

# HOW TO GET EMPLOYED

## AFTER YOUR STUDIES

Road map for international students



### IN THE BEGINNING OF STUDIES

Actively network with local people and express your interest in working in Finland

- Join the university student community.
- Get in contact with Finns.
- Contact your teachers.

### INTERESTED IN ENTREPRENEURSHIP?

- Join the students entrepreneurship societies.
- Use free business advisory services e.g. municipal and regional advisory services.
- Consider buying an existing business.

STUDYING



### BEFORE STUDIES

Study Finnish language and culture before your studies as well as during your whole stay



### DURING STUDIES & INTERNSHIP

Actively build contacts with employers

- Update your CV and learn how to tell about your skills.
- Participate in recruiting events.
- Get to know Finnish labour market.
- Get in contact with the companies.
- Ask for internship during your studies.
- During apprenticeship show activity and initiative.
- Show interest in developing yourself.



### AT THE END OF STUDIES

Aim to write your final thesis for the internship company

- Show your competence and skills in practice.

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### AT WORK

Settling into the work environment

- Familiarize yourself with the work community.



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