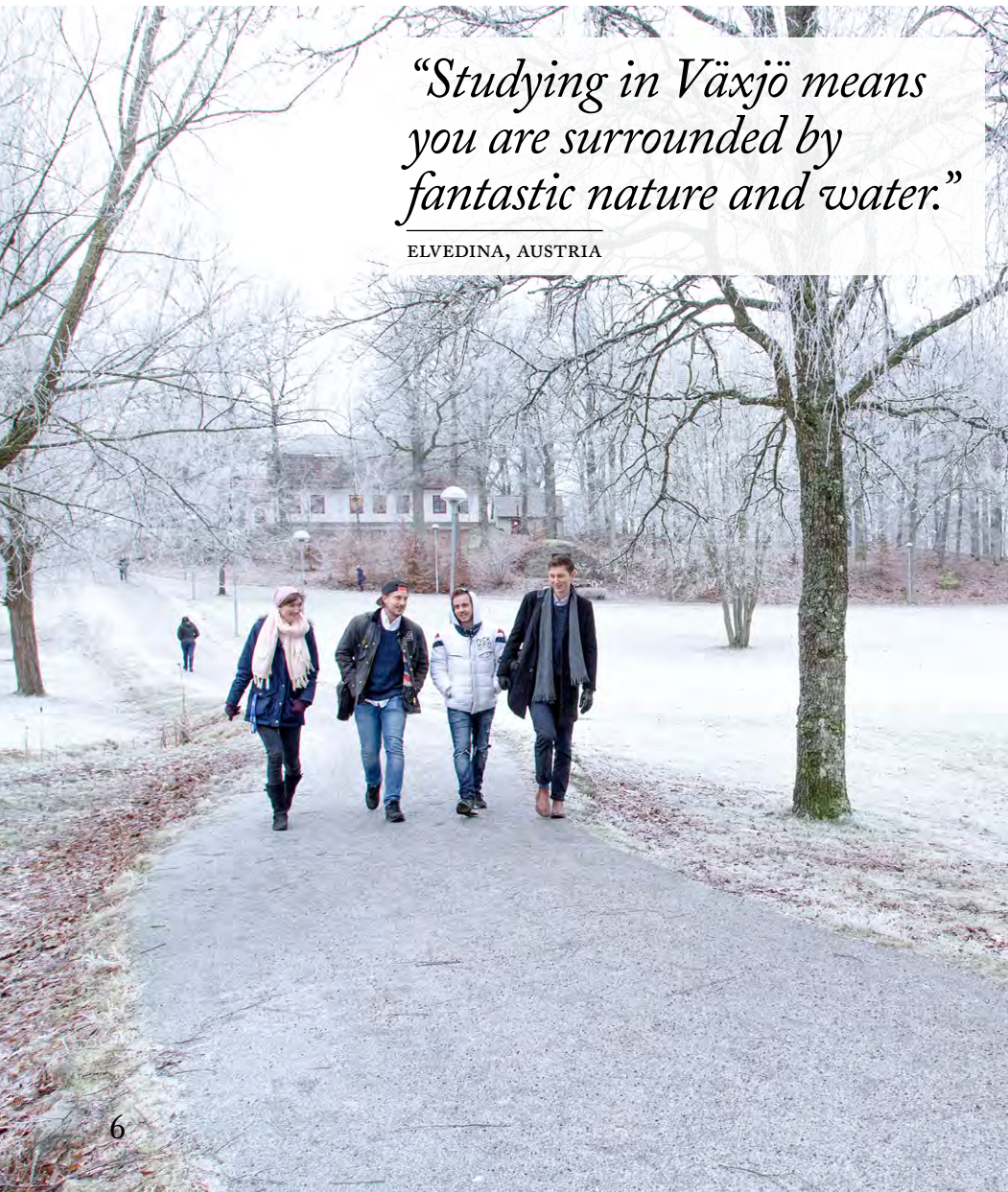
Växjö is the “capital” of Kronoberg County in south-eastern Sweden, a modern city with more than 90,000 inhabitants. If you are staying in Växjö, you will be staying in

a city that has been declared “the Greenest City in Europe” because of its focus on environmentally sound solutions and the environmental programmes implemented.

There are abundant opportunities in Växjö for leisure activities. The city is surrounded by countryside, forests and water. Lake Växjösjön, close to both campus and the city centre, is a natural place for walking and jogging.

*“Studying in Växjö means
you are surrounded by
fantastic nature and water.”*

ELVEDINA, AUSTRIA



Kalmar

The student city by the sea

The city of Kalmar is situated on the south-east coast of Sweden. Locating the university in the centre of Kalmar was a conscious move. Students go about their daily business in the city centre, filling it with the buzz of activity, and many students live in close proximity to the university buildings.

In Kalmar, everything is close at hand. Within a five- to ten-minute walk, you will find just about everything you need – your lecture halls, your friends, the sea, the gym, or the city centre, Kvarnholmen.

When living in Kalmar, the close proximity to the sea is evident. Smaller beaches and places to swim are dotted around the city centre and the nearby island of Öland offers top class beaches with miles of white sand. Kalmar has roughly 65,000 inhabitants and a long history dating back to the Middle Ages.

Kalmar Castle and the city park are favourite haunts of many students. When the sun shines, the castle's surroundings are filled with students studying and soaking up the sun. People jog or walk in the area and some choose to venture further along the coast.

Kalmar alone holds some 6,000 companies, most of them within the retail, manufacturing and service sectors – many have close collaborations with Linnaeus University.



“I love the quaintness of Kalmar and the European atmosphere of the city.”

MICHAEL, CANADA



Student life



Quality leisure time is important when you are a student. If you find joy and fulfilment in your student life, you will gain extra energy for your studies. There are a number of student organisations and clubs at the university that offer a wide range of leisure activities for students – student choirs, student radio, student sports clubs and a student orchestra, to mention a few.

The student union at Linnaeus University – Linnéstudenterna – works to ensure that you receive the best possible education, but also aims to offer other enjoyable activities.

ESN (Erasmus Student Network) is a network organising events for international students. The Kalmar

section is called ESN Kalmar and the Växjö section is called VIS, Växjö International Students. Both sections organise local events such as barbecues, sports activities and theme nights with typical Swedish traditions represented, as well as trips both within and outside Sweden.

The buddy programme

The buddy programme matches international students with other (mostly Swedish) students. The buddies help the international students with day-to-day questions, introducing them to Swedish culture and way of life as well as what it is like being a student at Linnaeus University.

“Kalmar is a student city that provides students with the opportunity to form lifelong friendships with others from every corner of the world. Kalmar is a historic city, has a beautiful downtown, and an environment that is the perfect place to flourish as a student as it really centers around its younger population”

JARED, USA, INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS STRATEGY, MASTER PROGRAMME



Meet our students

*What is it like to be a student at Linnaeus University?
Our students are happy to tell you more about it.*

What's the best thing about Linnaeus University?

"The best thing about Linnaeus University is the people. You'll make friends with people from all over the world, which is very rewarding. And your teachers will provide you with so much knowledge. Also, the teachers are very helpful and can often help you with whatever you're wondering. So, I would say it's the people in general that make the university what it is."

What do you think about Sweden?

"Sweden is the land of 'fika' (Swedish tradition of having a coffee break)! I

love being in Sweden, especially in the summer, there is so much to do – and the lakes in the area are amazing. The coffee is definitely a big plus as well; Sweden is actually renowned for having the best coffee in the world."

What advice would you give students who are interested in studying in Sweden?

"My advice would be: Don't think about it too much, just be brave and go for it. You'll never regret it because once you are here you'll know straight away that this is your home away from home."

CAJSA, USA, PEACE AND DEVELOPMENT WORK, MASTER PROGRAMME

What's the best thing about Linnaeus University?

"I like the fact that student housing is located on campus. It makes it easier for us international students as we don't need to commute."

What do you think about Sweden?

