Study engineering

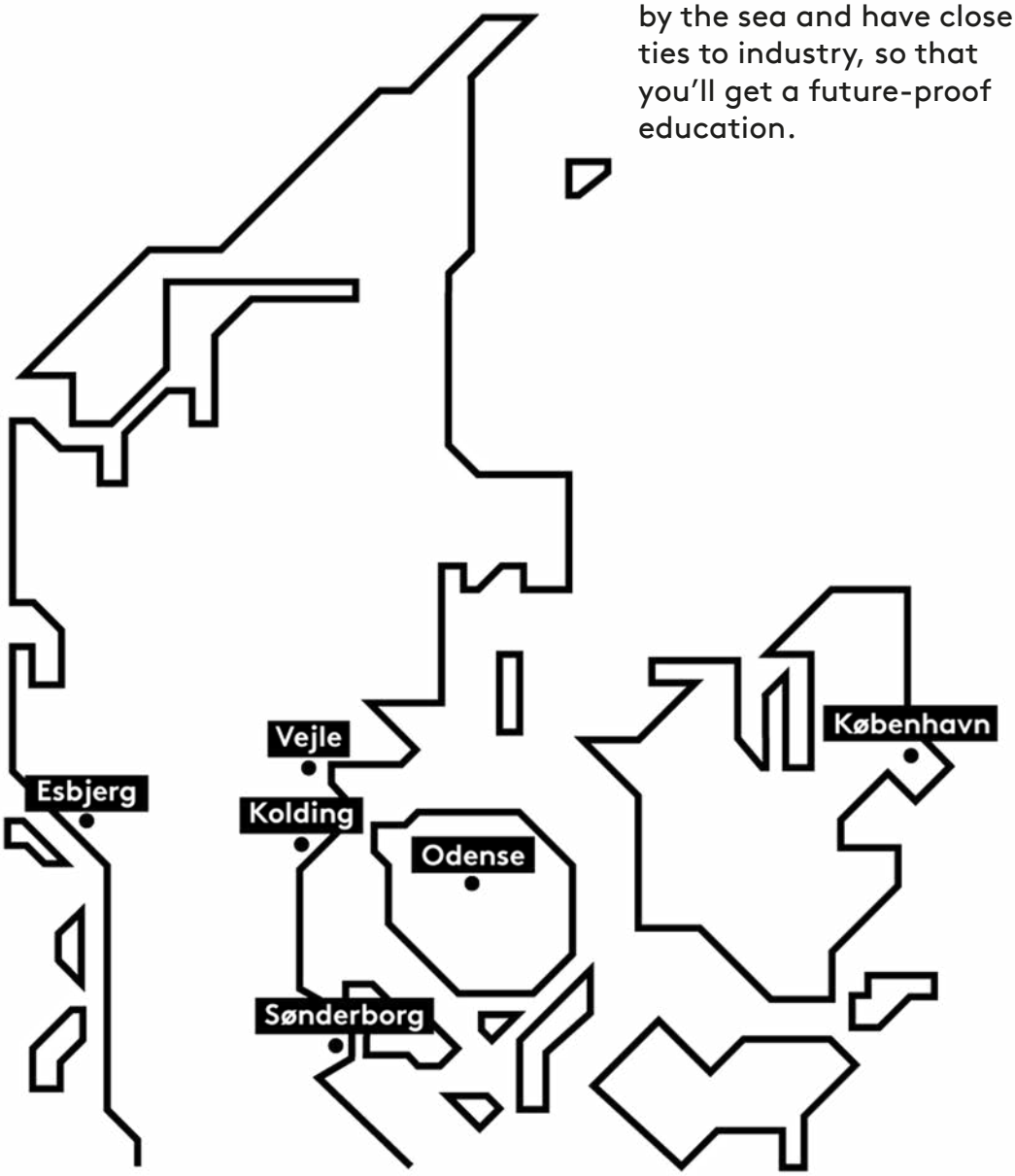
at the University of Southern Denmark

Scandinavian charm
- academic excellence

SDU

The University of Southern Denmark consists of six campuses. Our bachelor engineering programmes are available in Sønderborg and in Vejle.

Both campuses are located by the sea and have close ties to industry, so that you'll get a future-proof education.



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Moving to Denmark

“Hej” and welcome to Denmark

We hope to host you in our beautiful country while you study for your Bachelor of Engineering at the University of Southern Denmark (SDU).

If you choose to study here, we offer an extraordinary blend of academic excellence and Scandinavian charm.

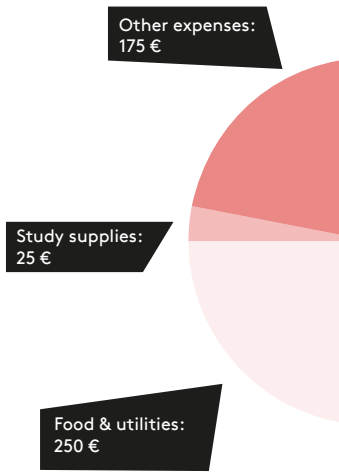
Danish culture is celebrated for its balance, sustainability and creativity, fostering a vibrant and supportive environment for students.

