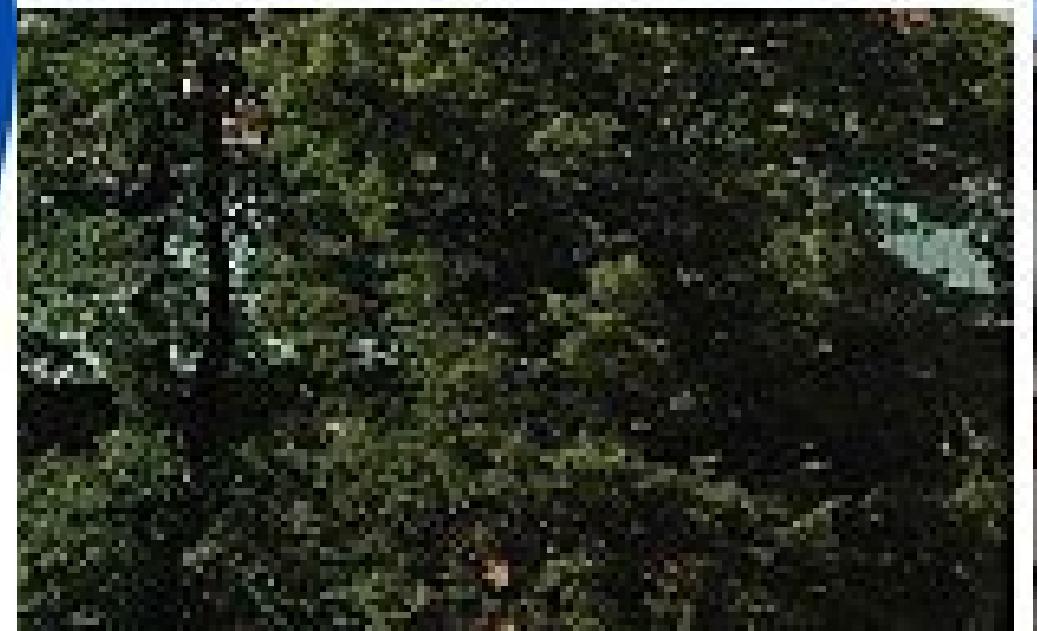
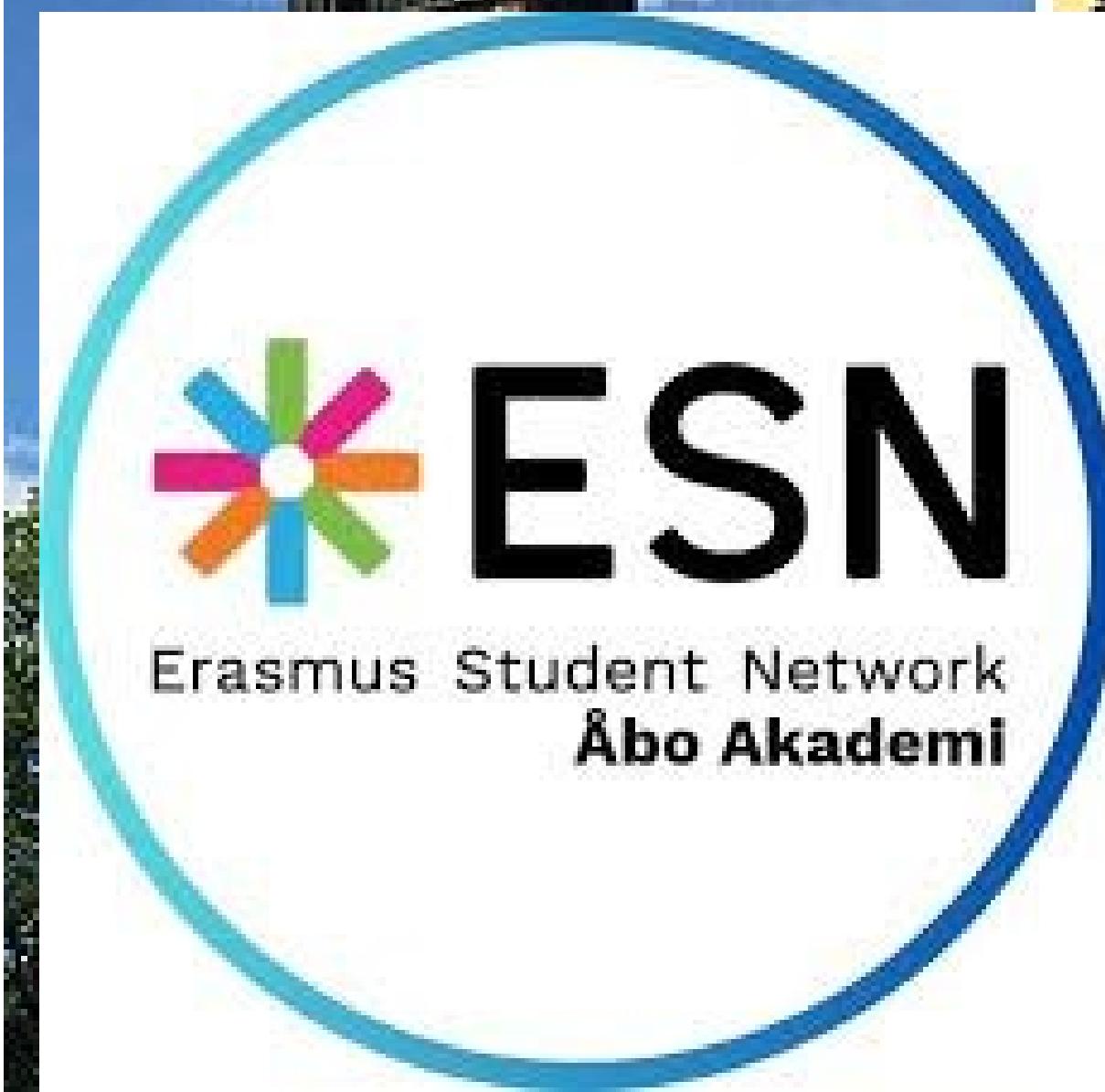


