South America

Chile
Proakatemia Business Camp in Universidad Diego Portales (UDP), Santiago, Chile where a group of teachers received training to learn team coaching methodologies and tools. As a next step, 140 students had the opportunity to participate in real-life customer-driven innovation processes applying team coaching.

Proakatemia Business Camp in Finland was a two-week experience of learning by doing and student-centered learning. The students learned about the philosophy of coaching and participated in real business cases with finish students.

Brazil
GiraMundo entrepreneurship in Education and Activating Teaching Methods.

Dominican Republic
One-week intensive training involved learning to know and understand the Finnish Professional Technical Education Model and Curriculum.

New partners and projects

TAMK Global Education began many new projects in five different countries during 2019:

- South Korea
- Chile
- Dominican Republic
- Kenya
- South Africa

Nursing Degree for Kenyan students

In 2019, a cooperation with the Kenyan county of Elgeyo-Marakwet resulted in starting a Nursing Degree for Kenyan students. The students will start their studies during 2020 in Finland. The contact teaching will happen in Finland and students can do their practical trainings at Kenyan hospitals.

Interior design summer camps with South Korean students

During the spring and summer of 2019, two groups of South Korean students participated in camps that focused on interior design. Both of the groups were amazed by Finnish scenery, culture and education. The students told that their stay at TAMK was fulfilling and that they enjoyed themselves very much.

China

A lot of activities happened in the Chinese markets. Here are some important numbers of 2019:

- 200 Chinese educators (10 groups) of all educational levels participated in teacher development programs in Finland. The average satisfaction rate of the programmes was 9.35.

- 1 Large workshop on Early Childhood Education was held in China, reaching an audience of 400 people, including teachers, students, parents and administrators.

- 1 Double degree program in biochemistry continues to make its life-changing influence on Chinese students, the next group coming in January 2020.

- 3 Global Education’s ambassadors had their academic and cultural exchange in China, including two senior lecturers of music and one Proakatemia student team.

A China-Finland President Forum was held at TAMK with over 80 leaders from around 15 different Chinese universities participated.