

An aerial photograph of a vast agricultural landscape at sunset. The sun is low on the horizon, casting a warm, golden glow over the scene. The sky is filled with soft, wispy clouds. The ground is divided into numerous rectangular fields of varying colors, from deep green to golden yellow, indicating different stages of crop growth or harvest. A small blue building is visible in the lower-left quadrant of the image.

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PUISTO
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The capital of space
offers space for
everything good



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Space for big ideas

KALA-
JÄRVI

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Seinäjoki is one of Finland's most successful cities. Locals are known for their strong outlook, boldness and get-things-done attitude.

We had no altitudes or waterways, so we built a mountain and five lakes ourselves.

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Logistically ideal location ensures fast connections



Trains almost hourly from Helsinki to Seinäjoki

Helsinki 2 h 50 min

Tampere 1 h 5 min

Oulu 2 h 44 min



80 km to Vaasa International Airport

Ships from Vaasa to Umeå, Sweden 4 h



Population growth
over

600

/ year

Finland's
16th
largest city

Population almost

67,000

Seinäjoki is the only regional centre in
Finland with steady population growth
for over 70 years.

CENTRAL
MARKET

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FINNPOWER
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Turnover of businesses

€5.8 billion

Employment rate

74.8 %

Self-sufficiency in
workplaces

111 %

Jobs

31,981;

lowest unemployment
out of big cities

Jobs in companies

4,966

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Large centre of trade

Almost 600 retail stores

Our largest shopping centre Ideapark

- 70,000 GFA²
- 1,000 jobs
- Finland's 7th largest mall/entertainment centre

IDEAPARK
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Seinäjäjoki values

Will

is an entrepreneurial attitude, desire to do and succeed together.

Boldness

is pioneering, ability to renew and grow.

Responsibility

means responsibility for residents and businesses, safety, the economy and sustainable development. Humanity, justice and equality are the foundations of responsible action.



The Seinäjoki vision

Seinäjoki is a national growth centre where the city, entrepreneurs and communities are building a skilled, inspiring and safe city.

TRAIN
STATION
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Proven to be Finland's best place for entrepreneurship



Municipal Barometer of the Federation of Finnish Enterprises



Municipal ranking of the Confederation of Finnish Industries



Taloustutkimus, municipal image



Private investments EUR 5 billion by 2028

Centre and train station

More than 150,000 square metres of apartments, offices and business premises

Food Hub

Production and logistics hub 20,000 km², up to + 200 jobs

Data centre areas

The most environmentally friendly data centre in the world is being built in Seinäjoki.

Atria

Poultry plant expansion - largest investment in Atria's history

Finland's first large-scale liquefied biogas production plant

Valio

Seinäjoki plant renovation projects

Piiri

Törnävä hospital area becomes a new city block

Roves

One of Finland's largest business areas is growing

Airport

Finland's first cargo drone centre



The Finnish food capital

12%

of Finnish agricultural and horticultural enterprises

25%

of poultry farms

50%

of starch potatoes

20%

of experts in the food sector

40%

of companies in the food sector

70%

of production brought elsewhere in Finland or abroad

over €1.8 billion turnover in food industry*
*16% of the total Finnish turnover

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SPACE
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Seinäjoki has the most diverse internationally networked ecosystem in the Finnish food sector.





Innovation ecosystem

Smart green growth 2021-2027

FUTURE
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Seinäjoki is creating the world's most functional environment for experimentation and innovation from Finland