"I like the diversity here in Sweden. It's cool to be different and just be who you are. You don't need to worry about what others think about you. People in Sweden embrace diversity and that's the driving force of innovation."

What advice would you give to students who think about studying in Sweden?

"Don't forget to register with a housing company as soon as you get here, to collect points. That way you will have a better chance at getting a really nice student apartment."

BOWEN, CHINA, DESIGN, MASTER PROGRAMME

"This apartment has been my sanctuary"

It's great that Linnaeus University does its best to assist international students with getting an apartment, especially because not all universities offer this service. It was actually a relief for me to not have to choose an apartment because the university and housing company allocated one. Without knowing the area and making comparisons between different housing, it would have been a challenge to choose an apartment. The location I got in Kalmar allows me to access everything I need. It takes 15 minutes to cycle to most places of interest, such as the mall, the university and the beach.

The best thing has been to have the apartment fully furnished. When I first moved to Sweden, I was nervous about shopping for furniture and transporting it from the store to the apartment. This task would have been expensive and time-consuming! There is also a fully equipped kitchen which is shared with others and it can accommodate ten friends for when I have planned dinners. Living with other students has developed a strong sense of belonging, especially because each person has traveled from afar to study abroad. It can be intimidating to think about moving to a place where you don't know anyone and to leave friends and family behind. However, what is immediately comforting is having others around you who understand your experience.

I have my own room which has all the study tools I need. I feel relaxed when I'm here, I can Skype with my family and take some time to rest in between studying. I also appreciate that students respect each other and keep the environment quiet and peaceful. I really enjoy coming back to my apartment, especially at the end of a long day at university. When I return home, one of the things I will miss the most is spending time in my room.

THATO, SOUTH AFRICA, LEADERSHIP AND MANAGEMENT, MASTER PROGRAMME



Living as a student

Before coming to Sweden and Linnaeus University, there are some practical issues you should consider.

Accommodation

Finding suitable accommodation is often a worry when beginning your university studies. Start looking for accommodation as soon as possible after having applied to Linnaeus University in order to maximise your chances of finding a place to stay.

Tuition fee-paying students

All tuition fee-paying students at Linnaeus University who have been admitted are prioritised for accommodation for a maximum of one year, given that you follow all the necessary steps. Information about what needs to be done to get help with accommodation will be sent out to all tuition fee-paying students. Contact the office of student affairs for further information by sending an e-mail to internationalstudents@lnu.se.

Non-fee paying students

Non-fee paying students should contact the housing office at Linnéstudenterna, the student union, by sending an email to bostad@linnestudenterna.se.

Kalmar

The majority of students in Kalmar live near or within biking distance of the city centre. There are student dorms and halls of residence, as well as student apartments and private lodgings.

Växjö

In Växjö, there are approximately 4,000 student apartments in close proximity to student activities, the university itself, friends, pubs and meeting places – all within walking distance.

Residence permit

Non-EU/EEA citizens must have been granted a student residence permit before entering Sweden. You should apply for your permit on the website Migrationsverket.se, 2–3 months before departure. Do not leave for Sweden without your student residence permit! A tourist visa is not sufficient as it is only valid for three months.

EU/EEA citizens are allowed to stay in Sweden without a residence permit for up to three months. If you are staying in Sweden for a longer period of time, you are required to register with the Swedish Tax Agency no later than three months after entering the country. For more information, visit the website Migrationsverket.se.

Insurance

Tuition fee-paying students are covered by the FAS insurance (if you have paid your tuition fee). For terms and conditions visit the website Kammarkollegiet.se.

The FAS insurance is valid from two weeks before the start of the semester and until two weeks after the end of the semester. Citizens of EU/EEA countries or Switzerland should register for a European Health Insurance Card (EHIC) in their home country before coming to Sweden. This card gives the student right to medical care at the same cost as Swedes.

Arrival and orientation

During the official arrival days International Office provides pick-up service upon your arrival in Kalmar or Växjö at the train station or airport. A student will meet you at the airport or train station. To help you settle in at Linnaeus University, a mandatory orientation weekend will be held at the beginning of the semester. During the orientation you will receive both practical and academic information.

Cost of living

Living costs in Sweden depend largely on your individual lifestyle. To give you an idea, the following example of a budget might be of help:

Item	1 month	1 semester/ 5 months
Food	2,300	11,500
Accommodation	3,500	17,500
Course literature	750	3,750
Phone/internet	300	1,500
Local travel	464	2,320
Medical and personal care	250	1,250
Clothes, hobbies, leisure	500	2,500
Total SEK*	8,064	40,320

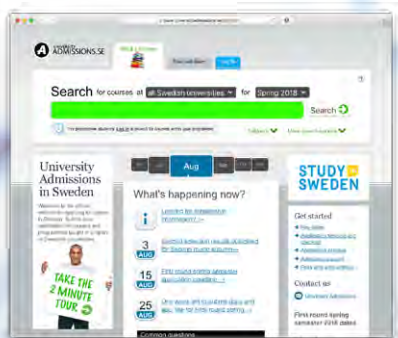
*SEK 10 ≈ EUR 0.94 ≈ USD 1.10

Applying to Linnaeus University

All applications to Linnaeus University should be made online through Universityadmissions.se, the website where you also find information on how to apply. General information about application and the programmes can be found on our website Lnu.se. Applications should not be sent directly to Linnaeus University. The online application should be submitted no later than **January 15** for students commencing their studies in the autumn semester and no later than **August 15** for students commencing their studies in the spring semester. There is an application fee of SEK 900 for each semester you apply.

Tuition fees

Students with citizenship not within the EU/EEA, or Switzerland, are required to pay application and tuition fees for university studies in Sweden. The tuition fees at Linnaeus University are divided into categories, in the range between SEK 85,000–260,000 per academic year. The tuition fee presented at the application time will apply to the whole period of study for which the student has been admitted.



Scholarships

Linnaeus University offers scholarships to outstanding students from countries outside the EU/EEA and Switzerland who have applied for a master programme. The scholarship will be up to a 100 percent reduction of the tuition fee for the full programme. The deadline to apply for scholarships is **February 1**.

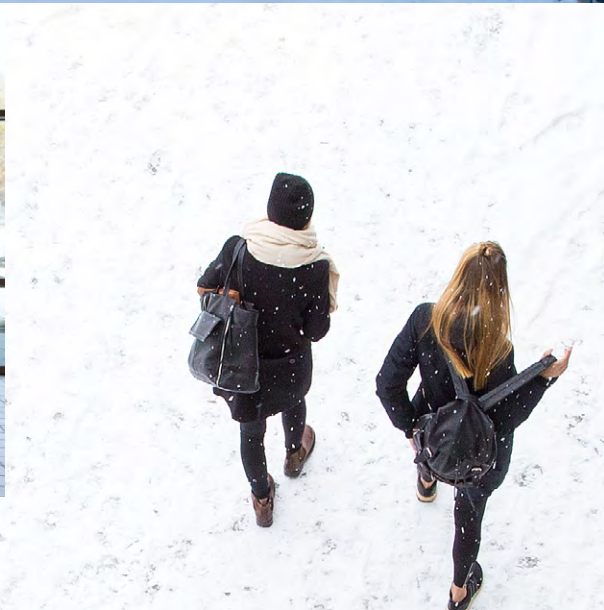
For students already enrolled in a two- or three-year degree programme, there is a possibility to apply for a scholarship which covers up to 100 percent of the tuition fee for the remaining semesters of the programme.

To find out more about Linnaeus University's scholarships, visit our website Lnu.se.

Other scholarship opportunities

The Swedish Institute coordinates a number of different scholarship programmes which can be used to study at Linnaeus University. Students from a range of different countries are eligible for these scholarships. To find out more visit the website Studyinsweden.se or contact internationalstudents@lnu.se.





Entry requirements

In order to be qualified for the courses and programmes you apply for, you must meet certain general and specific entry requirements. It is very important that you check what is required for the courses and programmes you are interested in before you submit your application.