ESN Åbo akademi

welcome

presentation



Erasmus Student Network

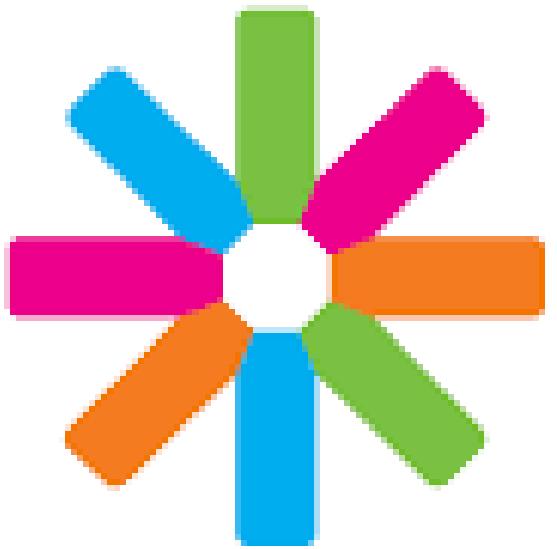
Founded in 1989

One of the biggest student associations in Europe and the world.

We are present in more than 1000 Higher Education Institutions from 45 countries.

3 levels → local, national, and international.

The network is constantly developing and expanding. We have around 15,000 active members that are in many sections supported by so called buddies mainly taking care of international students. Thus, ESN involves around 40,000 young people offering its services to around 350,000 international students every year.



ESN

Erasmus Student Network

 CEP

Central European Platform

 NEP

Northern European Platform

 SEEP

South-Eastern European Platform

 SWEP

South-Western European Platform

 WEP

Western European Platform

www.esn.org


ESN objective as an organisation

- works in the interest of international students
- works to improve the social and practical integration of international students
- represents the needs and rights of international students on the local, national, and international level
- provides relevant information about mobility programmes
- motivates students to study abroad
- works with the reintegration of homecoming students
- contributes to the improvement and accessibility of student mobility
- cares about its members
- values volunteering and active citizenship



ESN Åbo Akademi

ESN vid Åbo Akademi r.f. (also known as ESN Åbo Akademi or ESN ÅA) is the official ESN section of the Erasmus Student Network at Åbo Akademi University, the only Swedish -speaking multidisciplinary university in Finland. It was founded 1994 and is the second oldest ESN Section in Finland.

Together with ESN Uni Turku, it is one of the two ESN sections currently active in Åbo (Turku, in Finnish).

