

Creative Design Management, Turku UAS Master School

Welcome to study at Turku University of Applied Sciences! Congratulations on your study place at Turku UAS Master School, in the Master's Degree Programme in Creative Design Management. It is our delight to welcome you and other new students to our university.

We look forward to meeting you online, in the orientation of the studies. It is important to participate in the orientation because during that time you will be given all the necessary information to succeed in your studies.

Please read the following information carefully to prepare for the start of your studies.

To start your studies:

- The first meeting starts 25th Aug at 14.00
- Online: <https://turkuamk.zoom.us/j/64638903540>
- Your group name is YCDMVS21
- Be prepared to show your valid ID

Orientation phase of your studies:

MONTH	DAY	DATE	TIME	THEME
AUG	WED	25.8.	14–17	Welcome to study and meet your colleagues!
	THU	26.8.	14–17	Information on your studies, curriculum, and courses
	FRI	27.8.	13–16	Leadership and Innovation course begins
SEP	MON	30.8.	8.30–11	Turku UAS Opening: https://turkuamk.zoom.us/j/67299503059?pwd=UGJmZUpkRzNZU1FNcmswVTdjeXo0Zz09 (Passcode: 902044)
	MON	30.8.	12–14.30	Future Operating Environments course begins
	WED	1.9.	16–18	Information on your studies, curriculum, and courses
	THU	2.9.	16–18	Leadership and Innovation workshop
	TUE	7.9.	16–18	Leadership and Innovation workshop
	WED	8.9.	16–18	Master Thesis and Development Work Methods and Design info session

How to prepare?

1) Present yourself to your colleagues and teachers here:

https://padlet.com/milla_jarvipetaja/t0q5eejo0tlf

2) Start your studies by completing your first steps as a Turku UAS student. DigiStart gives you all the information you need to know about studying at Turku UAS before your actual studies start. See the detailed instructions here: <https://www.tuas.fi/en/study-tuas/new-degree-students/starting-studies/>

3) Pre-assignment for the *Future Operating Environments* course:

All Turku UAS Master School's programmes include a compulsory course called *Future Operating Environments*. In the first online meeting of the course on 30.8.2021 you will work in small groups and share experiences and thoughts with your colleagues on the impacts of megatrends on your professional field and your own work. To prepare for the discussion, familiarize yourself with the following materials:

- Dufva, Mikko 2020. What are megatrends?
<https://www.sitra.fi/en/articles/what-are-megatrends/>
- Dufva, Mikko 2020. The big picture of the megatrends. Sitra articles.
<https://www.sitra.fi/en/articles/the-big-picture-of-the-megatrends/>
- Sitra 2020. Megatrends 2020 slide-set.
<https://www.sitra.fi/en/articles/megatrends-2020-slide-set/>
- Sitra 2020. Megatrend cards.
<https://media.sitra.fi/2020/03/04130112/2021544megatrendikortit2020enverkko.pdf>

The Schedule of your studies

Your studies will take place in online environments and the updated schedule will be presented to you during the orientation phase. Here, below, you will find a **preliminary** schedule of online meetings, for the autumn 2021.

MONTH	DAY	DATE	TIME	COURSE
SEP	WED	22.9.	16–18	Leadership and Innovation
OCT	WED	6.10.	16–18	Project Management
	WED	27.10.	16–18	Development Work Methods and Design
NOV	WED	3.11.	16–18	Master Thesis Seminar (half of the group)
	THU	4.11.	16–18	Master Thesis Seminar (half of the group)
	WED	10.11.	16–18	Project Management
	WED	17.11.	8–11	Future Operating Environments (Hackathon pre-meeting)
	WED	17.11.	16–18	Development Work Methods and Design
	MON	29.11.	8.30–17	Future Operating Environments (Hackathon)
DEC	WED	8.12.	16–18	Future Operating Environments & Leadership and Innovation
	WED	17.12.	16–18	Project Management