

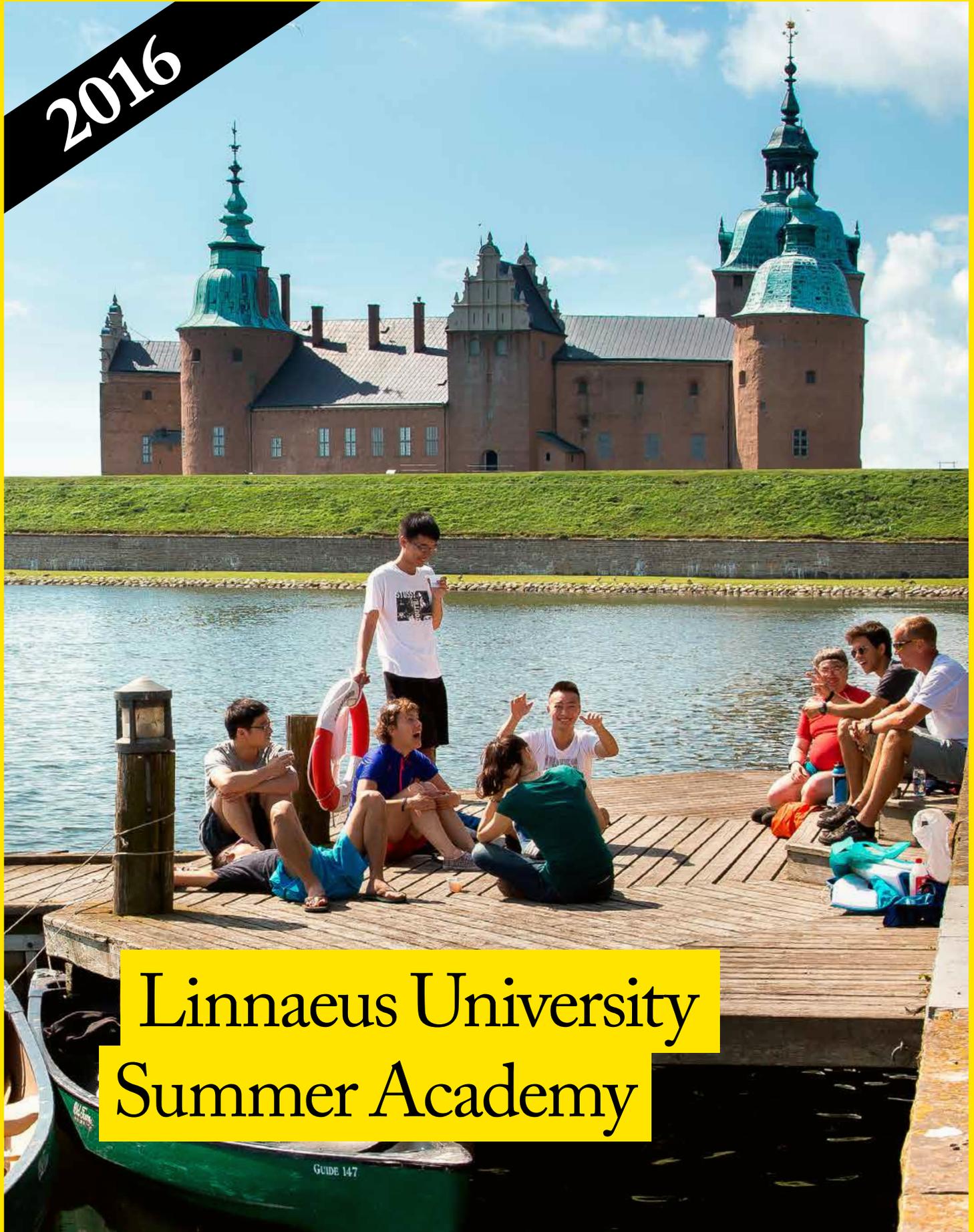
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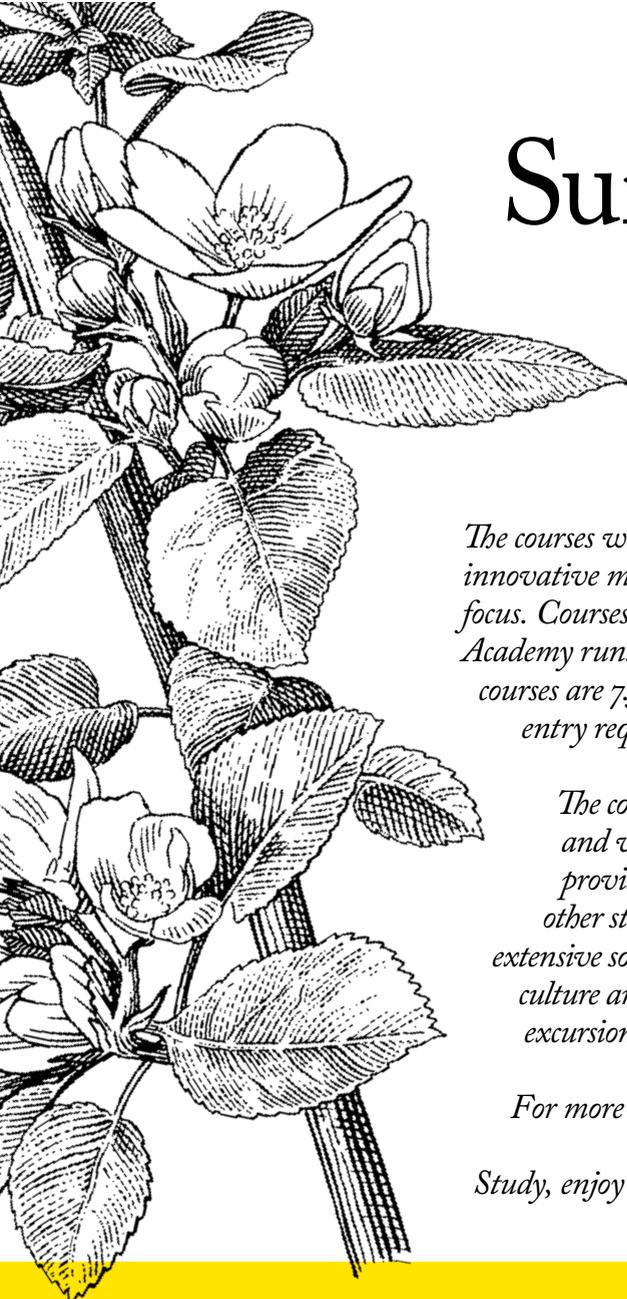
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**2016**