Bachelor level requirements

In order to meet the general entry requirements for bachelor level studies (first cycle or undergraduate level), all students must have completed their upper secondary education successfully (high school, post-16) and meet the requirement of English 6 (Swedish upper secondary school course). All programmes also have specific entry requirements which need to be fulfilled.

Master level requirements

To meet the general entry requirements for master level studies (second cycle or graduate level), a student must have been awarded a bachelor's degree from an internationally recognised university. All programmes also have specific entry requirements which need to be fulfilled.

English language requirements

In order to be eligible for university studies in Sweden, students must demonstrate that they meet the English requirements for the course or programme they wish to apply for. For information about what level of English requirements (IELTS, TOEFL, CEFR* etc.) is needed to meet the requirements of English 5 and English 6, see the table below or visit the website Universityadmissions.se.



Upper Secondary School (Sweden)	IELTS score (Academic)	TOEFL score (internet-based)	CEFR*
English 5	5.5 (and no section below 5.0)	72 (17 in written test)	B1/B2
English 6	6.5 (and no section below 5.5)	90 (20 in written test)	B2

* CEFR stands for Common European Framework of Reference for Languages: Learning, Teaching, Assessment and is a European standard guideline (scale) for grading an individual's language proficiency.

Programmes

Bachelor Programmes (first cycle)

International Business Programme

180 CREDITS (3 YEARS)

This is a dynamic programme in business administration with specialisation in international business focusing on how to create, nurture and develop business relationships in an international context. Theoretical frameworks and tools within international marketing and entrepreneurship are integrated with business interactions and insights from practitioners on professional sales, purchase and business development. Experiential learning takes place in an international study environment and the programme prepares students for a career within international business, taking on roles such as marketing and sales manager, import/export manager and project managers in national and international firms of all sizes.

Semester: Autumn

Degree: Bachelor of Science (180 credits) with specialisation in International Business (main field of study: Business Administration).

Entry requirements: General entry requirements + Civics 1b / 1a1 +1a2, Mathematics 2a / 2b / 2c.

City: Kalmar

Tuition fee:* SEK 85,000 per academic year

The programme will start on condition that required decisions are made.

International Tourism Management Programme

180 CREDITS (3 YEARS)

International Tourism Management is a programme that gives you rigorous analytic skills for a truly international phenomenon: Tourism. With courses and learning environment that inspire to learn more about the environmental, social, cultural and economic effects of tourism, you gain insights into operations and organisations of tourism business. Specialisations in Hospitality Management, Events Management, Destination Management and Entrepreneurship in tourism combined with business courses in e-commerce and marketing, prepare you for a career within international tourism business and marketing-related business activity. The intended labour market is both small and large national and international businesses. The entire education is permeated with an international perspective.

Degree: Bachelor of Science (180 credits) with specialisation in Tourism Management (main field of study: Tourism Studies).

Semester: Autumn

Entry requirements: General entry requirements + Civics 1b / 1a1 +1a2, Mathematics 2a / 2b / 2c

City: Kalmar

Tuition fee:* SEK 85,000 per academic year

The programme will start on condition that required decisions are made.

Business and Economics

Marketing Programme

180 CREDITS (3 YEARS)

As a student of the Marketing Programme you are part of a highly international learning environment, which offers good opportunities to collaborate with students from all over the world. Within the programme you will learn many aspects of marketing, including how to identify and meet the market. A strong feature of the programme is the thematic approach emphasising the importance of various perspectives in marketing, such as those of customers and companies. Another strength of the Marketing programme is its explicit progression of content and methodology, which lets the students attain a sustainable education through deep marketing knowledge.

Semester: Autumn

Degree: Bachelor of Science (180 credits) with specialisation in Marketing (main field of study: Business Administration).

Entry requirements: General entry requirements + Civics 1b / 1a1 +1a2, Mathematics 3b / 3c.

City: Växjö

Tuition fee:* SEK 88,666 per academic year

Computer Science/IT

Network Security Programme

180 CREDITS (3 YEARS)

This programme focuses on two areas within computer science: networks and security. It features courses such as administration of networks, distributed systems and mobile and wireless security. To help you understand encryption tools, courses in mathematics are also included. The programme gives you qualifications for a variety of professions, such as programmer, network administrator and security consultant.

Semester: Autumn

Degree: Bachelor of Science (180 credits) with specialisation in Network Security (main field of study: Computer Science).

Entry requirements: General entry requirements + Mathematics 3c.

City: Växjö

Tuition fee:* SEK 130,000 per academic year



Software Technology Programme

180 CREDITS (3 YEARS)

The programme focuses on the software in IT systems, which can be found in everything from mobile phones and games to cars and industrial robots. You will learn how to analyse, design and develop large computer systems as well as web applications. General courses in computer science such as computer networks, databases and operating systems are also part of the programme as well as a few math courses.

Semester: Autumn

Degree: Bachelor of Science (180 credits) with specialisation in Software Technology (main field of study: Computer Science).

Entry requirements: General entry requirements + Mathematics 3c.

City: Växjö

Tuition fee:* SEK 130,000 per academic year

Design and Humanities

Design + Change

180 CREDITS (3 YEARS)

Do you want to use design to make a difference in the world? Then this is the right degree for you. The most important challenge today and in the future concerns sustainability – to create a world that is good for both people and the environment, locally and globally. The Design + Change programme combines design creativity, theory, criticality and knowledge of sustainability for a profession at the cutting edge of design. You will work with complex, global concerns, suggesting radical alternatives to how things are today.

Semester: Autumn

Degree: Bachelor of Fine Arts (180 credits) (main field of study: Design).

Entry requirements: General entry requirements. Approved portfolio.

City: Växjö

Tuition fee:* SEK 260,000 per academic year

Visual Communication + Change

180 CREDITS (3 YEARS)

Do you want to use visual communication to make a difference in the world? The programme combines creativity and graphic design with knowledge of sustainability to prepare you for a profession as a visual communicator/graphic designer with a specialisation in information graphics. The programme gives you an introduction to today's major global concerns, as well as visual tools to help bring order to a sometimes overwhelming flow of information, and to truly affect people.

Semester: Autumn

Degree: Bachelor of Fine Arts (180 credits) with a specialisation in visual communication (main field of studies: Design).

Entry requirements: General entry requirements. Approved portfolio.

City: Kalmar

Tuition fee:* SEK 260,000 per academic year

Natural Sciences

Applied Mathematics Programme

180 CREDITS (3 YEARS)

The programme gives a sound knowledge of mathematics and how to use mathematics as a tool within branches such as computer science, economy and engineering. Besides courses in pure mathematics you study mathematical modelling, numerical methods, programming and statistics. Mathematicians are in demand in fields such as information security, engineering, actuarial mathematics and design of experiments.

Semester: Autumn

Degree: Bachelor of Science (180 credits) (main field of study: Mathematics).

Entry requirements: General entry requirements + Mathematics 4, Physics 2.

City: Växjö

Tuition fee:* SEK 130,000 per academic year

Master Programmes (second cycle)

Business and Economics

Business Process Control and Supply Chain Management, Master Programme

Fronts in Management Accounting & Process-based Control
Fronts in Logistics & Supply Chain Management
120 CREDITS (2 YEARS)

This programme has a focus on increased effectiveness and efficiency in business processes in supply chains. The first semester contains a specialisation in either supply chain management or management accounting. Themes are e.g. performance management systems, re-configurations and integration of business processes. Options for a 1-year (60 credits) degree exists.

Fronts in Management Accounting & Process-based Control
Semester: Autumn

Degree: Master of Science in Business and Economics (120 credits) with specialisation in Business Process Control and Supply Chain Management: Frontiers in Management Accounting & Business-Process Control (main field of study: Business Administration).

