

# **Hello student!**

Here is some information from the municipality of Kalmar that may be good to know.

Firstly, we are so happy to tell you that Kalmar was awarded the Student City of the Year 2023, by the Swedish National Union of Students (SFS). This award recognizes the city's outstanding efforts in creating a great study and living environment for students. This makes us very proud!

A song has been created by students at the Linnaeus University's singer-songwriting program to celebrate Kalmar as a student city. <u>Here you can listen to it on Spotify.</u>

#### **Student accomodation**

Check out a <u>guide</u> on how to find accommodation, what rules apply, and what is worth thinking of. The biggest landlord in student housing in Kalmar is Kalmarhem, who offers a student housing guarantee. To be covered by the guarantee, you must meet some requirements. Read more about it here.

#### Web

Everything you need to know about the University City of Kalmar is gathered on this site

- kalmar.se/universitet

There is also a site with information for the students in Kalmar – <u>kalmar.se/student</u>

### **Student pocket guide**

Kalmar's students receive a student pocket guide called "Boost your student life! - Pocket guide for students in Kalmar". A free copy can be picked up at the Linnaeus Union's expedition located in house Stella. A digital version is available here.

## Register as a resident & welcome package

Don't forget to register yourself as a resident in Kalmar. In cooperation between the Municipality of Kalmar and the Linnaeus Union we offer a welcome package to students that will study more than one year in Sweden, and who register themselves as a resident in Kalmar. Read more on the Linnaeus Union's website: linnek.se/eng/nystudent-kalmar

### **Welcome fair**

The welcome fair will be on September 19 at 10:00–14:30 at the university. It is arranged by the Linnaeus Union. Here you can take part in what will make your student life fantastic: organizations, cultural life and job opportunities. Keep an eye on the Linnaeus Union's social media channels for more information!