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# Summer Academy

JULY 7 – AUGUST 12, 2016

*Linnaeus University Summer Academy offers an international, intercultural and interdisciplinary study environment – unique of its kind in Sweden.*

*The courses within our Summer Academy originate in Swedish culture and an innovative mindset. They are workshop-oriented and have a strong student focus. Courses are offered on undergraduate and graduate level. The Summer Academy runs in the beautiful medieval city of Kalmar, one of our study sites. All courses are 7.5 credit full-time courses, taught in English and many have general entry requirements.*

*The combination of lectures and workshops within the student's 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. An extensive social programme will contribute to an increased knowledge of Swedish culture and society. The programme offers organised day-trips and weekend excursions as well as outdoor and sports activities, and cultural events.*

*For more information: [www.lnu.se/summeracademy](http://www.lnu.se/summeracademy)*

*Study, enjoy Sweden and grow as a person – join our Summer Academy!*

## The region as a base, the world as a stage!

Linnaeus University has taken its name from Carl Linnaeus, the most famous and world-renowned Swedish scientist of the last few centuries. Carl Linnaeus was curious and innovative – the key values at our 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.

Linnaeus University has a long tradition of offering degree programmes and courses in English, attracting more than 1,600 international students every year. In the summer of 2014, we introduced Linnaeus University Summer Academy.