Entry requirements: General entry requirements for second cycle studies and specific entry requirements:

- Bachelor degree in Business Administration with a minimum of 90 credits in Business Administration, with a minimum of 30 credits in Accounting, or the equivalent
- English 6 or the equivalent

City: Växjö

Tuition fee: SEK 87,500 per academic year*

Fronts in Logistics & Supply Chain Management
Semester: Autumn

Degree: Master of Science in Business and Economics (120 credits) with specialisation in Business Process Control and Supply Chain Management: Frontiers in Logistics & Supply Chain Management (main field of study: Business Administration).

Entry requirements: General entry requirements for second cycle studies and specific entry requirements:

- Bachelor degree in Business Administration with a minimum of 90 credits in Business Administration, with a minimum of 15 credits in logistics/supply chain management/ transportation/operations management, or the equivalent
- English 6 or the equivalent

City: Växjö

Tuition fee: SEK 110,000 per academic year*

Corporate Governance - Accounting and Finance, Master Programme (one year)

60 CREDITS (1 YEAR)

This one-year master programme offers advanced studies of the mechanisms, institutions and processes by which listed corporations are governed, often referred to as corporate governance. In the programme, you will study how various parts of the corporate governance system operates, as well as the composition and regulation of the system as a whole.

Semester: Autumn

Degree: Master of Science (60 credits) with specialisation in Corporate Governance (main field of study: Business Administration).

Entry requirements: General entry requirements for second cycle studies and specific entry requirements:

- Bachelor of Science in Business Administration or Economics with at least 90 credits in the main field of study, Business Administration or equivalent. Within the main field of study, a thesis/independent work consisting of 15 credits should be included.
- At least 15 credits in Statistics or equivalent
- At least 15 credits in financial accounting, or alternatively at least 15 credits in financial economics, or the equivalent
- English 6 or equivalent

City: Växjö

Tuition fee: SEK 85,000 per academic year*

Economics, Master Programme

120 CREDITS (2 YEARS)

This two-year master programme in economics is suitable for individuals who want to work with qualified tasks such as investigators and analysts at public agencies, international organisations and private companies. The program aims to build a general economic problem solving ability, which is useful in many different professions. This programme in economics is closely linked to the research at Linnaeus University, which mainly focuses on labour economics, public economics and macroeconomics. Options for a 1-year (60 credits) degree exists.

Semester: Autumn

Degree: Master of Science or Master of Science in Business and Economics (120 credits) (main field of study: Economics).

Entry requirements: General entry requirements for second cycle studies and specific entry requirements:

- Bachelor degree in Economics, or in another social science or natural sciences or the equivalent a minimum of 90 credits in Economics a minimum of 15 credits in Statistics
- English 6 or the equivalent

City: Växjö

Tuition fee: SEK 93,500 per academic year*

The programme will start on condition that required decisions are made.

Entrepreneurship, Master Programme

120 CREDITS (2 YEARS)

Qualified education to develop businesses and local communities by identifying, implementing and analysing entrepreneurial projects together with practitioners. Theoretical in-depth knowledge in business development and entrepreneurship is wined together with methodological knowledge and real case practical project and process leadership. Options for a 1-year (60 credits) degree exists.

Semester: Autumn

Degree: Master of Science or Master of Science in Business and Economics (120 credits) with specialisation in Entrepreneurship (main field of study: Business Administration).

Entry requirements: General entry requirements for second cycle studies and specific entry requirements:

- Bachelor degree in Business Administration with a minimum of 90 higher education credits in Business Administration or the equivalent
- English 6 or the equivalent.

City: Växjö*Tuition fee*:* SEK 87,500 per academic year**Innovation through Business, Engineering and Design - Specialisation Business, Master Programme**

120 CREDITS (2 YEARS)

This two-year master programme is multidisciplinary, which means that you will collaborate with students from different backgrounds: Business, Engineering and Design. Innovation is the main theme, delivered in an interdisciplinary context based on actual business cases. Throughout the programme, companies – both international and domestic – are involved and students do projects with them based on the companies' situation and needs in a local and global context.

Semester: Autumn

Degree: Master of Science or Master of Science in Business and Economics (120 credits) with specialisation in Innovation through Business, Engineering and Design (main field of study: Business Administration).

Entry requirements: General entry requirements for second cycle studies and specific entry requirements:

- A minimum of 90 credits within the main field of study Business Administration (including a degree project of at least 15 credits) or the equivalent
- English 6 or the equivalent

City: Växjö*Tuition fee*:* SEK 130,000 per academic year**International Business Strategy, Master Programme**

120 CREDITS (2 YEARS)

The programmes are designed for students seeking management positions; developing competitive, dynamic and socially responsible strategies for international firms. International business, marketing and entrepreneurship are studied from a strategic point of view. The programmes are interactive and build on research and live-case application in a multicultural learning environment. The two-year programme offers a deeper research focus and elective courses, including possibilities of studies abroad or internship. Options for a 1-year (60 credits) degree exists.

Semester: Autumn

Degree: Master of Science (120 credits) or Master of Science in Business and Economics (120 credits) with specialisation in International Business Strategy (main field of study: Business Administration).

Entry requirements: General entry requirements for second cycle studies and specific entry requirements:

- Bachelor degree in Business Administration as main subject
- At least 90 credits in Business Administration
- English 6 or the equivalent

City: Kalmar*Tuition fee*:* SEK 85,000 per academic year**Leadership and Management in International Contexts, Master Programme**

60 CREDITS (1 YEAR)

This programme is for students who aspire to become leaders of teams, companies and organisations in international contexts. Through co-creation of knowledge and skills in a truly international learning environment, the programme aims at helping the students to cultivate their leadership potentials and to develop their abilities to act as reflective, confident and responsible global leaders in national and international companies, as well as the public sector.

Semester: Autumn

Degree: Master of Science (60 credits) or Master of Science in Business and Economics (60 credits) with specialisation in Leadership and Management in International Contexts (main field of study: Business Administration).

Entry requirements: General entry requirements for second cycle studies and specific entry requirements:

- Bachelor degree in Business Administration or in another social science main field of study
- English 6 or the equivalent

City: Kalmar*Tuition fee*:* SEK 85,000 per academic year

Marketing, Master Programme

120 CREDITS (2 YEARS)

The programme offers students from around the world the opportunity to develop their analytical thinking and expertise in marketing. The main field of study is business administration, with specialisation in marketing. The courses are relevant considering the needs on the labour market, such as higher demand for managing innovation and e-business. With this master's degree, you will have many different career opportunities. You can also work as a lecturer or researcher or both at a university. Options for a 1-year (60 credits) degree exists.

Semester: Autumn

Degree: Master of Science or Master of Science in Business and Economics (120 credits) with specialisation in Marketing (main field of study: Business Administration).

Entry requirements: General entry requirements for second cycle studies and specific entry requirements:

- Bachelor degree in Business Administration, with a minimum of 30 credits in Marketing
- English 6 or the equivalent

City: Växjö

Tuition fee:* SEK 85,000 per academic year

Tourism and Sustainability, Master Programme

120 CREDITS (2 YEARS)

Are you interested in tourism and sustainable development? Do you want to deepen your knowledge in tourism evaluation and planning in the perspective of sustainability? The programme provides a thorough knowledge of the social, cultural, economic and environmental aspects of tourism. With a clear focus on sustainability it delivers skills in analysing, planning and evaluating tourism-related activities both on a local and global level. Options for a 1-year (60 credits) degree exists.

Semester: Autumn

Degree: Master of Science (120 credits) with specialisation in Sustainability (main field of study: Tourism Studies).

Entry requirements: General entry requirements for second cycle studies and specific entry requirements:

- Bachelor degree in tourism studies or in another social science main field of study or equivalent
- English 6 or equivalent.

