

The College of Social Education in Greenland







Our students make a positive difference

The College of Social Education (Perorsaanermik Ilinniarfik) in Greenland offers various degrees, further education (FE) and a variety of courses within the field of social pedagogy.

We offer a number of vocational courses:

- The daycare employee training provides unskilled workers with the professional and personal skills to work as a daycare assistant in daycare centers or as a daycare provider.
- The social helper program provides the opportunity to develop and manage practical assignments pedagogical as well as activity-based in the social field. Relevant for institutions for children/adolescents, care homes, institutions for the disabled, the elderly sector, or for the prison and probation service. The program is a 2-year vocational education.
- The social assistant program is a 9-month vocational education program, in which the students learn Danish terminology corresponding to Danish at upper secondary level. The teaching focuses on both the individual, groups and society, body and movement, communication and collaboration, as well as IT and media. The program gives access to the professionally oriented Bachelor of Social Education.

At the College of Social Education, our highest goal is for our students and graduates to make a positive difference in their jobs after graduation.











We cover all of Greenland

At the College of Social Education, we are working for a good educational environment and for offering both young and experienced workers in Greenland the opportunity for education.

Our administration and primary education buildings are located in Ilulissat, but we also have departments along the coast. We establish programs in all of Greenland – wherever there is a need and political will.

"Welcome to the College of Social Education, where we focus on the individual student's motivation for education through a good study environment. Our programs are primarily in Greenlandic, as we concentrate on anchoring education in Greenlandic societies with a link between theory and practice.



Nuka Kleemann, principal



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Higher education

The College of Social Education in Greenland also offers higher education programs.

The professionally oriented Bachelor of Social Education takes 3.5 years and provides students with knowledge, insight and skills to carry out tasks of development, learning and care associated with educator work.

During training, there are two internship periods of 14 and 18 weeks, through which the student will learn to put theory into practice – and we are happy to help find the right internship.

After graduation, the bachelor is competent to work in daycare centres, residential institutions, with the disabled and elderly, in pre-primary school, in the prison and probation service, as well as in guidance and prevention.

The decentral social educator program is currently taking place in Nuuk, Sisimiut and Qaqortoq. In order to meet the great need for further training of social educators, the program is also offered as a 3-year decentralized education in agreement with the municipalities.

Diploma programs are offered as needed and depending on applicants. Upon request, we have just completed a diploma program in residential care and we expect to start a new course soon.







Social student life

Students taking an education in Ilulissat are – as per applicable law – offered a residence during their studies. We have a good residential environment, where there are also apartments for families with children.

In the dormitories, you live closely with other students, which requires openness and consideration. Friendships form across courses, and there is always someone to have dinner or drink a cup of coffee with.

You will be responsible for a number of different practical chores during your stay at the dormitory. Good friends and helpful college staff will also be there to support you in case you have just moved away from home.

Børnehjemmet Tupaarnaq

Børnehjemmet åbnede 2005 og har dermed eksisteret i 12 år og består af 2 selvstændige afdelinger. Børneafdelingen/Ovenpå er en afdeling til de mindre børn i alderen fra ca. 6 år til 13 år, med plads til 6 børn. Ungdomsafdelingen/Nedenunder er en afdeling til unge i alderen fra ca. 13 år til 18 år. Det vil typisk være børn fra afdelingen ovenpå, som bliver flyttet ned i ungdomsafdelingen. Der arbejdes med den basale omsorg og behovstilfredsstillelse i et struktureret miljø. Hverdagene er så

forudsigelige som overhovedet muligt, Man følges til skole, og man skal have klare aftaler, hvis man ønsker at besøge familien eller skolekammerater. Man har et højt aktivitetsniveau, hvor der skal være plads til leg og læring. Det handler om at skabe progression hos den enkelte beboer – der stilles krav til de større børn/unge i forhold til daglige pligter og medbestemmelse i eget liv. Vi samtaler og arbejder med livet efter folkeskolen, i forhold til drømme og uddannelse.

Samarbejde med forældrene og netværk

Vores erfaring siger, at forældrene og familien altid er den primære og tætteste relation, barnet har. Vi vægter samværsaftaler højt og vi bruger hjemmebesøg, hvis det ønskes. Vi tilpasser vores samarbejde med den enkelte familie ud fra familiens individuelle behov og ønsker. Vores kommunikation med forældrene skal være positiv og imødekommende.

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Courses and workshops

In our Competence Development Center, we organize courses for employees in the social sector. Among other courses, we offer:

- Module courses for unskilled staff
- Courses aimed at institutions, by agreement and wishes for content

Courses are established on a regular basis, as desired and required. We have, for instance, organized courses for foster families, taught motion and music in daycare institutions, as well as handling sports certifications.



Vi optræner børn og unge, som har behov for hjælp til at integrere sig i samfundet

Vi vil have branchens bedste medarbejdere





Research and knowledge

In 2010, we opened the doors to our Knowledge Center. Here, knowledge and information is gathered and investigated on three main areas: Children and youth, disabled and marginalized groups, as well as social pedagogical documentation and methodology.

Social challenges stand out in Greenland and other Arctic areas, due to both anthropological and sociological differences in local living conditions and cultural values.

We want to help illuminate and enhance pedagogy in Greenland and to base our education on current Greenlandic conditions. In addition, we wish to help develop new methods and work approaches in the social field.

Together with other educational institutions, we collaborate on research and development projects and have continuous collaboration with other institutions and organizations, including UArctic, a network of education and research institutions focusing on Northern conditions.

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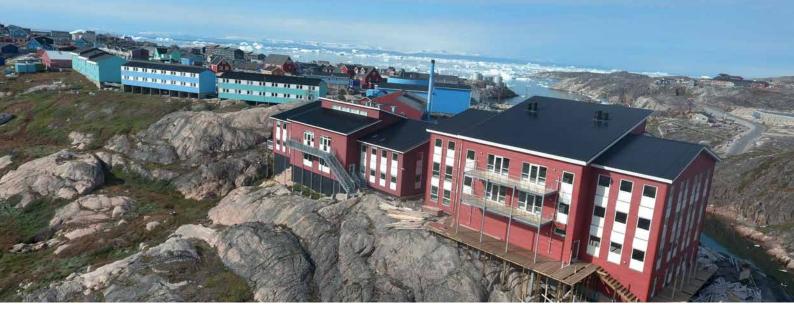
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Vi modtager børn og unge fra hele Grønland til observation og behandling.



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