As a student participating in our Summer Academy you will get the opportunity to achieve unique academic experience that will enhance your CV and your further career. You will also make new contacts and gain cultural insights from Swedish students as well as international students and students with different disciplinary backgrounds. It will take place in a season when the town of Kalmar, and Sweden as a whole, is at its very best.

We welcome you to participate in Linnaeus University Summer Academy – a place that makes people grow!





Nils Nilsson, Vice-Rector

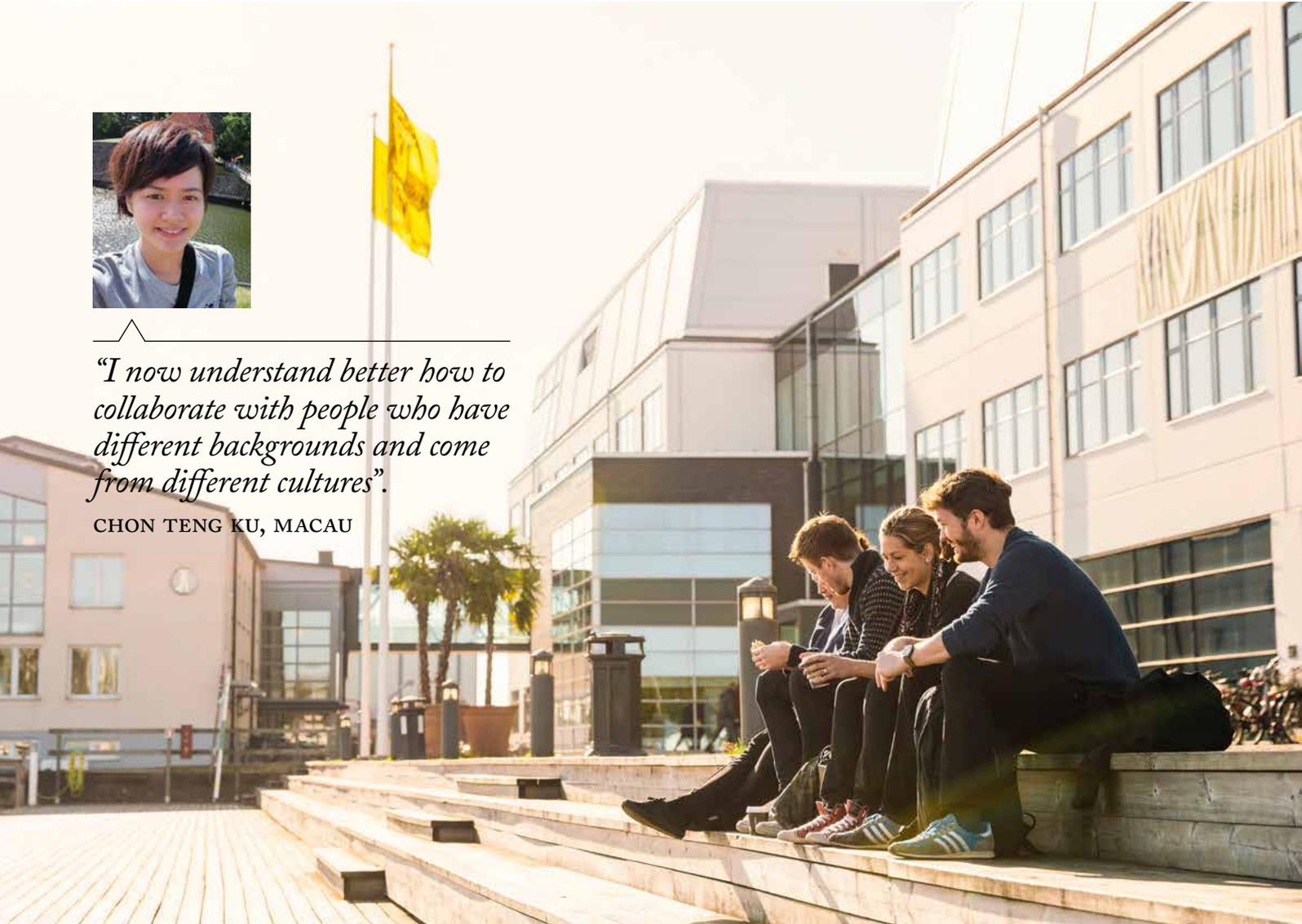


Anneli Andersson, Project Manager



*"I now understand better how to collaborate with people who have different backgrounds and come from different cultures".*

