

# Opasraportti

## FTech - Courses in English for exchange students (2018 - 2019)

### Courses in English for exchange students at the Oulu School of Architecture

This Course Catalogue lists courses taught in English that are available for exchange students at the Oulu School of Architecture during academic year 2018-19.

When preparing your study plan please use the information provided under the **Courses** tab in this catalogue. Read carefully the information of each course you wish to take (language of instruction, target group, course content, timing, preceding studies, additional information etc.).

For information on the exchange application process please see [www.oulu.fi/university/studentexchange](http://www.oulu.fi/university/studentexchange). All exchange applicants must submit their exchange application through SoleMOVE by the deadline given, proposed study plan is attached to the on-line application.

Accepted exchange students are required to register to all planned courses. Course registration takes place once you have received your University of Oulu login information, this takes place close to the start of your exchange period. When registering you will be able to find detailed information on teaching and schedule under **Instruction** tab.

#### Teaching periods for 2018-19

##### Autumn term 2018

Period 1: Sept 3 - Oct 19, 2018

Period 2: Oct 29 – Dec 21, 2018

##### Spring term 2019

Period 3: Jan 7 – March 1, 2019

Period 4: March 11 – May 10, 2019

For arrival and orientation dates see [www.oulu.fi/university/studentexchange/academic-calender](http://www.oulu.fi/university/studentexchange/academic-calender)

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Further information on application process and services for incoming exchange students:  
[www.oulu.fi/university/studentexchange](http://www.oulu.fi/university/studentexchange) or international.office(at)oulu.fi

## Tutkintorakenteisiin kuulumattomat opintokokonaisuudet ja -jaksot

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 452504A: Contemporary Architecture IV, 15 op  
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## Opintojaksojen kuvaukset

### Tutkintorakenteisiin kuulumattomien opintokokonaisuuksien ja -jaksojen kuvaukset

#### **455561S: Advanced Studies in Architectural Design, 2 - 10 op**

**Voimassaolo:** 01.08.2015 -

**Opiskelumuoto:** Advanced Studies

**Laji:** Course

**Vastuuyksikkö:** Oulu School of Architecture

**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail

**Opettajat:** Aulikki Herneoja

**Opintokohteen kielet:** Finnish

Ei opintojaksokuvauksia.

#### **900013Y: Beginners' Finnish Course 1, 3 op**

**Voimassaolo:** 01.08.1995 -

**Opiskelumuoto:** Language and Communication Studies

**Laji:** Course

**Vastuuyksikkö:** Languages and Communication

**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail

**Opintokohteen kielet:** Finnish

**Leikkaavuudet:**

ay900013Y Beginners' Finnish Course 1 (OPEN UNI) 2.0 op

**Proficiency level:**

A1.2

**Status:**

The course is intended for the international students in every faculty of Oulu University.

**Required proficiency level:**

A1.1, Completion of the Survival Finnish course (900017Y) or the equivalent language skills.

**ECTS Credits:**

3 ECTS credits

**Language of instruction:**

As much Finnish as possible; English will be used as a help language.

**Timing:**

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**Learning outcomes:**

By the end of the course the student can understand and use some familiar and common everyday expressions relating to her/himself and everyday situations. S/he can interact in a simple way provided the other person talks slowly and clearly and is willing to help. The student is able to read short simple texts and messages dealing with familiar topics. S/he also deepens her/his understanding of the Finnish language and communication styles.

**Contents:**

This is lower elementary course which aims to help students to learn communication skills in ordinary everyday situations. During the course, students broaden their vocabulary and knowledge of grammar and principles of pronunciation. They also practise to understand easy Finnish talk about everyday subjects, and reading and writing short and simple texts/messages.

The topics and communicative situations covered in the course are: talking about oneself, one's family, studies and daily routines, as well as asking about these things from other person, expressing opinions, describing people and things, talking about weather and seasons, the names of the months and colours.

The structures studied are: verb types, basics of the change of the consonants k, p and t in verbs and nouns, the genitive and partitive cases, possessive structure, some declension types for nouns (word types) and the basics of the local cases.