City: Kalmar

Tuition fee:* SEK 85,000 per academic year

Computer Science/IT

Information Systems, Master Programme

60 CREDITS (1 YEAR) / 120 CREDITS (2 YEARS)

The master programme in Information Systems will give advanced and broad knowledge of the planning, design, use and leadership of information systems in organisations and businesses. It will also prepare for research studies within informatics. The aim is to give each student the competence needed to describe and analyse businesses, organisations and their need for developing information systems.

Semester: Autumn

Degree: Master (60 credits/120 credits) with specialisation in Business Development (main field of study: Informatics).

Entry requirements: General entry requirements for second cycle studies and specific entry requirements: English 6 or the equivalent.

City: Växjö or by distance

Tuition fee:* SEK 130,000 per academic year

Social Media and Web Technologies, Master Programme

120 CREDITS (2 YEARS)

Offers in-depth understanding of online communities and the technical environments in which they interact. You develop the skills required for creating innovative solutions and tools that use web and mobile technologies for supporting these communities. The programme prepares for positions such as web developer, interaction designer, as well as for postgraduate studies. The program is well suited for those of you who have a basic understanding of, and practical skill in working with basic web technologies such as HTML, CSS, and JavaScript (and perhaps also server-side techniques such as PHP, Python, ASP.NET or Ruby), and are looking to elevate those skills to a more advanced level with special interest towards social media.

Semester: Autumn

Degree: Master of Science (120 credits) with specialisation in Social Media and Web Technologies (main field of study: Media Technology).

Entry requirements: General entry requirements for second cycle studies and specific entry requirements:

- Bachelor degree in Media Technology, Informatics, Computer Science or similar fields (at least 15 credits should be in programming related courses)
- English 6 or the equivalent

City: Växjö or by distance

Tuition fee:* SEK 130,000 per academic year

Software Technology, Master Programme

60 CREDITS (1 YEAR) / 120 CREDITS (2 YEARS)

...focuses on the development of complex software systems – projects featuring millions of lines of code and advanced techniques such as web services, distributed systems, and component-based development. The program prepares you for a career in software engineering or an academic career. It presents the latest tools within software development, and part of the education consists of project work together with industry or research groups.

Semester: Autumn

Degree: Master of Science (60 credits/120 credits) with specialisation in software technology (main field of study: Computer Science).

Entry requirements: General entry requirements for second cycle studies and specific entry requirements:

- Bachelor degree in Computer Science or the equivalent, and a solid practical experience of object-oriented programming.
- English 6 or the equivalent.

City: Växjö

Tuition fee:* SEK 130,000 per academic year

Design and Humanities

Design+Change, Master Programme

120 CREDITS (2 YEARS)

At LNU, design is creativity, criticality and transformation. In a period defined by increasingly complex crises and challenges, we focus on design as an agent for sustainable change. As a student, you will develop your ability to work collaboratively with other disciplines as well as with municipalities, businesses, organisations and activists in complex projects with an emphasis on contemporary and emerging design disciplines such as critical design, social design and metadesign.

Semester: Autumn

Degree: Master of Fine Arts (120 credits) (main field of study: Design).

Entry requirements: General entry requirements for second cycle studies and specific entry requirements:

- 90 credits in the main field of study, Design (including an independent project of at least 15 credits) or the equivalent,
- Approved portfolio and letter of intent.
- English 6 or the equivalent.

City: Växjö

Tuition fee:* SEK 260,000 per academic year

English Language and Literature, Master Programme

120 CREDITS (2 YEARS)

This is a two-year programme at the second level with English as its main field of study. You can choose to specialise in linguistics or literature, or a combination of these. Several of the courses in the programme combine linguistics and literature. The aim is for you to develop knowledge of relevant, modern linguistic and literary theories and methods, primarily within the fields included in the research centres at the faculty.

Semester: Autumn

Degree: Master of Arts (120 credits) with specialisation in linguistics/literary studies/linguistics and literary studies (main field of study: English).

Entry requirements: General entry requirements for second cycle studies and specific entry requirements:

- 90 credits in English Linguistics or English Literature, or some other relevant field within language or literature.
- English 7 or the equivalent.

City: Växjö

Tuition fee:* SEK 85,000 per academic year

Innovation through Business, Engineering and Design - specialisation design, Master Programme

120 CREDITS (2 YEARS)

This two-year master programme is multidisciplinary, which means that you will collaborate with students from different backgrounds: Business, Engineering and Design. Innovation is the main theme, delivered in an interdisciplinary context based on actual business cases. Throughout the programme, companies – both international and domestic – are involved and students do projects with them based on the companies' situation and needs in a local and global context.

Semester: Autumn

Degree: Master of Arts (120 credits) with specialisation in Innovation through Business, Engineering and Design (main field of study: Transdisciplinary Design and Sustainability).

Entry requirements: General entry requirements for second cycle studies and specific entry requirements:

- 90 credits in the main field of study Design (including an independent project of at least 15 credits) or the equivalent,
- Approved portfolio,
- English 6 or the equivalent,

City: Växjö

Tuition fee:* SEK 130,000 per academic year

Natural Sciences

Aquatic Ecology, Master Programme

120 CREDITS (2 YEARS)

The unique combination of new and most exciting research areas in Marine Ecology, Environmental Microbial Ecology and Marine Biotechnology makes this programme truly original. We offer scientific and practical skills in frontier research in the function, diversity and evolution of aquatic organisms and systems, and ecological applications that can offer solutions to complex management of water resources.

Semester: Autumn

Degree: Master of Science (120 credits) with specialisation in Aquatic Ecology (main field of study: Biology).

Entry requirements: General entry requirements for second cycle studies and specific entry requirements:

- 90 credits in Biology/Ecology/Microbiology including an independent project/degree project worth at least 15 credits or the equivalent.
- English 6 or equivalent.

City: Kalmar

Tuition fee:* SEK 130,000 per academic year

Chemistry, Master Programme

60 CREDITS (1 YEAR) / 120 CREDITS (2 YEARS)

A Master's Degree in Chemistry paves the way for a career in research or industry. We provide individually tailored degree programmes that include extensive experience working in research laboratories and with state-of-the-art equipment. Many previous graduates have been successful in competing for PhD studentships at universities around the globe, and others have entered into successful careers in industry.

Semester: Autumn

Degree: Master of Science (60 credits/120 credits) (main field of study: Chemistry).

Entry requirements: General entry requirements for second cycle studies and specific entry requirements:

- 90 credits in Chemistry or the equivalent
- English 6 or the equivalent.

City: Kalmar

Tuition fee:* SEK 130,000 per academic year

Environmental Science and Sustainability, Master Programme

120 CREDITS (2 YEARS)

The programme offers a unique combination of courses and practical activities to build a solid, scientific-based knowledge of natural systems and impacts of human activities in the environment. We offer a comprehensive training including environmental risk analyses, dispersion of pollutants in natural media, and mitigation options such as geological disposal of nuclear waste, carbon dioxide and others wastes. The knowledge acquired during the two years of the programme can be directly applied to environmental management as well as an initial step for advanced studies at Ph.D. level. The programme is developed entirely in English language to provide a truly international experience. The programme will start on condition that required decisions are made.

Semester: Autumn

Degree: Master of Science (120 credits) (main field of study: Environmental Science).

Entry requirements: General entry requirements for second cycle studies and specific entry requirements:

- 90 credits in biology, geology, chemistry, engineering and/or environmental science, including an independent project/degree project (e.g., B.Sc. thesis) worth at least 15 credits or the equivalent
- 15 credits in chemistry
- English 6, or the equivalent

City: Kalmar

Tuition fee:* SEK 130,000 per academic year

The programme will start on condition that required decisions are made.

Evolutionary Ecology of Fishes, Master Programme

120 CREDITS (2 YEARS)

The programme aims to develop curiosity, knowledge of current research and a greater understanding of evolutionary ecology with focus on the diversity, evolution, ecology and behaviour of fishes. You will also gain insight into how research results can be turned into practical action and contribute towards the conservation and sustainable use of fish stocks.