ESN ÅA helps local exchange students, to get enjoyable cultural and social experiences while they are here, in Turku. Foster inclusivity in student circles, and help exchange students in anyway we can. we organize many type of events, and activities such as

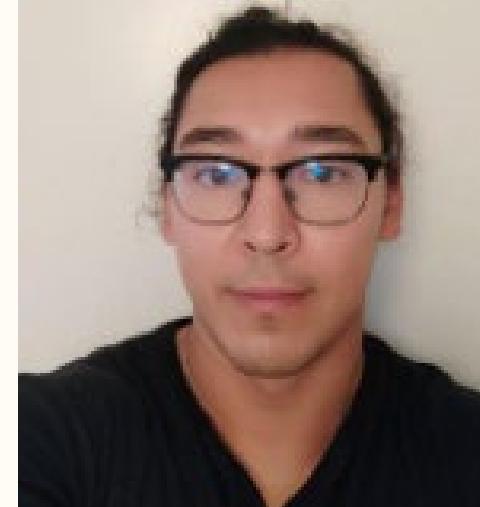
- Cultural Events
- International food night
- Traditional Finnish Sauna Experience
- Social Events
- Themed parties
- Movie nights / Board games
- Adventure & outdoors
- Hiking Trips / Escape Forest / Mushroom Picking
- Ice skating/skiing/climbing/other sport events
- <https://www.instagram.com/esnaboakademi/>

Our Board Members 2026

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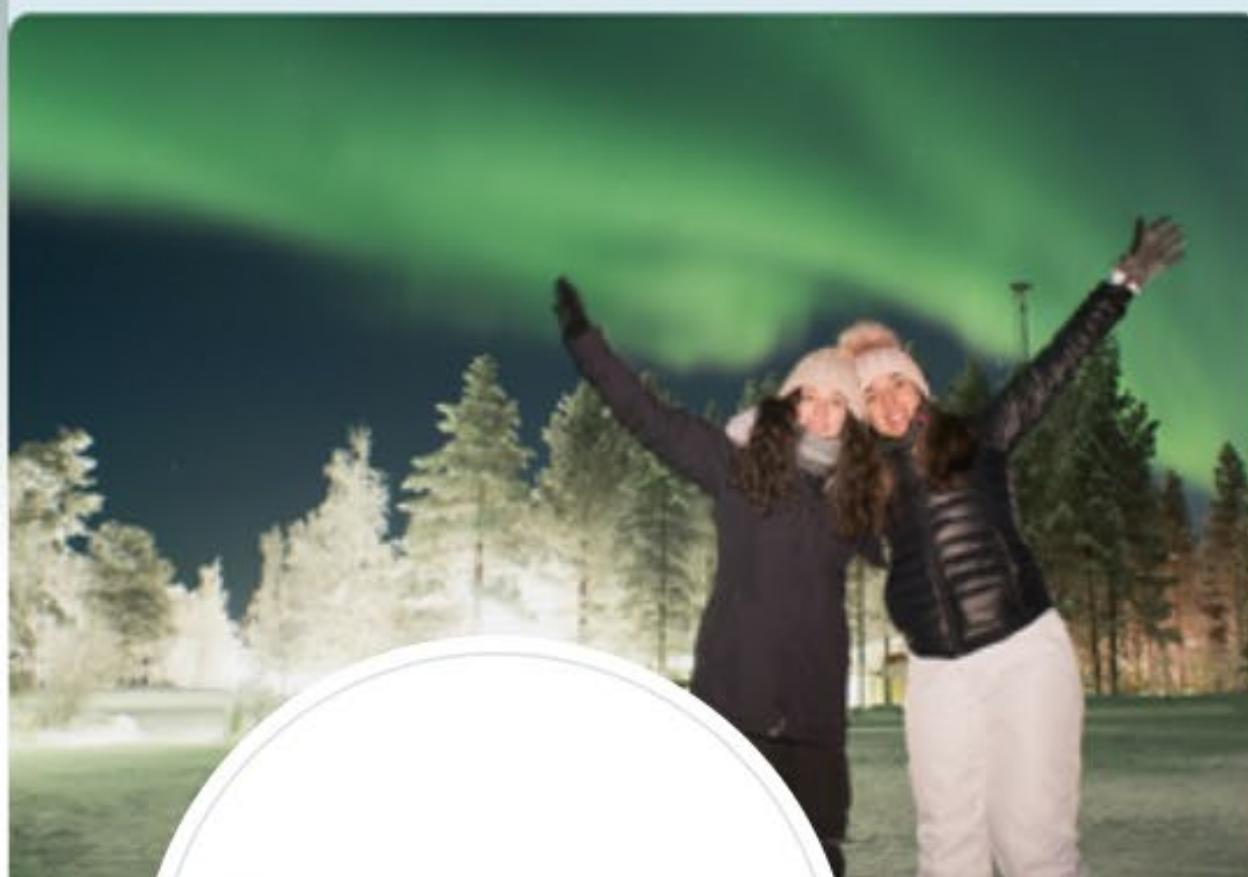


