

Practical matters for TAs

Teacher's guide

English

https://inside.aalto.fi/display/enelec/Aalto+ELEC+Guide+for+teachers

Finnish

https://inside.aalto.fi/display/fielec/Aalto+ELEC+Opetta jan+opas

Rules and regulations

Take a look:

https://into.aalto.fi/display/enmasterelec/Academic+rules+and+regulations

- General academic regulations
- Exam regulations
- Aalto University Code of Academic Integrity and Handling Violations
 Thereof
- Common practices for courses currently under revision
- Code of Conduct in the University Environment
- Programme of measures to prevent substance abuse and support intervention in problem situations



TAs from administration's point of view

Responsibilities

- Treat students in a fair and equal manner
- If you find harrasment, bullying or any misconduct, inform the responsible teacher and learning services immediately
- Take good care of the student register information you have (eg. student numbers, grades, contact information), do not leave it anywhere lying around, including electronic copies!
- If you are grading students work, stay within the 4-week time limit
- Ask and listen for feedback, pass it to teachers
- Give feedback to students!



Language issues

Starting 1.8.2017 there are four language options for each course:

- Finnish (students can also use Swedish in their course work, but not English)
 - There may be some lectures and materials in different languages
 - There may be Swedish exercise groups etc
- Swedish (students can also use Finnish in their course work, but not English)
 - There may be some lectures and materials in different languages
 - There may be Finnish exercise groups etc
- English (students cannot use Finnish/Swedish in their course work)
 - Materials and teaching are in english
- English, by request Finnish or Swedish (students can also use Finnish or Swedish in their course work)
 - Materials and teaching are primarily in English



Accessibility

Every students has a right to accessible studies

- Obstacles
 - Physical disorders, injuries etc
 - Mental disorders, learning difficulties etc.

Solutions

- If a student has a certificate of need to receive special arrangements in studies, follow the guidelines given in the certificate
 - Longer exam times
 - Isolated exams halls
 - Possibility to move ar walk during lectures and exams
 - ...
- If a student hasn't got a certificate, ask her/him to visit the study office to make matters straight



Contact information

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