Semester: Autumn

Degree: Master of Science (120 credits) with specialisation in Evolutionary ecology of fishes (main field of study: Biology).

Entry requirements: General entry requirements for second cycle studies and specific entry requirements:

- 90 credits in Biology/Ecology/Microbiology including an independent project/degree project worth at least 15 higher education credits, or the equivalent.
- English 6 or equivalent.

City: Kalmar

Tuition fee:* SEK 130,000 per academic year

Health Science, Master Programme

120 CREDITS (2 YEARS)

This programme develops the student's knowledge in health science on an individual, societal and global level. The programme is transdisciplinary, which means that different perspectives are brought together to create a broadened understanding of the complexity of health. After graduating, the student will have the knowledge and skills to carry out investigative and development work within the health sector, as an entrepreneur or consultant or employed in the private, public or non-profit sector. The programme will start on condition that required decisions are made.

Semester: Autumn

Degree: Master of Science (120 credits) (main field of study: Health Science).

Entry requirements: General entry requirements for second cycle studies and specific entry requirements: English 6 or the equivalent.

City: Kalmar

Tuition fee:* SEK 85,000 per academic year

The programme will start on condition that required decisions are made

Mathematics and Modelling, Master Programme

Specialisation Mathematical Statistics and Financial Mathematics

Specialisation Algebra with Cryptography and Coding

Specialisation Analysis with Mathematical Physics

120 CREDITS (2 YEARS)

Do you want to apply your skills to problem solving and creating new mathematical models? This programme has three specialisations: Analysis and Mathematical Physics, Algebra with Cryptography and Coding, and Mathematical Statistics and Financial Mathematics. You may find work at companies dealing with e.g. image and noise processing, information security, electric power, vehicle production and construction, or at banks and insurance companies.

Semester: Autumn

Degree: Master of Science (120 credits) in Mathematics with specialisation in Analysis with Mathematical Physics, Algebra with Cryptography and Coding or Mathematical Statistics and Financial Mathematics (main field of study: Mathematics).

Entry requirements: General entry requirements for second cycle studies and specific entry requirements:

- Bachelor degree in Mathematics, Physics, Electronics, Computer Science, Economics or the equivalent, including 60 credits in Mathematics
- English 6 or the equivalent.

City: Växjö

Tuition fee:* SEK 130,000 per academic year

Physics, Master Programme

120 CREDITS (2 YEARS)

The programme is focused on modern physics and opens the possibility for research and development work in the industry as well as for postgraduate studies. During the program, you work closely with scientists involved in research projects in condensed matter physics/nanophysics or in elementary particle astrophysics. For your master project there is the possibility of doing both theoretical and/or experimental work in research laboratories with state of the art equipment and computational facilities. After graduation our master students have been successful in finding Ph.D. positions at prestigious universities, while others have started a successful career in industry. Parts of the programme may be studied by distance.

Semester: Autumn

Degree: Master of Science (120 credits) (main field of study: Physics).

Entry requirements: General entry requirements for second cycle studies and specific entry requirements:

- Bachelor degree in Physics of which at least 30 credits are in modern physics or the equivalent.
- English 6 or the equivalent.

City: Kalmar or by distance

Tuition fee:* SEK 130,000 per academic year

Social and Behavioural Sciences

Applied Social Analysis, Master Programme

120 CREDITS (2 YEARS)

Many of society's most pressing problems fall far from the boundaries of traditional disciplinary research and require innovative analysis tools. The programme offers a wide-range of methodological training with a strong focus on quantitative techniques, along with the opportunity to specialise in specific societal issues and provides the skills to conduct independent research. Possibilities for future employment include public and private organisations, NGOs, research and higher education institutions.

Semester: Autumn

Degree: Master of Science (120 credits) with specialisation in Applied Social Analysis (main field of study: Sociology).

Entry requirements: General entry requirements for second cycle studies and specific entry requirements:

- Bachelor degree with a minimum of 90 credits in a Social Science, Psychology or Economics main area; students with different curricula can be accepted on an individual basis;
- English 6 or equivalent.

City: Växjö

Tuition fee:* SEK 85,000 per academic year

International Affairs, Master Programme

120 CREDITS (2 YEARS)

The Master in International Affairs (MIA) is a two-year full-time programme with a curriculum that develops international affairs professionals with interest in contemporary international changes and challenges. The main objective of the programme is to prepare graduates to pursue careers in international organisations, businesses, transnational civil society organisations or within diplomacy. Programme courses are led by highly merited instructors with research and teaching interests in international and European affairs, international state and human security, international corruption and political economy, foreign policy analysis, human rights and sustainable development and diplomacy among democracies and dictatorships. MIA also offers the opportunity to conduct short- and long-term internships and a major final independent study.

Semester: Autumn

Degree: Master of Science (120 credits) with specialisation in International Affairs (main field of study: Political Science).

Entry requirements: General entry requirements for second cycle studies and specific entry requirements:

- Bachelor degree with a minimum of 90 credits in one the following main fields of study: social sciences, humanities or economics; students with other degrees can be accepted on an individual basis.
- English 6 or the equivalent.

City: Växjö

Tuition fee:* SEK 85,000 per academic year

Peace and Development Work, Master Programme
60 CREDITS (1 YEAR)

The program focuses on the relationship between poverty, conflicts, peace and sustainable development, and covering the actors and policy processes at the local, the national and the international level. In the program you will study the policies and methods within international development cooperation, like e.g., such as Agenda 2030, and the practical implementation of projects/programs at the local level/in the field. The objective of the programme is to prepare the students for future employment within international organisations, state agencies, the private sector and civil society or other organisations that deal with peace and development issues, or a as preparation for further studies. During your studies, you have the option to conduct a field study research in a developing country.

Semester: Autumn

Degree: Master of Science (60 credits) (main field of study: Peace and Development Work).

Entry requirements: General entry requirements for second cycle studies and specific entry requirements:

- a minimum of 90 credits in a Social Science, Humanities or Economics main area, including a degree project of at least 15 credits, or the equivalent.
- English 6 or the equivalent

City: Växjö

Tuition fee:* SEK 85,000 per academic year

Psychology, Work and Organisational Psychology, Master Programme

120 CREDITS (2 YEARS)

The aim of the programme is to give a thorough knowledge of industrial-organisational psychology, which includes in-depth theoretical understanding. The students gain insight in recent developments in, among others, motivation, decision making, selection and recruitment, quantitative methodology and statistics, culture, and organisational change in the workplace. Relevant sectors after graduation are private and public organisations with advanced investigative tasks of psychosocial personnel matters.

Semester: Autumn

Degree: Master of Science (120 credits) with specialisation in industrial and organisational psychology (main field of study: Psychology).

Entry requirements: General entry requirements for second cycle studies and specific entry requirements:

- 90 credits in psychology, including a 15 credits degree project, or the equivalent
- English 6, or the equivalent

City: Växjö

Tuition fee:* SEK 85,000 per academic year

Technology and Engineering

Electrical Engineering, specialisation Signal Processing and Wave Propagation, Master Programme

120 CREDITS (2 YEARS)

Many technical and industrial applications require knowledge of wave propagation and signal processing, notably wireless communication and antenna and microwave technology. In the second year you can specialise theoretically or take some courses in adjacent subjects. Advanced industrial work in engineering, e.g. within telecommunications and sensor technology, awaits most graduates.

Semester: Autumn

Degree: Master of Science (120 credits) in Electrical Engineering with specialisation in signal processing and wave propagation (main field of study: Electrical Engineering).

Entry requirements: General entry requirements for second cycle studies and specific entry requirements:

- Bachelor degree in Electrical Engineering, Computer Engineering, Engineering Physics or the equivalent. All students must have completed introductory courses in Telecommunications, Electronics, Signals and Systems theory, and Mathematics including multidimensional analysis and transform theory.
- English 6 or the equivalent

City: Växjö

Tuition fee:* SEK 130,000 per academic year

Innovation through Business, Engineering and Design - specialisation Engineering, Master Programme

120 CREDITS (2 YEARS)

This two-year master programme is multidisciplinary, which means that you will collaborate with students from different backgrounds: Business, Engineering and Design. Innovation is the main theme, delivered in an interdisciplinary context based on actual business cases. Throughout the programme, companies – both international and domestic – are involved and students do projects with them based on the companies' situation and needs in a local and global context.

