

## Welcome to study at LAB University of Applied Sciences!



Congratulations on behalf of your acceptance! We, at LAB University of Applied Sciences Student Union KOE (KOE = experience in Finnish) want to make the time during your studies the best time ever. KOE advocacy, KOE events, KOE tutoring, KOE student life!

### **KOE advocacy**

What on earth does advocacy mean? We aim to make your life at the campus and the city you study in as comfy as possible. We make sure, that the teaching you receive is up to standards. Best possible student's daily life is our goal. In the year 2020 for example, we work hard to ensure better students healthcare for everyone.

### **KOE events**

Events to counter boredom and studying! As a Student Union, we emphasise wellbeing and community spirit in our events. We also arrange the biggest communal student's event bot in Lappeenranta & Lahti, the Freshmen Race! Both campuses are also housing various student associations that arrange events as well.

### **KOE tutoring**

Guidance for students on all campuses throughout the studies. Tutors – your first channel to student's life. Warm welcome and a common leap for being a student and starting your journey. Student Union KOE is in charge of tutoring in LAB UAS. Tutoring supports wellbeing and coping during studies!

### **KOE student life – Full benefits and experiences with a student card**

As you join the Student Union KOE, you will receive a student card, along with its all-round benefits. With the card, you can prove your right to student discounts that are available all around Finland, including train- and bus tickets. Additionally, [slice.fi](https://slice.fi) - application is at your disposal, it includes a digital student card, and different kinds of benefits and discounts, worth hundreds of euros! You can purchase memberships from one semester to full time of your studies. When joining for a longer period of time you make clear-cut savings. You can order the student card and join from [www.koeopiskelijakunta.fi](https://www.koeopiskelijakunta.fi).

You can join the Union and order the student card once you have a student number and you personal email address for the school. Delivery time for physical card is about 2 weeks, the digital card is at your disposal at the same day that you make the order, in best case, though it might take 1-2 days. You should order the card as soon as possible! In Lahti campus the card works also as a keycard, so as a member you dont need additional keycards. In Lappeenranta campus you can get an access key from KOE office os you can move around the premises.

More information about ordering your own student card and membership fees can be found from our website [www.koeopiskelijakunta.fi](https://www.koeopiskelijakunta.fi)

### **KOE student life more efficiently by checking our social medias!**

Facebook = [@opiskelijakuntakoe](https://www.facebook.com/opiskelijakuntakoe)

Instagram = [@koe\\_opku](https://www.instagram.com/koe_opku)

Twitter = [@koe\\_opku](https://twitter.com/koe_opku)

**KOE offices**

Open generally  
Mon-Thu 9am-3pm  
Fri 9am-2pm

Lahti Campus, Mukkulankatu 19, 1st floor  
Lappeenranta Campus, Yliopistonkatu 36, 1st floor

Updated opening times from our Facebook-page. You can contact our staff and Board members anytime. Contact information from our website.

Welcome!