**Mode of delivery:**

Contact teaching and guided self study

**Learning activities and teaching methods:**

Lessons 2 times a week (26 h, including the final exam) and guided self study (55 h)

**Target group:**

International degree and post-graduate degree students and exchange students of the University

**Prerequisites and co-requisites:**

Completion of the Survival Finnish Course

**Recommended optional programme components:**

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**Recommended or required reading:**

Gehring, S. & Heinzmann, S. Suomen mestari 1 (chapters 3 - 5)

**Assessment methods and criteria:**

Regular and active participation in the weekly lessons (twice a week), homework assignments and written exam at the end of the course will be observed in assessment.

Read more about [assessment criteria](#) at the University of Oulu webpage.

**Grading:**

Grading scale is 1-5.

**Person responsible:**

Anne Koskela

**Working life cooperation:**

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**Other information:**

Sign-up in WebOodi. The course will start right after the Survival Finnish course.

**452504A: Contemporary Architecture IV, 15 op**

Voimassaolo: 01.08.2005 -

**Opiskelumuoto:** Intermediate Studies

**Laji:** Course

**Vastuuyksikkö:** Oulu School of Architecture

**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail

**Opettajat:** Mahlamäki Rainer

**Opintokohteen kielet:** Finnish

Ei opintojaksokuvauksia.

### **45522S: Design in Urban Context, 10 op**

**Voimassaolo:** 01.08.2012 -

**Opiskelumuoto:** Advanced Studies

**Laji:** Course

**Vastuuyksikkö:** Oulu School of Architecture

**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail

**Opettajat:** Aulikki Herneoja

**Opintokohteen kielet:** English

Ei opintojaksokuvauksia.

### **A410249: Design of Public Buildings 1, 15 op**

**Voimassaolo:** 01.08.2015 -

**Opiskelumuoto:** Supplementary Module

**Laji:** Study module

**Vastuuyksikkö:** Oulu School of Architecture

**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail

**Opintokohteen kielet:** Finnish

Ei opintojaksokuvauksia.

### **A410250: Design of Public Buildings 2, 15 op**

**Voimassaolo:** 01.08.2015 -

**Opiskelumuoto:** Supplementary Module

**Laji:** Study module

**Vastuuyksikkö:** Oulu School of Architecture

**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail

**Opintokohteen kielet:** Finnish

Ei opintojaksokuvauksia.

#### *Compulsory courses*

### **453533A: Large scale structures, 5 op**

**Voimassaolo:** 01.08.2011 -

**Opiskelumuoto:** Intermediate Studies

**Laji:** Course

**Vastuuyksikkö:** Oulu School of Architecture

**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail

**Opettajat:** Janne Pihlajaniemi  
**Opintokohteen kielet:** Finnish

Ei opintojaksokuvauksia.

#### **455517S: Architectural Lighting, 5 op**

**Voimassaolo:** 01.08.2005 -  
**Opiskelumuoto:** Advanced Studies  
**Laji:** Course  
**Vastuuyksikkö:** Oulu School of Architecture  
**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail  
**Opettajat:** Henrika Pihlajaniemi  
**Opintokohteen kielet:** English

Ei opintojaksokuvauksia.

#### **455517A: Interior Design, 5 - 10 op**

**Voimassaolo:** 01.08.2012 -  
**Opiskelumuoto:** Intermediate Studies  
**Laji:** Course  
**Vastuuyksikkö:** Oulu School of Architecture  
**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail  
**Opettajat:** Aulikki Herneoja  
**Opintokohteen kielet:** Finnish

**Leikkaavuudet:**

ay455517A Interior Design (OPEN UNI) 5.0 op

Ei opintojaksokuvauksia.

#### **A410224: Design-led Urban Renewal, 30 op**

**Voimassaolo:** 01.08.2015 -  
**Opiskelumuoto:** Module of the Option  
**Laji:** Study module  
**Vastuuyksikkö:** Oulu School of Architecture  
**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail  
**Opintokohteen kielet:** English

Ei opintojaksokuvauksia.

#### **900020Y: Finnish for Advanced Students, 4 op**

**Voimassaolo:** 01.08.1995 -  
**Opiskelumuoto:** Language and Communication Studies  
**Laji:** Course  
**Vastuuyksikkö:** Languages and Communication  
**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail  
**Opintokohteen kielet:** Finnish

**Leikkaavuudet:**

ay900020Y Finnish for Advanced Students (OPEN UNI) 4.0 op

Ei opintojaksokuvauksia.