Semester: Autumn

Degree: Master of Science (120 credits) with specialisation in Innovation through Business, Engineering and Design (main field of study: Mechanical Engineering/Forest and Wood Technology).

Entry requirements: General entry requirements for second cycle studies and specific entry requirements:

- 90 credits in the main field of study Mechanical Engineering including 7.5 credits in Solid Mechanics, alternatively 90 credits in the main field of study Forest and Wood Technology including 7.5 credits in Mechanics (including a degree project of at least 15 credits) or the equivalent.
- 15 credits in Mathematics; Calculus I, (7.5 credits), and Linear Algebra/Vector Geometry (7.5 credits) or the equivalent.
- English 6 or the equivalent.

City: Växjö

Tuition fee:* SEK 130,000 per academic year

Renewable Electric Power Systems, Master Programme**120 CREDITS (2 YEARS)**

Electricity from renewable sources is one of today's challenges. The programme deals with conditions and techniques for the production of electricity from solar, wind and water, as well as the challenges this imposes. The programme is based on electric power engineering with elements of renewable energy, communication, smart grids and automatic control.

Semester: Autumn

Degree: Master of Science (120 credits) with Specialisation Renewable Electric Power Systems (main field of study: Electrical Engineering).

Entry requirements: General entry requirements for second cycle studies and specific entry requirements:

- Bachelor degree in Engineering/Science/Technology
- Electrical Engineering at least 15 credits or Energy Technology at least 15 credits including 7,5 credits in Electrical Engineering or 7,5 credits Electric Power Engineering or equivalent
- Mathematics at least 15 credits including Calculus 1, 7,5 credits, and Vector Geometry, 7,5 credits, or equivalent
- English 6 or equivalent

City: Växjö*Tuition fee*:* SEK 130,000 per academic year**Simulation Driven Product Development, master programme****120 CREDITS (2 YEARS)**

How is a product designed to meet sustainability requirements regarding performance, life, economy and the environment?

During the two years of study you will gain knowledge of product development, together with a deep understanding of modern numerical methods and practical skills in experimental methods used to acquire data supporting the product development process. Upon completion of the master's program, you will be able to handle a wide range of problems in advanced mechanical engineering.

Semester: Autumn

Degree: Master of Science (120 credits) with specialisation in Simulation Driven Product Development (main field of study: Mechanical Engineering).

Entry requirements: General entry requirements for second cycle studies and specific entry requirements:

- Bachelor of Science in Technology, Engineering or Mathematics
- 7,5 credits Solid Mechanics, Structural Mechanics or equivalent and 15 credits Mathematics (Calculus, 7,5 credits/ Vector Geometry 7,5 credits) or equivalent
- English 6 or equivalent.

City: Växjö*Tuition fee*:* SEK 130,000 per academic year

The programme will start on condition that required decisions are made.

Sustainable Energy Processes and Systems, master programme**120 CREDITS (2 YEARS)**

Renewable energy is becoming increasingly important. This programme's main content is fuel resources and logistics, combustion technology, biogas and gasification technology, and sustainable energy systems. It provides a basis for a career in Master of engineering, e.g. as a process engineer, an environmental auditor or a consultant. The programme is supported by international companies within the sector.

Semester: Autumn

Degree: Master of Science (120 credits) with specialisation in Sustainable Energy Processes and Systems (main field of study: Bioenergy Technology).

Entry requirements: General entry requirements for second cycle studies and specific entry requirements:

- Bachelor of Science in Chemical Engineering, Mechanical Engineering, Energy Technology, Environmental Technology, Civil Engineering, Material Science or equivalent.
- English 6 or the equivalent.

City: Växjö*Tuition fee*:* SEK 130,000 per academic year**Sustainable Structural Engineering, Master Programme****120 CREDITS (2 YEARS)**

To be professionally successful as a structural engineer in the future, you need to develop thorough understanding of the possibilities and limitations of different materials and also possess solid knowledge with respect to building elements and structural load bearing systems. Within the framework of the program you are intellectually challenged by advanced theories of analysis, but also by more practical applications.

Semester: Autumn

Degree: Master of Science (120 credits) with specialisation in sustainable structural engineering (main field of study: Civil Engineering).

Entry requirements: General entry requirements for second cycle studies and specific entry requirements:

- Bachelor of Science degree in Civil Engineering, Architectural Engineering or the equivalent. This degree must include a minimum of 7,5 credits in Structural Mechanics or Mechanics of Materials as well as mathematics corresponding to the courses Calculus 1 (7,5 credits) and Vector geometry/Linear algebra (7,5 credits) or the equivalent.
- English 6 or the equivalent.

City: Växjö*Tuition fee*:* SEK 130,000 per academic year

Courses

Linnaeus University offers around 500 single subject courses in English on both undergraduate and graduate level. For further information about the courses, visit our website Lnu.se.

Preparatory English course

The Preparatory English course is aimed at international students who need to train their oral and written English language proficiency in order to be able to follow academic courses taught in English. Preparatory English course for international students gives eligibility equivalent to English 6 for further studies at Linnaeus University. Observe that Linnaeus University can not guarantee that other universities will accept the course for eligibility.

Preparatory English course for international students

30 CREDITS

Entry requirements: English 5 (IELTS 5,5) and one full year of university studies.

Tuition fee:* SEK 42,500 per semester

The course is given in both the autumn and the spring semester.

Swedish courses

All international students will be offered a non-credit Swedish course. Students who wish to improve their Swedish further have the opportunity to study Swedish at basic, intermediate or advanced level up to 90 credits. In the basic courses, students will develop oral and written language skills, as well as basic knowledge about Swedish culture and traditions. On a more advanced level, students will develop their practical skills and expand their theoretical linguistic awareness and proficiency.

The majority of the Swedish courses are given part-time and can therefore be combined with other courses. For more information about the Swedish courses, visit our website Lnu.se.

Top up years

Linnaeus University offers the possibility for students who already have two or three years of academic studies, the equivalence of at least 120 credits, to top up their studies with a year's degree track to earn a Swedish bachelor's degree. These tracks could enable students to become eligible for studies on the master level or simply to earn them an undergraduate degree. The minimum requirement is previous academic studies amounting to the equivalence of 120 credits which can be transferred into a degree from Linnaeus University. At least 60 credits of these have to be within the student's main field of study, but this can differ between the different tracks.

The available main fields of study are:

- Biology
- Business Administration
 - Accounting and Finance
 - International Business
 - Management
 - Marketing
- Computer Science
- Economics
- Electrical Engineering
- English
- Food Science
- Mathematics
- Peace and Development Studies

The degree tracks will be organised into individual course packages. Applications should be made on the website Universityadmissions.se, where you will also find information on how to apply. The online application should be submitted no later than January 15 for students commencing their studies in the autumn semester. For further information about application and admission, contact admission@lnu.se.

Swedish university studies

Exams and grades

Exams take place after each single subject course or module. If taking a full semester course, you will receive a cumulative grade for the course as well as individual grades for each module.

If you fail an exam, it is possible to re-sit the exam later in the semester, without penalty. Only successfully completed courses or modules are recorded on your transcript. This means your transcript will not show if you have failed an exam or course.

There are two success grades awarded in the Swedish university system: »Pass« and »Pass with Distinction«.

Degrees

As an international student, you can obtain a degree from Linnaeus University by following the required study plan for a particular degree. You can also combine credits from your home university with credits from Linnaeus University to meet degree requirements.