- Sustainable renewal of the food ecosystem
- Intelligently renewing industry

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Space for experiences

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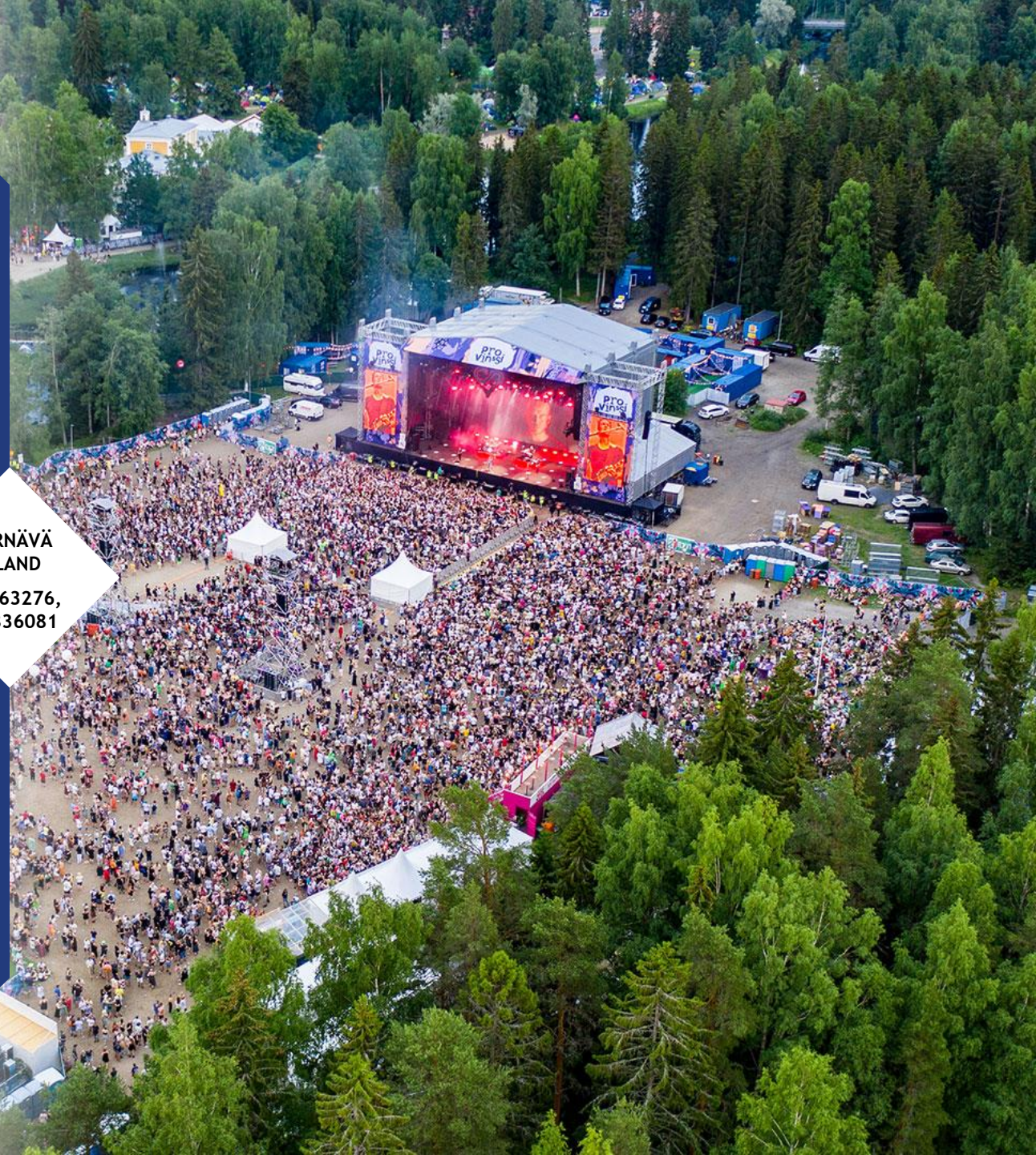
Events metropolis

Half a million visitors at events are an everyday occurrence in Seinäjoki with just 67,000 inhabitants.

- Provinssi music festival since 1979
- Seinäjoki Tango Festival since 1985
- Vauhtiajot Race&Rock since 2004
- Solar Sound Festival since 2014