CHON TENG KU, MACAU



## *First-cycle studies (undergraduate level)*

### Art and Landscape painting

7.5 CREDITS

Study art and outdoor landscape painting in the midst of the exotic island of Öland and follow an interesting era of modernist painters from the late 19th century up till today. You will learn the basics of scetching and painting both in a studio and outdoor on Öland. There will also be lectures of the rich cultural history of art and its traditions from Öland.

*Prerequisites:*\* General entry requirements

*Main field of study:* Art

*Tuition fee:* SEK 13,450 (≈ EUR 1,400)\*\*

### Beginner's Swedish, part 1

7.5 CREDITS

This course will equip you with basic knowledge of Swedish. You will learn some of the basic vocabulary and the key structures of Swedish, but you will also start to practice the language and your communicative abilities. After the course, there are several continuation courses in Swedish at Linnaeus University.

*Prerequisites:*\* General entry requirements

*Main field of study:* Swedish Language

*Tuition fee:* SEK 10,625 (≈ EUR 1,100)\*\*

### Creativity, Entrepreneurship and Innovation – in a Swedish context

7.5 CREDITS

The course will introduce the phenomena of entrepreneurship and inspire the student to develop an entrepreneurial mind-set and competence. The student will acquire skills in *the art of seeing and acting on opportunities*. During the course the group will meet IKEA in order to uncover the "secrets" of their inimitable and entrepreneurial Business model.

*Prerequisites:*\* General entry requirements

*Main field of study:* Business Administration

*Tuition fee:* SEK 10,625 (≈ EUR 1,100)\*\*



*"The lectures and seminars were always full of discussions and shared experiences, and our lecturers really found the perfect balance between teaching and group work".*

TILL PETER SIEMSEN, GERMANY

\* All courses require English language skills corresponding to English B/6, IELTS or TOEFL or the equivalent.

\*\* Check the current exchange rate for exact information on tuition fee in euro. Tuition fees do *not* apply for EU/EEA citizens.

## Discovery of a sustainable Baltic Sea

7.5 CREDITS

Is the Baltic Sea area becoming the world's first Ecoregion where ecology and economy work together to sustain societies and culture? You will explore a wide range of innovations and success stories to face challenges to sustainability in health, ecosystems, cities, climate change, energy, maritime transport, water use, education and life-long learning.

*Prerequisites.\** General entry requirements and specific entry requirements: 60 credits in one of the relevant fields of study: Environmental Sciences, Biology, Aquatic Ecology, Maritime Sciences, Health Sciences, Economics, Environmental Engineering, Education or the equivalent

*Main field of study:* Cross-disciplinary Environmental Sciences, Biology, Aquatic Ecology, Maritime Sciences, Economics, Environmental Engineering, Health Sciences, Education

*Tuition fee:* SEK 16,250 (≈ EUR 1,700)\*\*

## English for academic studies

7.5 CREDITS

The course focuses on improving your core academic English skills as to prepare you for further studies at Linnaeus University. The course will enrich your academic study skills and will enhance your qualification for employment purposes.

*Prerequisites.\** General entry requirements

*Main field of study:* English Language

*Tuition fee:* SEK 10,625 (≈ EUR 1,100)\*\*

## Glass Design

7.5 CREDITS

Study Design and Glass right in the center of the Swedish Kingdom of Crystal. Our School of Design has over ten years of teaching experience in this field. You gain experience in our workshops and work side by side with master glassblowers. We will make both art glass and tableware. A background in design is desirable but there is no need for experience in glass.