Monarch
Their Majesty, Aura the
almighty

Disney and Harry Potter Sitz



(Disney sitz is an spring
semester 22.1 & Harry Potter is
an autumn

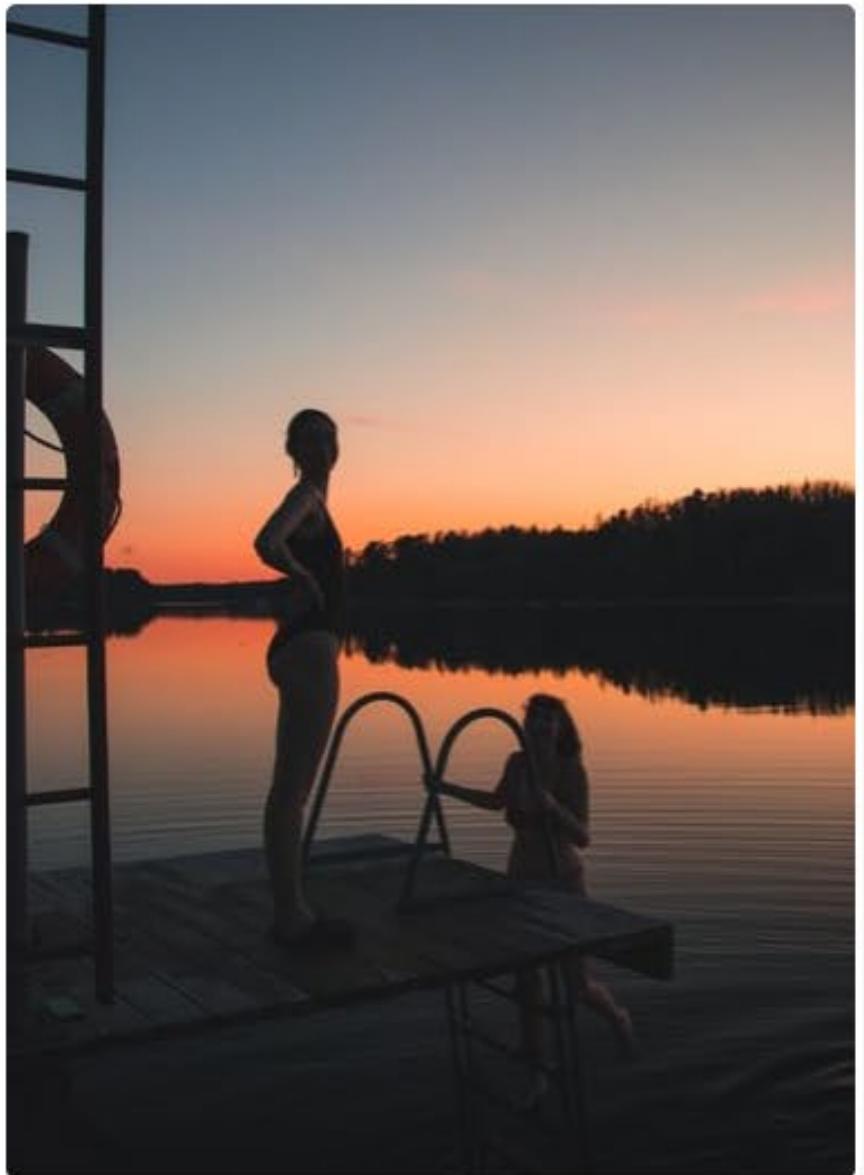


ESN ÅBO Akademi organises trips within Finland and Europe, many in collaboration with **TIMETRAVELS**.

<https://www.timetravels.com/student-trips/finland/esn-finland.html?page=1>



 SCAN ME!



Turku archipelago explorer

Date unconfirmed



SCAN ME!



