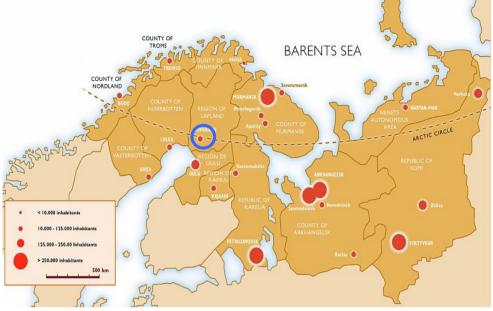
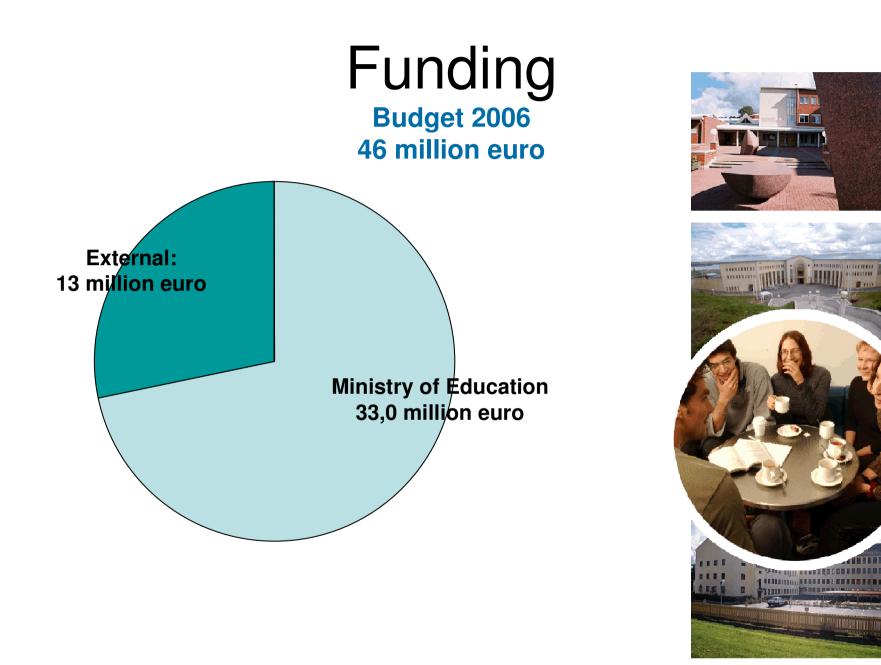


# For the North - By the North Welcome to the University of Lapland!

# University of Lapland Facts and Figures



- Northern most university in Finland and in European Union
- Faculties: Art and Design, Business and Tourism, Education, Law, Social Sciences
- 4,700 students (ca 4,300 graduate and 400 postgraduate; 350 foreign students out of which 220 foreign exchange students)
- 8 500 Adult Education (Open university, Continuing Education and University of the Third age)
- **Staff:** ca 650 (professorships: 62)



# Faculties and degree programmes

## **Faculty of Education:**

- Teacher Training
- Education , Adult Education, Media Education
- Teacher Training School

## **Faculty of Law:**

- Master of Laws
- Specialities: Legal Informatics and Legal Linguistics

## **Faculty of Social Sciences:**

- International Relations
- Political Science
- Public Administration
- Public Law
- Rehabilitation
- Social Work
- Sociology
- Applied Psychology





## **Faculty of Business and Tourism:**

- Accounting
- Management
- Marketing
- Tourism Studies

#### **Faculty of Art and Design:**

- Art Education
- Graphic Design
- Industrial Design
- Media Studies
- Textile and Clothing

#### **Examples of other studies:**

- Information Technology and Applied IT
- Different types of Programmes (eg. Arctic Studies Program, Social Work)





# Institutes

## Meri-Lappi Institute (in the city of Kemi)

- Founded in 1998 together with Oulu University
- Development projects (eg. Forestry, Wood, Logistics in the Barents Region)

# Regional Services of the University of Lapland:

- Founded in 2005
- Education and Development Services nonacademic continuing education
- Open University
- Regional Development and Innovation Services regional development projects
- Regional Research Services





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- International
- Multidisciplnary research
- Staff: 70 100
- Budget: 3.8 m€, 40-50 % external funding

#### Themes

- Global Change in the Arctic
- Sustainable Development in the Arctic
- Northern Institute for Environmental and Minority Law
- Information dissemination to wide public
  - Science Centre Exhibition: renewed and opened 17 April
  - Web base Information Service
  - Arctic Library
- Arctic Studies Program
  - One year basic program
- Arktis –graduate school, 22 studies



- Environmental and Social Impact of Industrialization in Northern Russia
- Management of renewable resources in North-West Russia
- Heterogeneity and resilience of human- *Rangifer* systems: a circumpolar social- ecological synthesis.
- Community adaptation and vulnerability in Arctic regions
- Demographic movements in the Arctic, especially in Russia
- Arctic Indigenous Peoples and Sami Research Office
  - Sami research database published
  - Indigenous Peoples as International Political Actors
- Arctic Social Indicators





<sup>3.</sup> Information service of Barents region





#### International co-operation in University of Lapland

- Active
  - Northern Dimension Policy
  - Barents Euroarctic region network
  - Arctic co-operation
  - European university networks
  - Nordic co-operatin
  - Asia –co-operation
- Hosting the University of the Arctic International Secretariat
  - Chair of Northern Research Forum
- Russia Centre: co-ordination of CBU in ULapland
- Appr. 250 collaboration agreements in 35 different countries (eg. European Union, USA, Canada, Japan, Korea, Argentina Brazil, Chile, Australia, Russia)
- Active in the European Union structural and regional funding programmes

Membership in several international organizations and networks (eg. UNEP Grida, ARCUS, Uarctic, CUA, EUA, EAIE)





