

## **Blended Intensive Programme at Seinäjoki University of Applied Sciences Plant Production and Agrotechnology, 3 ECTS**

This is a field course in which students are learning by doing.

### **MAY 2024 (online)**

2.5. 2024 at 16-19 Presentation of BIP, teachers and students, making teams for group work, SeAMK  
16.5. 2024 at 16-19 Lecture 1: Latvia: Oskars Balodis: Winter crops  
23.5. 2024 at 16-19 Lecture 2: Czech: ?

### **27 – 31 MAY 2024 (intensive week in Finland)**

#### **Monday 27.5.**

8 - 9 Welcome to Finland, practical issues and short presentation to SeAMK/Ilmajoki Green Campus  
9 -10 Explaining the program, teachers together  
10 - 11.30 Lecture  
11.30 - 12.30 Lunch  
12.30 - 16 Teamwork (3 groups)  
19 - 20.30 Get together dinner

#### **Tuesday 28.5.**

8.00 - 11.30 Teamwork (3 groups)  
11.30 - 12.15 Lunch  
12.30 - 16.00 Teamwork (3 groups)  
17.30 - 20.00 Social activity: sauna and swimming

#### **Wednesday 29.5.**

8.00 - 11.30 Teamwork (3 groups)  
11.30 - 12.30 Lunch  
12.30 - 16.00 Teamwork (3 groups)

#### **Thursday 30.5.**

8.00 - 11.30 Field trip (company or farm visit)  
11.30 -12.30 Lunch  
12.30 - 16.00 Field trip (company or farm visit)

#### **Friday 31.5.**

8.00 - 11.30 Teamwork (3 groups)  
11.30 - 12.30 Lunch  
12.30 - 14.00 Closing ceremony

Trains leaving from Seinäjoki to Helsinki : 15.20-18.10, 16.20-19.05, 17.20-20.13

### **Aims of the teamwork**

1. Sowing the plants on field trials
2. Identify crops and weeds on the field
3. Growth stages, yield components and soil quality on field
4. Drones in precision plant production
5. Yield mapping and utilization of penetrometer in defining management zones
6. Identify grasses and legumes of grasslands

Costs for student: Travelling to Finland/ Seinäjoki, housing 25€/night/student, breakfast 4€/day, lunch 5 €/day.

SeAMK/BIP course includes travelling cost in Seinäjoki/ Ilmajoki Green Campus and field trips (minibus/bus). One dinner. Sauna and swimming.



A field course will take place in a town called Ilmajoki, about 15 km from Seinäjoki, in SeAMK's farm. The farm is located in the middle of the fields, surrounded by nature and a scenic view of open northern countryside.

See more about Ilmajoki [In English - Ilmajoki](#).