ESN Åbo Akademi Baltic countries explorer from Helsinki

8 different activities you can buy

Wed, 15.04.2025– Sun, 19.4.2026
from Helsinki to Tallinn, 1 night in Riga, 1 night in Vilnius
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ESN Åbo Akademi Adventure trip to Lofoten
Henningsvaer, Kabelvåg, Lofoten Islands, Norway
Duration 6 nights
Activity up to 7 items

10.05.2025 – Sun, 16.05.2025

Tallin trip

Date Unconfirmed

Price early bird 150-160 €
include

buss from Turku to Helsinki

Ferry from Helsinki to Tallin

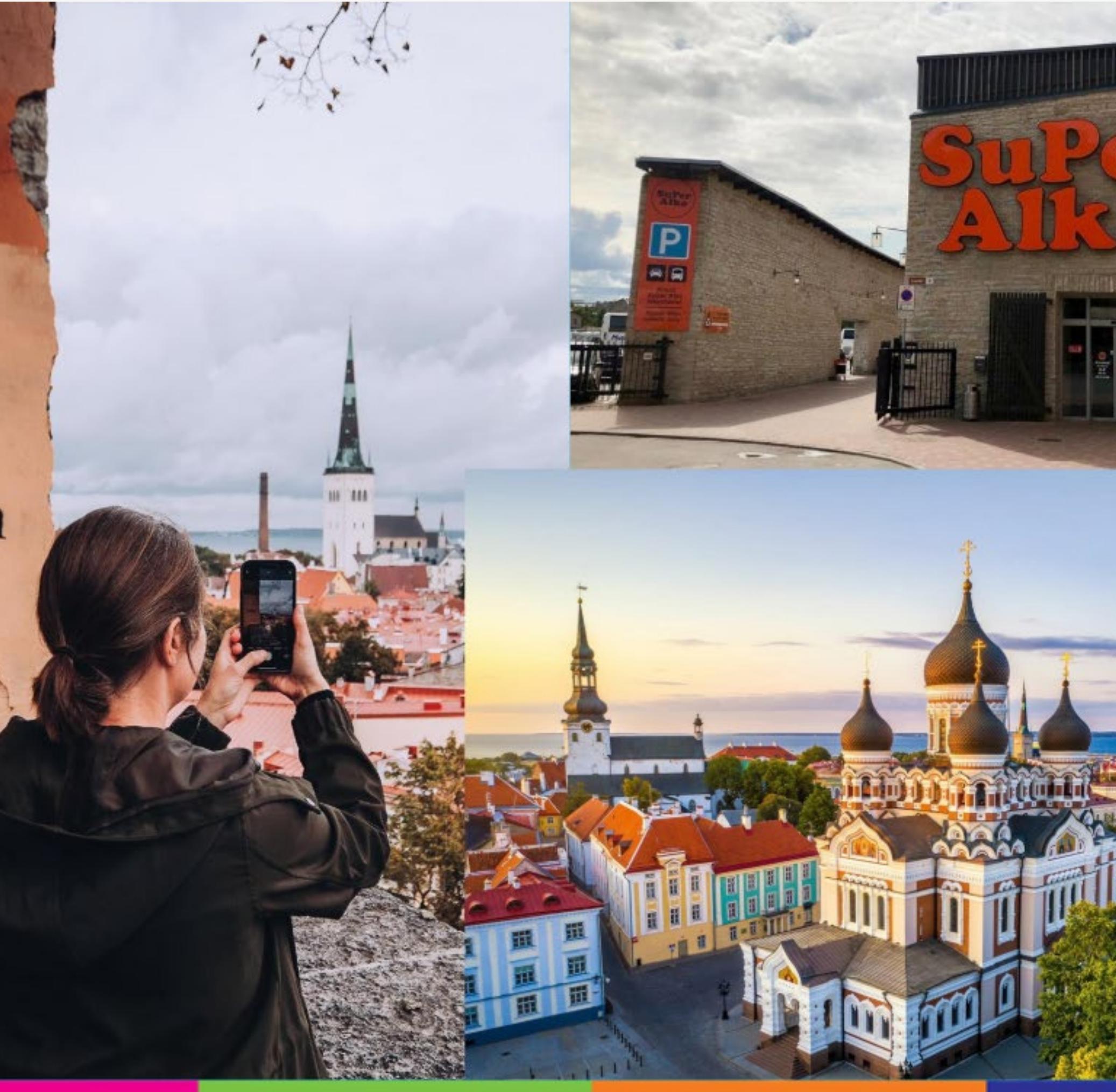
Hostel accommodations

City tour

An Pub crawl/treasure hunt

Karaoke evening

Great event to get to know your
Erasmus friends and explore
Tallinn



Pirates of the Baltic Sea

date unconfirmed

Activities like

- Treasure hunt
- ship crawl
- face painting
- speed dating/friending
- Pirate pong and bingo
- costume competition
- karaoke
- live performances and dancing