TÖRNÄVÄ
ISLAND

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Alvar Aalto's Seinäjoki

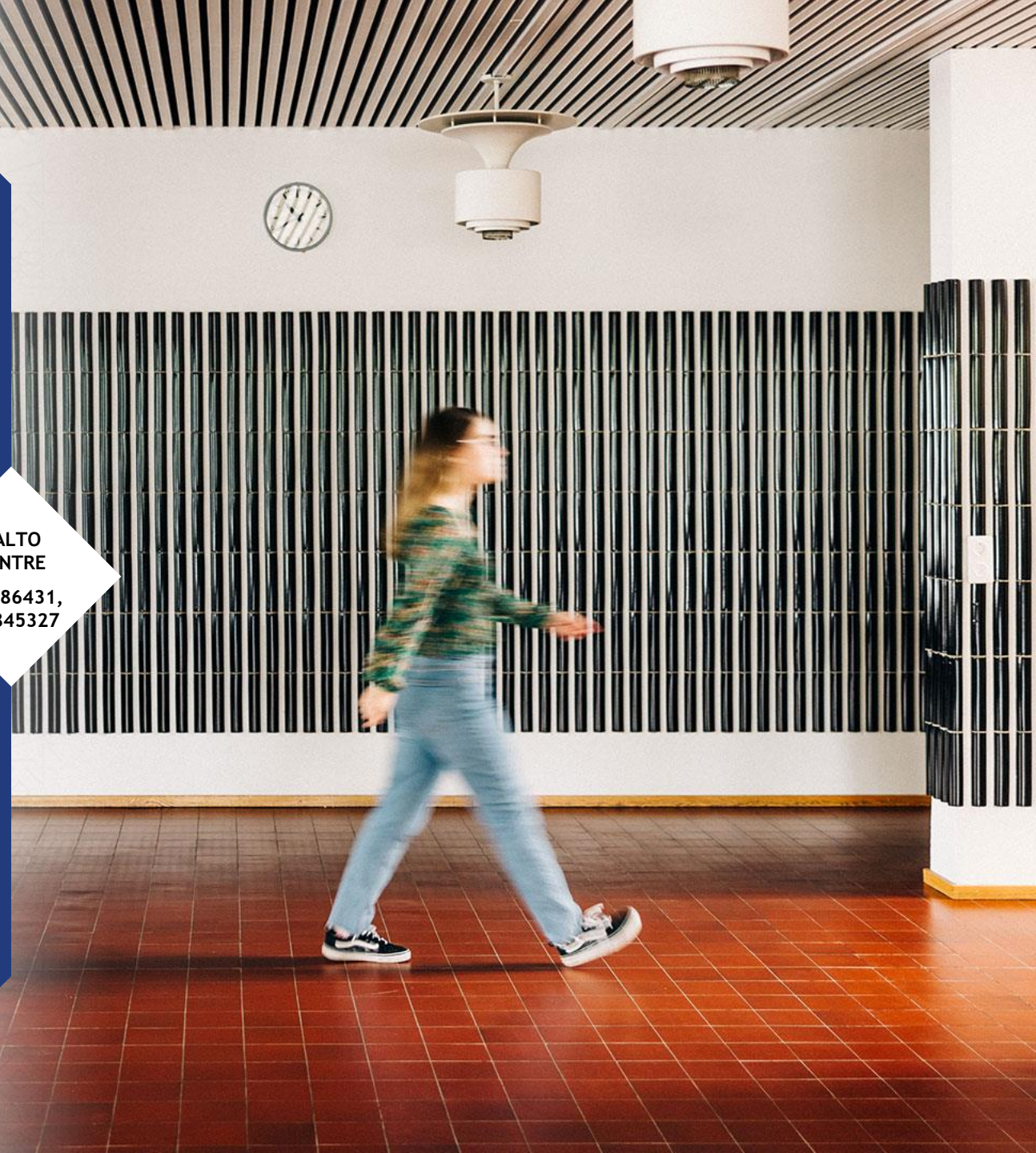
The administrative and cultural centre in Seinäjoki is marked by Aalto's internationally esteemed expression of form.