First cycle, bachelor's degree (180 credits)

A Swedish bachelor's degree requires studies of at least 180 credits at first cycle, of which 90 credits must be in the main field of study. The main field of study must include an independent project of at least 15 credits. At least 30 credits must be in another subject than the main field of study.

Second cycle, master's degree (60 credits)

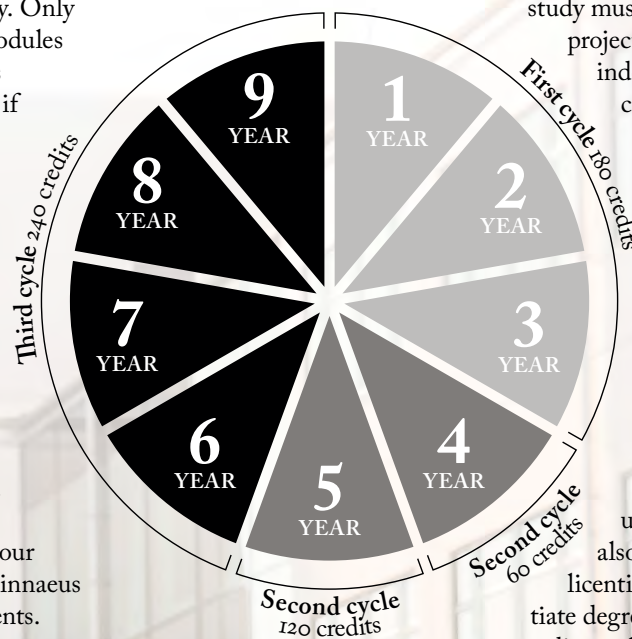
A master's degree (60 credits) is awarded after completing 60 credits at second cycle, of which 30 credits must be in the main field of study. The main field of study must include an independent project of at least 15 credits. A bachelor's degree or the equivalent is required for admission to a master programme.

Second cycle, master's degree (120 credits)

A master's degree (120 credits) is awarded after completing 120 credits at second cycle, of which 60 credits must be in the main field of study. The main field of study must also include one independent project of at least 30 credits, or two independent projects of at least 15 credits each. A bachelor's degree or the equivalent is required for admission to a master programme.

Third cycle, doctoral degree (240 credits)

A doctorate degree is awarded after completing 240 credits at third cycle, of which a minimum of 120 credits consists of a doctoral thesis. A doctoral programme usually lasts for four years. It is also possible to enrol in a two-year licentiate degree programme. A licentiate degree is awarded after completing 120 credits at third cycle, of which a minimum of 60 credits consists of an independent project. All third cycle programmes include course work, an independent project and research collaboration with supervisors.



Please note that you need to apply for a degree after finishing your studies at Linnaeus University. A degree is never awarded automatically.

Join our Summer Academy

An international, intercultural and interdisciplinary summer academy – unique of its kind in Sweden. Through our Summer Academy you will get a feeling for what it is like to study at Linnaeus University. You get the opportunity to gain unique academic experience in an intercultural setting, something that will enhance your CV and future career. The combination of lectures and workshops within your own course and weekly interdisciplinary sessions for all participants at the academy, provide opportunities for new contacts and cultural insights – both from other students and from local and global business representatives.

Courses are offered on undergraduate and graduate level, and run from mid-July to mid-August.

Examples of courses offered at Linnaeus University Summer Academy previous years are: Art and outdoor painting, Beginner's Swedish, part I, Creativity, Entrepreneurship and Innovation – in a Swedish context, Discovery of a sustainable Baltic Sea, and Glass design.

Join our Summer Academy in one of the most attractive summer cities in Sweden, Kalmar! Apply on the website [Universityadmissions.se](https://www.universityadmissions.se), no later than February 15.

Summer Academy scholarship

Tuition fee-paying students can apply for a scholarship that will cover the entire cost of the tuition fees as well as living expenses. The deadline to apply for scholarships is March 1.

You can, for example, study courses within:

- Art and Landscape Painting
- Biology
- English
- Entrepreneurship
- Environmental Technology
- Intercultural Communication
- Psychology
- Sport Science

For more information about the Summer Academy and the courses offered in 2018, visit our website [Lnu.se/en](https://www.lnu.se/en).

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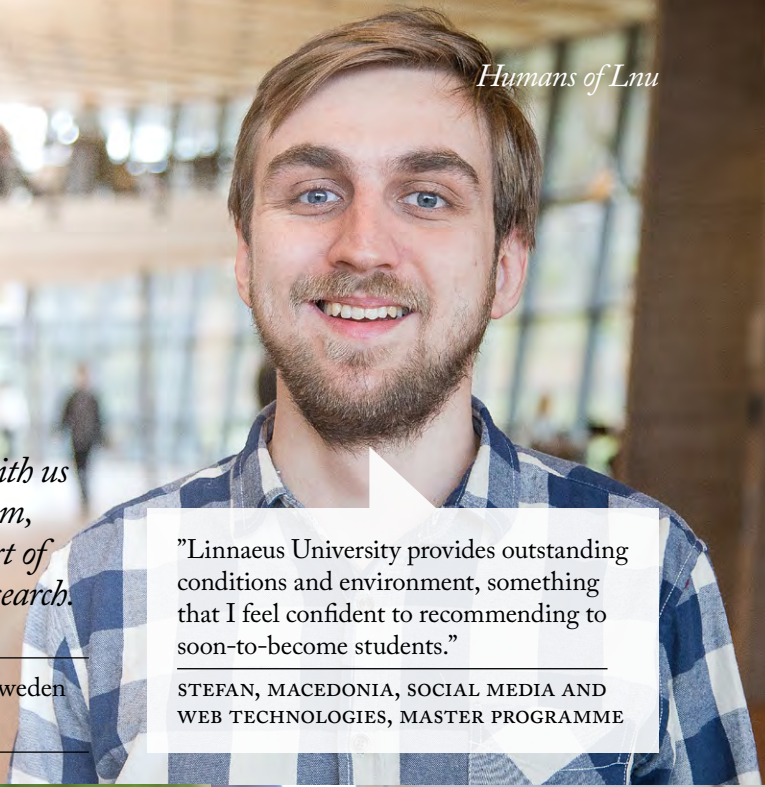
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"Linnaeus University provides outstanding conditions and environment, something that I feel confident to recommending to soon-to-become students."

STEFAN, MACEDONIA, SOCIAL MEDIA AND WEB TECHNOLOGIES, MASTER PROGRAMME



"The university facilities are truly world class. The university always has what is best for its students in mind and constantly work to develop its equipment for students. The university library is a great place to hang out and, like all other buildings at the university, offers free WiFi."

RAJIB, BANGALDESH, INFORMATION SYSTEMS, MASTER PROGRAMME



"It's truly an international university with a mixed culture – you get to meet many students from all around the world."

STEFI, INDONESIA, TOURISM AND SUSTAINABILITY, MASTER PROGRAMME



"If you are looking to work in a team, with different disciplines, and want to experience how it is to work in an actual job, where you have several departments collaborating with each other, this would be the right programme to take before you step into the labour market."

NAINA, INDIA, INNOVATION THROUGH BUSINESS, ENGINEERING AND DESIGN, MASTER PROGRAMME



"To study in an intercultural environment means personal growth and developing different perspectives. Sweden is a country where freedom, equality and respect count. Right from the start, you feel sense of belonging here."

GÜLSAH, TURKEY, SUMMER ACADEMY



Kalmar and Växjö are easily reached by car, bus, train or plane. It is possible to fly directly from Stockholm to both Kalmar and Växjö, and there are direct train connections with Stockholm and Copenhagen several times a day.

Estimated travel time (by train):
Copenhagen–Växjö 2.5 hrs / Kalmar 3.5 hrs
Stockholm–Växjö 3.5 hrs / Kalmar 4.5 hrs
Malmö–Växjö 2 hrs / Kalmar 3 hrs
Gothenburg–Växjö 3 hrs / Kalmar 4 hrs

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