ESN Pirates of the Baltic Sea

Ahtela Cottage weekend

Probably will be organized on end of april or june
early bird tickets 45ish €

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We will go to Ahtela camping area that is over 40 hectares and the buildings located around the area hold facilities for activities, accommodation, meetings, and dining, as well as washrooms and saunas.

Price include 3 meals, transportation from Turku to Ahtela, and back, accommodations, patch, events such as sauna, cottage olympic games, karaoke, and dance party.

8 cottages that can accommodate over a 100 people

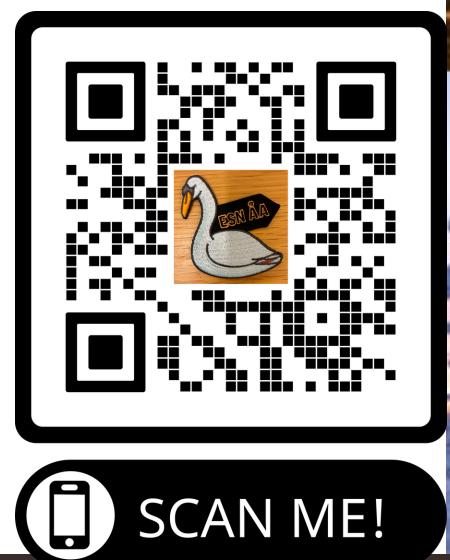
- [Kutteri](#) (meeting room for 40 people)
- [Majakka](#) (kitchen/dining room for 200 people)
- 3 grill gazebos
- campfire spots
- outdoor water supply points (in summer)
- canopies for dining or for arts and crafts
- an outdoor theatre
- a paved multipurpose court
- a soccer field
- 2 volleyball fields
- orienteering routes
- a frisbee golf course (9)
- canoes and rowing boats + life vests
- and of course a beach for swimming and a landing stage for boats!



