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Otaniemi, located just 15 minutes west of Helsinki, is the leading technology hub in the Nordic countries, featuring a unique mix of world class research organizations, academic institutions and over 600 companies from start-ups to multinational corporations operating around a compact 2 kilometer campus. Twice selected by the EU as one of the most innovative regions in Europe, Otaniemi is a community of over 32,000 people with 16,000 students and 16,000 technology professionals.

Learn what makes the Finnish innovation system tick at the Otaniemi Innovation Camp™. Visit one of our academic institutions, research organizations or companies. Take a comprehensive tour of the area! We're surrounded by sea and parkland, but we're just around the corner from Nokia headquarters. Each year we host 1,000 visitors from policy makers to business leaders from all around the World – so come and discover what the excitement is all about - learn world class innovation best practices and get connected!

Our services are designed to make your visit both a beneficial and an educational experience. Take a look at our visitor programs:

Otaniemi In a Nutshell

A 90 min general Otaniemi overview. Lecture on what Otaniemi is all about.

Otaniemi Innovation Trail

Have a 2 hours walking tour in campus area. Enjoy the fresh air and the marine surroundings. You will experience the unique Otaniemi hi-tech mile with a winding path that will take you from research to business on foot.

Otaniemi Business Bridge

A tailored one-on-one program for matchmaking & networking. Are you searching for world class business opportunities, technological innovations, R&D partners or new markets? Get Connected! We can help you find exactly what you are looking for.

Stop and Shop in Otaniemi

A unique innovation shopping experience in Otaniemi – products, services, people and companies to boost your innovation and product development activities! Are you looking for unique technologies and

events according to your company's needs – putting the best talent in Otaniemi at your disposal.

Otaniemi Innovation Camp™

Day, full day or 1 week innovation system training solutions. What makes Finnish Innovation System so special? Otaniemi Innovation Camp™ is designed for all innovation professionals, from policy and decision-makers to people that need to make things happen on the ground. Otaniemi Innovation Camp™ offers you a comprehensive overview of the Otaniemi Innovation Model, combining topics such as:

- From research to business
 - Research in enhancing global competitiveness of industry and business
 - Successful commercialization of innovation-based start-ups
 - Financing innovation activities and entrepreneurship
 - Industry-university-research institute Collaboration
 - Generating world class success stories
- 2-5 days' Innovation Camp™ includes visits to relevant research and business units

Contact us for an offer or fill in the request form on our website at www.otaniemi.fi – get in touch and we will plan your visit together.

As one of our clients describes it:

“Now that we are back home and settled, we took time to put our experience with you in Finland in perspective. I must admit that I have visited a number of science parks in Europe, USA and Israel and have not experienced such an integrated and effective approach as we saw in Finland.”

Rudi van der Walt, Director
North-West University, South Africa