## 900015Y: Intermediate Finnish Course 1, 5 op

**Voimassaolo:** 01.08.1995 -

**Opiskelumuoto:** Language and Communication Studies

**Laji:** Course

**Vastuuyksikkö:** Languages and Communication

**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail

**Opintokohteen kielet:** Finnish

**Leikkaavuudet:**

ay900015Y Intermediate Finnish Course 1 (OPEN UNI) 4.0 op

### **Proficiency level:**

A2.1

### **Status:**

The course is intended for the international students in every faculty of University of Oulu.

### **Required proficiency level:**

A1.3, Completion of the Beginners' Finnish course 2 (900053Y) or the equivalent language skills.

### **ECTS Credits:**

5 ECTS credits

### **Language of instruction:**

Mainly Finnish

### **Timing:**

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### **Learning outcomes:**

By the end of the course the student can communicate in ordinary everyday situations when the topics are familiar or connected with everyday matters. S/he can search for and locate key informational content in different kinds of texts. The student can also identify the topic and some details of the discussion around her/him. S/he can describe activities and personal experiences both orally and in writing and s/he also knows the difference between spoken/colloquial and written/standard language. The student knows how things can be expressed with different degrees of politeness and can apply that information in her/his own communication.

### **Contents:**

The course is a lower intermediate course. During the course students strengthen their communication skills in ordinary everyday situations and acquire a wider vocabulary and more thorough knowledge of grammar. In addition, students practise understanding and producing Finnish talk and reading newspaper articles.

The topics and communicative situations covered in the course are: requesting different kinds of requests, expressing politeness, making appointments with friends, giving directions, doing the shopping, talking about the past and talking about his/her future plans, hobbies, transactions e.g. in the doctor's and post office.

The structures studied are: more about the imperative, the verb rections, the deverbal noun (-minen), passive present tense, part of the plural declension of nouns, the third infinitive (ma-infinitive), more about sentence types, perfect tense, more about object cases.

### **Mode of delivery:**

Contact teaching and guided self study

### **Learning activities and teaching methods:**

Lessons 2 times a week (52 h, including the tests) and guided self study (83 h)

### **Target group:**

International degree and post-graduate degree students, exchange students and the staff members of the University

### **Prerequisites and co-requisites:**

Completion of the Beginners' Finnish Course 2

### **Recommended optional programme components:**

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### **Recommended or required reading:**

Gehring, S. & Heinzmann, S.: **Suomen mestari 2**, (chapters 1 - 5)

### **Assessment methods and criteria:**

Regular and active participation in the weekly lessons (twice a week), homework assignments and the tests will be taken into consideration in the assessment.

Read more about [assessment criteria](#) at the University of Oulu webpage.

**Grading:**

Grading scale is 1-5.

**Person responsible:**

Anne Koskela

**Working life cooperation:**

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**Other information:**

Sign-up in WebOodi. The lessons will be held twice a week during a 13-week period.

## 900016Y: Intermediate Finnish Course 2, 5 op

**Voimassaolo:** 01.08.1995 -

**Opiskelumuoto:** Language and Communication Studies

**Laji:** Course

**Vastuuyksikkö:** Languages and Communication

**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail

**Opintokohteen kielet:** Finnish

**Proficiency level:**

A2.2

**Status:**

The course is intended for the international students in every faculty of University of Oulu.

**Required proficiency level:**

A2.1, Completion of the Intermediate Finnish course 1 (900015Y) or the equivalent language skills.

**ECTS Credits:**

5 ECTS credits

**Language of instruction:**

Finnish

**Timing:**

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**Learning outcomes:**

By the end of the course the student can communicate in various informal situations in Finnish. The student understands the main points of messages and talk around her/him. S/he can produce simple connected text on topics which are familiar or of personal interest and describe experiences and also report heard content to others.

**Contents:**

The course is an upper intermediate course. During the course students learn the necessary written and oral skills to be able to cope in informal situations arising during everyday life, work and study. In the course, students practise understanding more Finnish talk and newspaper articles, and finding information and talking about it to other people. In the classes the main stress is on oral exercises and group work.