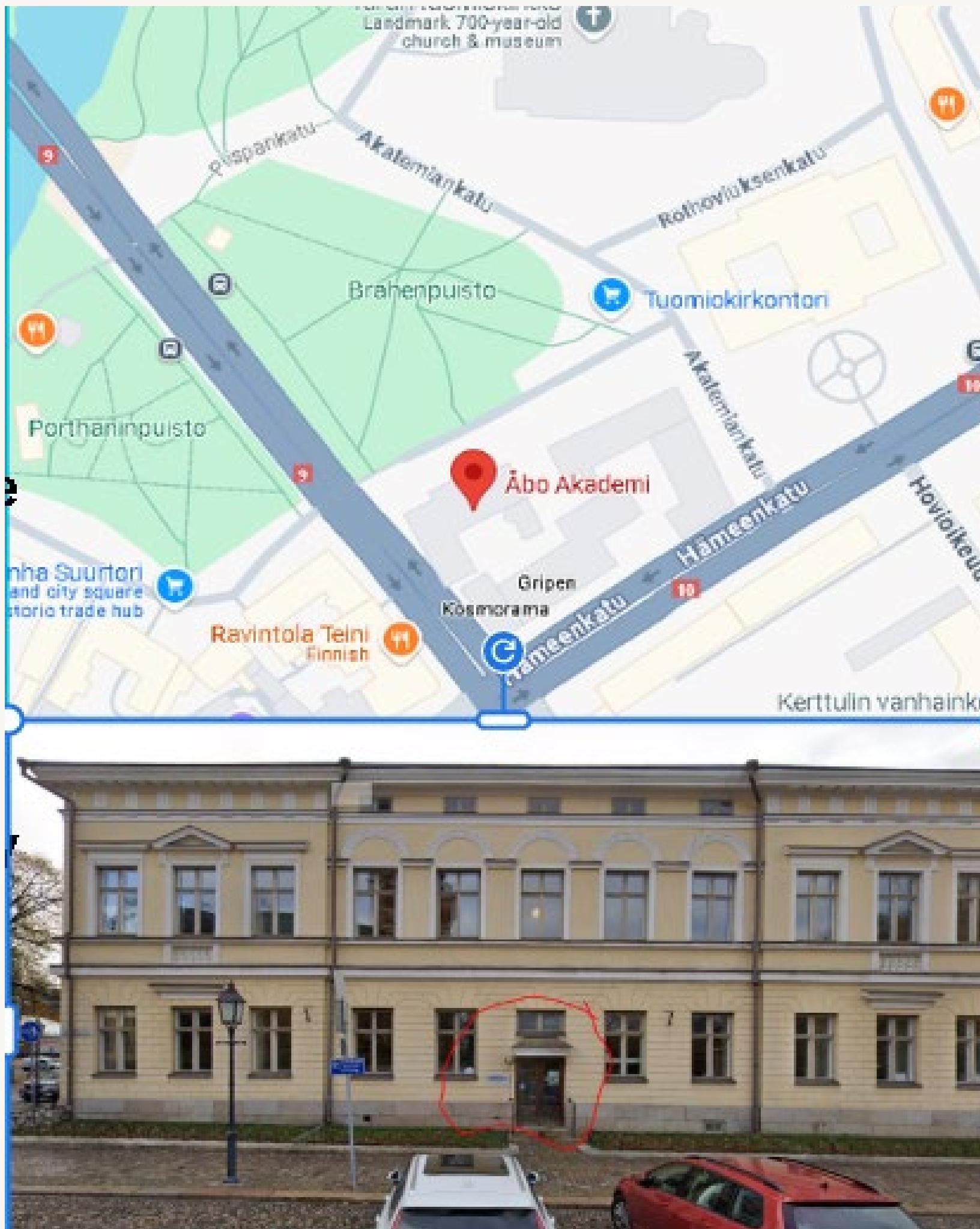
ESN Åbo Akademi Adventure to Northern Lapland, Saariselkä

Thu, 19.2.2026–Wed, 25.2.2026

There are 19 different activity options that you can choose to buy



ESN Åbo - Akademi office opening hours and location



If you want to become an ESN member or buy overalls or just come get some info. You can come the ESN Åbo Akademi office during our office hours or during an event there. Our offices are located next to the Tuomiokirkon cathedral

Address Geologicum, Tuomiokirkontori 1 office on the 2nd Floor, 20500 Turku'

It is about 800 meters away from Åbo Akademi campus building just a 10 minute walk away

Office hours are usually weekly and we will have bi-weekly game night there.



ESN Card 12 €
Free Sim
Overall 35€
Patches from events
and
can be bought at the
ESN office
Discounts from
events and trips
See all discounts at
esncard.org

ESN CARD BENEFITS

Skärgårdsbaren - Saaristobari

- Pizza for 8€
- 20% off Tap drinks
- 20% off Bottled drinks

Aura Perk Café

- 10% off on all items for all ESN card holders
- €1.50 Filter Coffee for all ESN card holders (approximately 50% off the regular price)

Marilyn

- Marilyn + Vegas free VIP Card

*ESN Card holders get exclusive discounts on ESN organized events.

*Vouchers may be redeemable a limited amount of times.

But wait there's more!

Be sure to register your card and check out all the benefits through the ESN Organization website:

<https://esncard.org/discover/list>

Typing "Finland" in the search bar will show you the benefits you have here. 17

Some of the benefits may not appear yet updated in the website.

Ryanair

- 10% on flight bookings

Timetravels

- Discounts for ESN Members

DNA

- Free SIM Card

Föli card

- student discount with ESN card

ESN board and active member

If you want to be more involved with ESN you can join the board or become and active member. Help us organize fun events and trip to give better experience for the students

Benefits of active membership

Free entrance to themed parties and social gatherings Opportunities to join group trips and adventures. Access to cultural events, workshops, and performances

Networking with like - minded individuals. Priority updates on upcoming activities.

Also volunteer work looks good on you job applications

How to Join

Complete the membership registration form. Attend an orientation session to learn about upcoming events. Participate actively and contribute to the community spirit.

Get Involved

For board we announce general meeting time on our social with info so you can apply, we will have a general meeting in middle January so be ready to send CV and why you would be good for a certain board position



Instagram



476 posts 2,456 followers 382 following

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