*Prerequisites.\** General entry requirements

*Main field of study:* Design

*Tuition fee:* SEK 32,500 (≈ EUR 3,500)\*\*



## Globalization, Politics and Social Media

7.5 CREDITS

Globalization is a major transformation of interaction among citizens, companies, civil societies, media, and states. This course explores views on the relationship between the internet and global power, how the Internet impacts global systems and how global actors use the Internet to either preserve or disrupt these systems.

*Prerequisites.\** General entry requirements

*Main field of study:* Political Science

*Tuition fee:* SEK 10,625 (≈ EUR 1,100)\*\*



*“We got the opportunity to do real practical work, not only a quick try at glassblowing, but we really got to know and understand the material”.*

JOHANNA MATTSSON, SWEDEN

## Outdoor leisure and sport in the Swedish landscape

7.5 CREDITS

Outdoor activities and sports are an increasing part of the outdoor recreation today. This course will provide you knowledge in an interdisciplinary perspective on nature's opportunities for physical activity, outdoor recreation and sport with focus on the sustainable use of the nature resources.

*Prerequisites.\** General entry requirements

*Main field of study:* Sport Science

*Tuition fee:* SEK 16,250 (≈ EUR 1,700)\*\*

## Sustainable innovation in the building sector

7.5 CREDITS

Technological innovations, energy efficiency and behavioral changes are necessary for a sustainable built environment. But there are challenges; the building sector changes slowly. Join the course to be an ambassador of future development of the built environment. You get both theoretical perspectives and examples of best practices.

*Prerequisites.\** General entry requirements

*Main field of study:* Building Technology

*Tuition fee:* SEK 16,250 (≈ EUR 1,700)\*\*



## Writing a scientific essay – genre and methods. A preparation for higher education

7,5 CREDITS

This course aims to develop scientific writing skill of students, which is an essential requirement for academic success and transition to higher education. The course teaches you the principles of scientific writing, from formulating research topic, structuring an essay, designing research method, to concluding result and writing reference list.

*Prerequisites.\** General entry requirements

*Main field of study:* Social Science and Health Care Science

*Tuition fee:* SEK 10,625 (≈ EUR 1,100)\*\*

### *Second-cycle studies (graduate level)*

## International Business Simulation

7,5 CREDITS

Would you like to run your own multinational company?

This course teaches several managerial disciplines such as marketing, strategy, finance, management and production in a practical way. It gives a comprehensive view of international business and challenges you to actually make all the decisions.

*Prerequisites.\** General entry requirements for second-cycle studies and specific entry requirements: 90 credits in Business Administration or the equivalent

*Main field of study:* Business Administration

*Tuition fee:* SEK 10,625 (≈ EUR 1,100)\*\*

## The Nordic Welfare Model in a Global Context

7,5 CREDITS

The Scandinavian countries and perhaps Sweden in particular, have frequently been singled out as the most successful contemporary example of a transformation of a harsh industrial class society into an advanced human welfare society. In focus are the workings of the current formal Nordic system(s) of social welfare; equality, justice and solidarity.

*Prerequisites.\** General entry requirements for second-cycle studies and specific entry requirements: 90 credits in Sociology or another relevant subject within the Social Sciences

*Main field of study:* Sociology, Public Policy, Cross-disciplinary Social Sciences

*Tuition fee:* SEK 10,625 (≈ EUR 1,100)\*\*





### Close to everything

Linnæus University pursues teaching and research in Kalmar and Vaxjö in south-east Sweden. Both cities are easily reached by car, bus, train or plane. There are direct flights from Stockholm as well as train connections with Stockholm and Copenhagen several times a day.

### Estimated travelling time to Kalmar (by train):

Copenhagen – 3,5 hrs  
Stockholm – 4,5 hrs  
Malmö – 2,5 hrs  
Gothenburg – 4 hrs

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