Åbo Akademi University celebrates 100 years in 2018

Knowledge – past, present and future

- Swedish-language university in Finland
- Values: Diversity, openness, courage, participation, sustainability
- 5500 undergraduate students, 780 postgraduate students
- A total of 1,200 employees, 650 working in education and research
Faculties

Faculty of Arts, Psychology and Theology
- Study programme in Culture, Tradition and History
- Study programme in Logopedics
- Study programme in Psychology
- Study programme in Languages
- Study programme in Theology

Faculty of Science and Engineering
- Study programme in Biosciences
- Study programme in Information Technology
- Study programme in Natural Sciences
- Study programme in Pharmacy
- Study programme in Chemical Engineering

Faculty of Education and Welfare Studies
- Study programme in General and Adult Education
- Study programme for pre-school teachers
- Study programme in Health Sciences
- Study programme for class teachers
- Study programme in Social Sciences (Vasa campus)
- Study programme for special education teachers
- Study programme for subject teachers

Faculty of Social Sciences, Business and Economics
- Study programme in Business and Economics
- Study programme for the Bachelor of Laws degree
- Study programme in Social Sciences (Åbo campus)

Strategic research profiles

New profile: The Sea
Celebrations 2018

- More than a hundred events during the year
- History - an edited book about the history of Åbo Akademi University, traditions and parties
- Today – open house, seminars, programme integrated into the everyday life at the university
- Future – Seminar on the future of universities

Imagine!
Science, knowledge, and wisdom in the university of the future

- We want to imagine
- how the university of the future might be embedded in society in novel and surprising ways.
- the coming progress of science, and the ways in which it might change the way we see life and our place in the universe.
- a world where data and information are omni-present, and the role universities have in such a world.
- a society without current institutional boundaries for knowledge-production, even if it challenges our idea of the university.
- a world in which embodied, aesthetic and dispersed knowledge is seen as valid and worthwhile.
- futures for indigenous knowledge systems and minority viewpoints.
- a future for wisdom.
- challenges to and futures for expert knowledge, and future politics for knowledge in general.
Välkommen att fira ÅA100!