The topics and communicative situations covered in the course are: transactions e.g. in clothes shops, at the doctor's and on the phone, Finnish small talk, reacting in different situations, planning a trip and booking e.g. a flight, information and facts about Finland and its history, telling about one's home country and home town, features of colloquial/spoken language.

The structures studied are: the perfect and pluperfect, revision of all the verb tenses, comparison of adjectives, conditional, more about the plural declension of nouns (particularly the plural partitive case), more about object and predicative cases, the passive imperfect.

**Mode of delivery:**

Contact teaching and guided self study

**Learning activities and teaching methods:**

Lessons once a week (52 h, including the tests) and guided self study (83 h)

**Target group:**

International degree and post-graduate degree students, exchange students and the staff members of the University

**Prerequisites and co-requisites:**

Completion of the Intermediate Finnish Course 1

**Recommended optional programme components:**

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**Recommended or required reading:**

Gehring, S. & Heinzmann, S.: **Suomen mestari 2 (chapters 6 - 9)**

**Assessment methods and criteria:**

Regular and active participation in the weekly lessons (twice a week), homework assignments and the tests will be taken into consideration in the assessment.

Read more about [assessment criteria](#) at the University of Oulu webpage.

**Grading:**

Grading scale is 1-5.

**Person responsible:**

Anne Koskela

**Working life cooperation:**

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**Other information:**

Sign-up in WebOodi. The lessons will be held **once a week** during a 13-week period.

## **452505S: International Studio, 15 op**

**Opiskelumuoto:** Advanced Studies

**Laji:** Course

**Vastuuyksikkö:** Oulu School of Architecture

**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail

**Opettajat:** Mahlamäki Rainer

**Opintokohteen kielet:** Finnish

Ei opintojaksokuvauksia.

## **451560S: Research and Theory of Architecture, 2 - 10 op**

**Voimassaolo:** 01.08.2006 -

**Opiskelumuoto:** Advanced Studies

**Laji:** Course

**Vastuuyksikkö:** Oulu School of Architecture

**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail

**Opettajat:** Anna-Maija Ylimaula

**Opintokohteen kielet:** Finnish

Ei opintojaksokuvauksia.

## **451515S: Restoration, 15 op**

**Opiskelumuoto:** Advanced Studies

**Laji:** Course

**Vastuuyksikkö:** Oulu School of Architecture

**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail

**Opettajat:** Özlem Özer-Kemppainen

**Opintokohteen kielet:** Finnish

**Voidaan suorittaa useasti:** Kyllä

Ei opintojaksokuvauksia.

## **900023Y: Structures of the Finnish Language, 4 op**

**Voimassaolo:** 01.08.1995 -

**Opiskelumuoto:** Language and Communication Studies

**Laji:** Course

**Vastuuyksikkö:** Languages and Communication

**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail

**Opintokohteen kielet:** Finnish

Ei opintojaksokuvauksia.

## 900017Y: Survival Finnish, 2 op

**Voimassaolo:** 01.08.1995 -

**Opiskelumuoto:** Language and Communication Studies

**Laji:** Course

**Vastuuyksikkö:** Languages and Communication

**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail

**Opintokohteen kielet:** Finnish

**Leikkaavuudet:**

ay900017Y Survival Finnish Course 2.0 op

**Proficiency level:**

A1.1

**Status:**

The course is intended for the international students in every faculty of Oulu University.

**Required proficiency level:**

No previous Finnish studies.

**ECTS Credits:**

2 ECTS credits

**Language of instruction:**

Finnish and English

**Timing:**

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**Learning outcomes:**

By the end of the course the student can understand and use some very common everyday expressions and phrases, and s/he can locate informational content in simple texts and messages. The student also knows the basic characteristics of Finnish language and Finnish communication styles.

**Contents:**

This is an introductory course which aims to help students to cope with the most common everyday situations in Finnish. During the course, students learn some useful everyday phrases, some general features of the vocabulary and grammar, and the main principles of pronunciation.

The topics and communicative situations covered in the course are: general information about the Finnish language, some politeness phrases (how to greet people, thank and apologize), introducing oneself, giving and asking for basic personal information, numbers, some time expressions (how to tell and ask the time, days of the week, time of day), food, drink and asking about prices.

