

Hello!

Life as a student or PhD student can be tough! Money is short. Teachers do not always follow the rules. The Student Union, Linnéstudenterna, is here for you!

A Student Union membership gives you student discounts, support if you are mistreated by the university, accommodation help and so much more! It also gives you access to the student pubs *Slottsstallarna* and *Sivans* in Växjö. Find out more and become a member at linnestudenterna.se

What is Linnéstudenterna?

- We are your Student Union and we represent all students (undergraduate, masters and PhD) at Linnaeus University, no matter where you live. We work for the students, not the university.
- We will do everything we can to make your life as a student as good as possible.
- We act as your social safety net and we offer support, help and advice if you've been mistreated by the university.
- We will give you financial benefits through student discounts and other advantages.

Why should I join?

We offer lots of discounts in Växjö and Kalmar, but ideally you would join us because we will make your student life better. You will be able to influence your studies, get involved in important issues, go to the student pubs and take advantage of all the benefits included in the student union membership.

We will keep you updated and we are available to our members at our offices in Kalmar and in Växjö, [online](#), at [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#), and [Instagram](#) as well as via posters, pamphlets and our magazine Linnéstudent.

What do Linnéstudenterna do?

- Arrange the Welcome Fairs in Växjö and Kalmar with 100+ participating companies, organizations and student associations
- Organize career events where you might meet your future employer
- We can help you search for accommodation: linnestudenterna.se
- We represent the students in rent negotiations with the housing companies
- Provide emergency housing to students without a place to stay
- Organize the Friend Family project for international students since 2006
- Coordinate the Buddy programme with Swedish and international students
- Work with the university, the Student Health, student associations and student pubs on ethical and alcohol related issues
- Cooperate with Växjö municipality and the student housing companies to make campus a nice and safe place to live
- Regularly meet with the University Board
- Appoint student representatives to various university groups, boards and committees
- We have board members who monitor educational matters and academic issues
- Offer a monthly course literature grant of 500 SEK
- Promote regional development with the municipalities, local companies, and organizations



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- Inform about available jobs at linnestudenterna.se
- Provide student and PhD ombudsmen that help students who have been wronged or mistreated by the university
- We are a part of the Swedish National Union of Students (SFS), this organisation works with Swedish and international Student Unions to improve academic quality and student conditions.
- Offer free coffee to our members on Thursdays. Sometimes cinnamon buns or other treats as well!

How do I join?

It's easy to become a member! Join us [online](#) or visit us at Tufvan (in Växjö) or the University library (in Kalmar).

Welcome as a member of

Linnestudenterna

- your student union



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