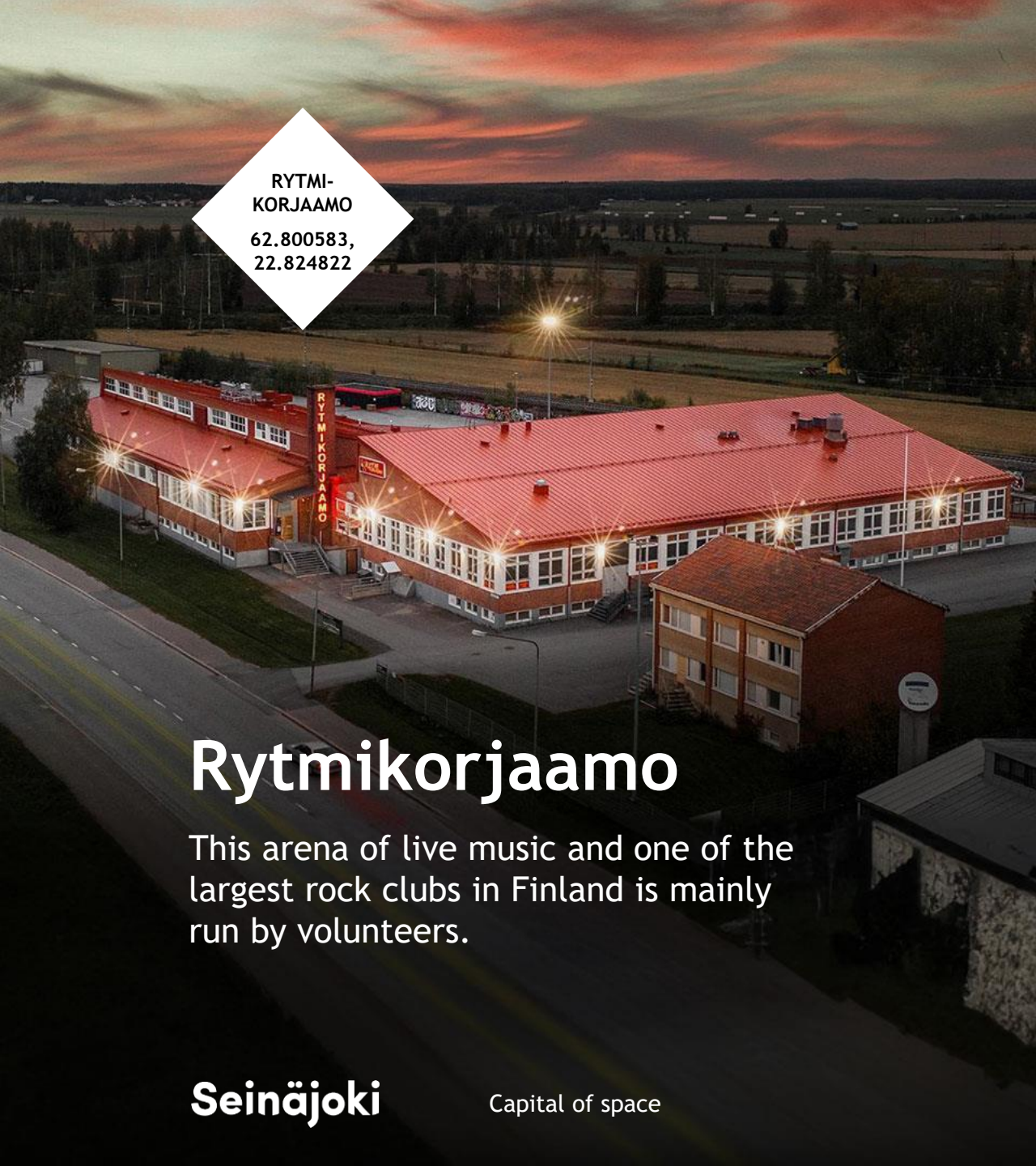
Aalto Centre:

- The Cross of the Plains Church
- parish centre
- Town Hall
- Civic Square
- city library
- government office building
- city theatre

In addition, Seinäjoki is home to the Defence Corps building of the Civil Guard which is the only piece from Aalto's early career that has remained unchanged.

AALTO
CENTRE
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RYTMI-
KORJAAMO
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Rytmikorjaamo

This arena of live music and one of the largest rock clubs in Finland is mainly run by volunteers.


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Arts and Culture Centre

Kalevan Navetta

brings together contemporary art exhibitions, clubs and courses, concerts and food experiences.



KALEVAN
NAVETTA
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Sports from the stands

- Over 60 active sports clubs
- National league level in 7 team sports

STADIUM
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Space for education



Path to school

- Early childhood education and care is offered to all children under school age in Finland
- In Seinäjoki, over 80% of children aged 1-6 are in early childhood education and care and 100% of children aged 6 or over are in pre-primary education.
- Based on the number of pupils in basic education, Seinäjoki is the 10th largest city in Finland.
- More than 8,500 children and young people go to comprehensive and upper secondary schools in Seinäjoki.
- Seinäjoki Upper Secondary School is one of the largest in Finland.



Educated Seinäjoki

- Seinäjoki University of Applied Sciences
- The University Consortium of Seinäjoki
- Vocational Education Centre Sedu

= 10,000 students

Education level of locals is at the level of
university cities

- 34% have a higher education degree.

SEDU

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Finland's best University of Applied Sciences x 3

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2020, 2021, 2022

The placement is based on a national survey of universities of applied sciences (AVOP) that collects responses from graduating students.

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New degree programmes for business needs

- Master's Degree in Computer Science
- Master's Degree in Mechanical Engineering
- Master's Degree in Strategic Project Management
- Robotics and Automation, Degree Programme in Mechanical Engineering
- Software competence for working life flexibly - a programme pilot in South Ostrobothnia

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Space for the future



CENTRAL
HOSPITAL
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The capital of space has a place for futuremakers.

The birth rate in Seinäjoki is one of
the highest in large cities.



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Welcome to Seinäjoki

We have space for you.