

Häme University of Applied Sciences (HAMK) Global Education



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HAMK EDUCATIONAL PRODUCTS

WHO WE ARE

Professional higher education institution
7000 students from 60 countries
Extensive reference list of transnational education services and projects in Europe, Latin America, Africa and Asia

WHAT WE OFFER

Degree-awarding education (BA and MA)	Professional development programs
Applied research and development (List of publications)	Consultation services
	Capacity building projects

FOR WHOM

Governmental and regional development organizations	Other educational organizations and companies and businesses
Higher education institutions Vocational education providers	Please visit our Global Education website and see our references



HAMK EDUCATIONAL PRODUCTS

EXPERTISE AREAS

- ❖ Teacher, special needs teacher, and guidance counsellor education; early childhood teacher education
- ❖ Bioeconomy: forestry, sustainable development, agriculture, cleantech, food engineering, built environment, and horticultures
- ❖ Engineering and development of digital technology and service business
- ❖ Wellbeing: nursing, social services, and health care development and management
- ❖ Entrepreneurship and innovation



[Blogs on professional development](#)



HAMK VISION FOR 2020

HAMK offers the most inspiring
higher education and the most
work-related research activities.



MISSION

- HAMK is the only higher education institution in the region.
- HAMK performs its statutory duties in a novel and unique way:
 - the student is the centre of all activities
 - the workplace is the immediate beneficiary
 - we are an active member of the surrounding community: we are successful and the region is successful

HAMK – Key figures 2017



Quality



In higher education, the Finnish Higher Education Evaluation Council (FINEEC) audits the quality assurance systems of Finnish higher education institutions (both universities and universities of applied sciences). FINEEC is an independent expert body assisting higher education institutions and the Ministry of Education and Culture in matters relating to evaluation. The Council Members represent universities, universities of applied sciences, students and world of work.

FINEEC is a member of several worldwide organizations related to quality assurance and adheres to their standards.

HAMK passed the most recent, *international*, quality audit in 2016. The audits are conducted every six years.

School of Professional Teacher Education



- Authorized by the government of Finland to provide pedagogical qualifications
- The largest of such schools in Finland in terms of student intake
- Coordinator of many national development projects linking numerous higher education institutions in Finland and internationally
- FASE/Finnish Academy for Excellence in Skills – special status from the Ministry of Education and Culture

Teacher Education Forum

- Minister of Education and Culture Sanni Grahn-Laasonen set a forum for the years 2016-2018
- Involves all the stakeholders (HEI:s, unions)
- Chair Professor Jari Lavonen University of Helsinki, Vice chair Dean Seija Mahlamäki-Kultanen HAMK
- Targets: Development plan for initial and in-service teacher education and development

Programmes of Study and Services



Professional Teacher Education Programme
Special Needs Teacher Education Programme
Student Counsellor Education Programme



Research Centre for professional and Higher Education Excellence
International Educational Development Projects
Research and Consultation Services



Tailored continuing teacher education programmes for
teachers in Finland and abroad
Finnish Academy for Excellence in Skills (FASE)

Professional Teacher Competences

1. Operates in open learning environments

2. Develops pedagogical practice / methods

3. Applies technology in education

4. Leads learning processes

5. Researches education

6. Anticipates changes in the operational environment

7. Forms professional networks

8. Follows current trends in the globalized world



Brasilia



List of Priorities of Cooperation between Brazil and Finland



Kazakhstan

- Bolashak fellowship programme sponsored by the Kazakh government – HAMK become a service provider in 2014, 21 teachers trained
- Nazerbayev Intellectual Schools continuing education (e.g. librarian training, academic research writing)
- World Bank Nursing education reform – upgrade to European qualifications standard
- Astana World Expo 2017

Это стало большим подарком для всей педагогической общественности области.