The structures studied are: personal pronouns and their possessive forms, forming affirmative, negative and interrogative sentences, the conjugation of some verbs, the basics of the partitive singular and some local cases for answering the 'where'-question.

**Mode of delivery:**

Multi-modal teaching (Contact teaching, on-line teaching and independent work)

**Learning activities and teaching methods:**

Lessons 1–2 times a week (14 h, including the final exam) and guided self study (40 h)

**Target group:**

International degree and post-graduate degree students and exchange students of the University

**Prerequisites and co-requisites:**

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**Recommended optional programme components:**

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**Recommended or required reading:**

Will be provided during the course.

**Assessment methods and criteria:**

Regular and active participation in the weekly lessons (twice a week), homework assignments and written exam at the end of the course will be observed in assessment.

Read more about [assessment criteria](#) at the University of Oulu webpage.

**Grading:**

Grading scale is 0-5.

**Person responsible:**

Anne Koskela

**Working life cooperation:**

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**Other information:**

Sign-up in WebOodi.

**ay900017Y: Survival Finnish Course (OPEN UNI), 2 op**

**Voimassaolo:** 01.08.2012 -

**Opiskelumuoto:** Language and Communication Studies

**Laji:** Course

**Vastuuyksikkö:** University of Oulu, Open University

**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail

**Opetus suunnattu:** University of Oulu, Open University

**Opintokohteen kielet:** Finnish

**Leikkaavuudet:**

900017Y Survival Finnish Course 2.0 op

Ei opintojaksokuvauksia.

**454522S: Urban Space Design, 10 op**

**Voimassaolo:** 01.08.2005 -

**Opiskelumuoto:** Advanced Studies

**Laji:** Course

**Vastuuyksikkö:** Oulu School of Architecture

**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail

**Opettajat:** Tarja Outila

**Opintokohteen kielet:** English

Ei opintojaksokuvauksia.

**455521S: Urban Space Detailing, 10 op**

**Voimassaolo:** 01.08.2005 -

**Opiskelumuoto:** Advanced Studies

**Laji:** Course

**Vastuuyksikkö:** Oulu School of Architecture

**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail

**Opettajat:** Aulikki Herneoja

**Opintokohteen kielet:** English

Ei opintojaksokuvauksia.

**452550S: Varying Courses of Contemporary Architecture, 2 - 10 op**

**Voimassaolo:** 01.08.2005 -  
**Opiskelumuoto:** Advanced Studies  
**Laji:** Course  
**Vastuuyksikkö:** Oulu School of Architecture  
**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail  
**Opettajat:** Mahlamäki Rainer  
**Opintokohteen kielet:** Finnish  
**Voidaan suorittaa useasti:** Kyllä

Ei opintojaksokuvauksia.

### **454550S: Varying Courses of Urban Design, 2 - 10 op**

**Voimassaolo:** 01.08.2005 -  
**Opiskelumuoto:** Advanced Studies  
**Laji:** Course  
**Vastuuyksikkö:** Oulu School of Architecture  
**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail  
**Opintokohteen kielet:** Finnish  
**Voidaan suorittaa useasti:** Kyllä

Ei opintojaksokuvauksia.

### **453551S: Varying courses in Architectural Construction, 2 - 10 op**

**Voimassaolo:** 01.08.2015 -  
**Opiskelumuoto:** Advanced Studies  
**Laji:** Course  
**Vastuuyksikkö:** Oulu School of Architecture  
**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail  
**Opettajat:** Janne Pihlajaniemi  
**Opintokohteen kielet:** Finnish

Ei opintojaksokuvauksia.

### **451551S: Varying courses in History of Architecture and Renovation, 2 - 10 op**

**Voimassaolo:** 01.08.2015 -  
**Opiskelumuoto:** Advanced Studies  
**Laji:** Course  
**Vastuuyksikkö:** Oulu School of Architecture  
**Arvostelu:** 1 - 5, pass, fail  
**Opettajat:** Anna-Maija Ylimaula  
**Opintokohteen kielet:** Finnish

Ei opintojaksokuvauksia.