



**The Finnish-Russian Cross-Border University**

# The CBU universities



## in Finland:

- University of Eastern Finland
- University of Helsinki
- Lappeenranta University of Technology
- University of Tampere



## in Russia:

- St. Petersburg State University
- Petrozavodsk State University
- St. Petersburg State Forest Technical University
- European University at St. Petersburg
- St. Petersburg State Polytechnical University
- Moscow State Forest University

# CBU study fields

Master's degree programmes in five study fields with joint curricula

- Business and Administration (BA)
- Forestry and Environmental Engineering (FEE)
- International Relations (IR)
- Information and Communications Technology (ICT)
- Public Health (PH)
- **Service Management (discussed)**



# The CBU Studies



- ◆ Admission criteria: a **Bachelor's degree** (or equivalent) in a related field and **good skills in English** (TOEFL, IELTS)
- ◆ Extent of the CBU studies 2 years/ **120 ECTS (European Credit Transfer and Accumulation System )**
- ◆ Language of instruction **English**

When graduating students will be awarded at least one **national diploma, CBU Certificate** and **Diploma Supplement** – students meeting the national requirements in both countries may be awarded **two national degrees**



# Forestry and Environmental Engineering MSc Programme



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- CBU FEE –programme started in 2007
  - 2007: 9 students
  - 2008: 6 students
  - 2009: 17 students
  - 2010: 10 students
  - 2011: 17 students
  - 2012: 24 students



- Students with various backgrounds: Russia, China, Nepal, Cameroon, Canada, Spain, Finland, Ghana, Hungary ...
- **Programme open for all nationalities!**

# Student stories



CBU is a unique opportunity that allows you to study in countries that are not visited by many. I wanted to be able to travel to countries that had beautiful forests and great innovations. *Natalie from Canada*

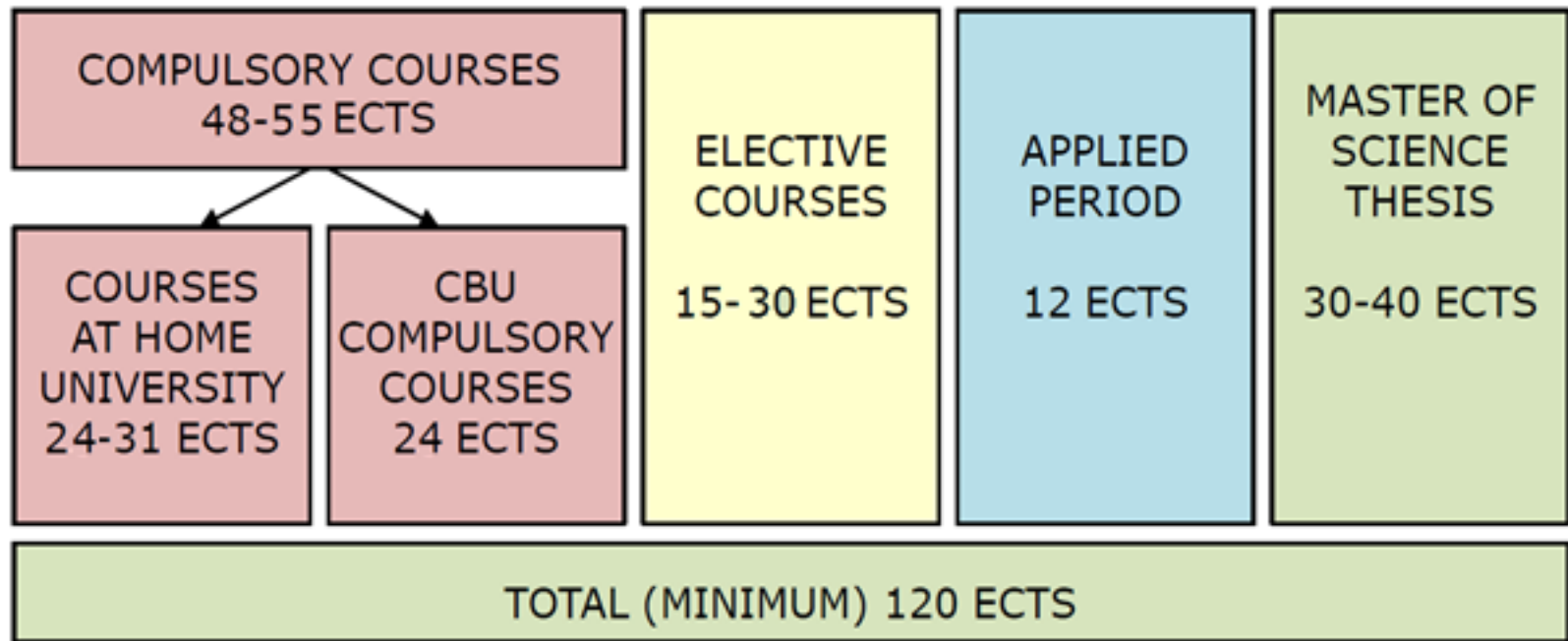


My main motive to study in this program is that I have an opportunity to know about environmental issues and forestry development situation both in Finland and Russia. Moreover, the international atmosphere of CBU program and the possibilities for social and cultural exploration in Finland and Russia attracted me to choose this program. *Yamuna from Nepal*



I really enjoy most of my time at the CBU, being with friends that come from many different countries. This enables me to gain more knowledge about the world and their different perspective on the matters. *Artur from Russia*

# Study structure





# Specialization options

## Moscow State Forest University

- Forestry and Aesthetic Forestry
- Landscape Architecture
- Machines and Equipment of Forest Complex
- Forest Protection
- Technology of Trees' Tending in Urban Range
- Forest Technology

## Petrozavodsk State University

- Forestry
- Forest technology

## Saint-Petersburg State Forest Technical University

- Forest silviculture



## University of Eastern Finland

- Bioenergy production
- Forest policy and economics
- Forest information technology and resource management
- Forest ecology and silviculture

The CBU Master's Degree Programme in  
Forestry and Environmental Engineering (FEE)

**Study Guide**  
**2012-2013**



University of Eastern Finland • University of Helsinki • Moscow State  
Forest University • Petrozavodsk State University • St. Petersburg State  
Forest-Technical University

# Degrees

- Master of Science (Agriculture and Forestry) at the University of Eastern Finland
- Master of Science in Forestry (Степень магистра по лесному делу) at the St. Petersburg State Forest-Technical University and the Moscow State Forest University
- Master of Science at the Petrozavodsk State University





# Ongoing

- Competition of international students
- More courses in English needed in Russia
- Securing funding, especially in Russia – funding from the Russian ministries desired
- University of Eastern Finland investing
  - 3 scholarships for PhD students for 36 months (2011, 2012 and 2013)
  - this year 5 scholarships for MSc students for 24 months
  - Considering CBU Campus in Russia
- Discussion about expansion

# Welcome to study forestry in CBU!

Additional information could be obtained from CBU coordinators in each partner university and [www.cbu.fi](http://www.cbu.fi) or [www.uef.fi/cbu-fee](http://www.uef.fi/cbu-fee)