Our campuses are located in the southern region of Denmark, close to the sea, but only a short trip away from Copenhagen.

At SDU, we provide a wealth of activities and opportunities for student jobs, allowing you to gain practical experience while studying.

The university’s strong connections with local industries mean that students often find relevant part-time work and internships.

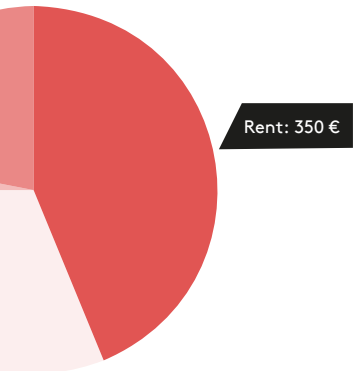
Overall, studying at SDU not only equips you with a high-quality education but also immerses you in a culture that values well-being, innovation and creativity.



Sønderborg harbour with its old, classical houses by the waterfront and the new Alsik Spa and Hotel tower in the back behind the King Christian the X's arched bascule bridge that connects Jutland with the island Als.

Housing and living costs

Housing and living costs are affordable compared to other European cities, making it easier to manage your finances.



Example of living costs in Sønderborg

Tuition fees for non-EU students

Are you a full degree student from the Nordic countries, EU/EEA countries or Switzerland, you do not have to pay tuition fees and can study at SDU for free.

All non-EU/EEA citizens without a permanent residence permit in Denmark are required to pay tuition. The fees are paid for a full year ahead. As soon as the tuition fees are paid by the student and received by SDU, the visa process will start.

The tuition can vary over time, so check them at **sdu.dk/feesandfunding**

Apply for housing as soon as you have submitted your application!

There are good housing possibilities, but there are also many applicants!

Studying in Denmark

Study life in Denmark is known for creativity, innovation and team-based learning mixed with a high level of academia. So, if you're interested in that - SDU is the place to be.

As an engineering student at SDU you learn to apply knowledge to solve real challenges. From your very first semester, you'll work on hands-on projects that connect theory with practice.

You'll collaborate in teams, develop innovative solutions and gain the skills that employers value most.

With strong ties to industry and a focus on teamwork and creativity, SDU prepares you to shape the future — not just study it.

Creativity, innovation and teamwork

The labs are fully equipped with state-of-the-art technology, and you'll have easy access to the brightest minds within both classical and interdisciplinary engineering fields.

The academic level is high, but the hierarchy is low, meaning that professors and lecturers are ready to engage in academic discussions and help you succeed with your projects.

Become at the of

At SDU, you can study engineering at two of our campuses - in Sønderborg and in Vejle. Find out what makes these two campuses unique for you as a student.

SDU campus Sønderborg - the international campus

More than 80 % of students at SDU Sønderborg are international – making it one of the most international university campuses in Europe. Researchers from all over the world gather in Sønderborg to conduct groundbreaking research and innovation in modern and high-tech facilities with a scenic view to the harbour.

Students work in small groups and are encouraged to engage in project-based learning. Collaboration is central – both among students, with researchers and with companies. The region is home to several high-tech firms, and many students take part in industry-related projects during their studies.

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SDU campus Vejle - Denmark's most focused campus for software engineering and computer science

Now you have the chance to study in one of Denmark's most prolific international business regions.

Here you will acquire a deep understanding of the foundation of hard-core IT and in-demand programming.

Our new neighbours like the LEGO Group and Siemens Gamesa are not just neighbours but career opportunities.

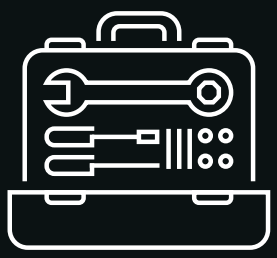
Researchers from around the globe gather to teach in a research-based and dialogue-driven manner, fostering critical thinking and innovation.

Vejle offers a vibrant, international lifestyle with nature close by and easy access to internships, jobs and travel.

Join us in Vejle to shape the digital future.

BEng or BSc – which one is the right education for you?

Bachelor of Engineering (BEng)

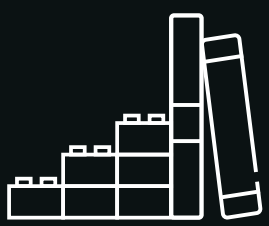


When you choose to become a Bachelor of Engineering, you'll complete a 3.5-year programme. This includes a six-month internship in a Danish or international company, where you'll work on real-world tasks and gain valuable experience. The programme focuses on practical project work and gives you a strong theoretical foundation. That means you're ready to start your career as soon as you graduate. The combination of theory and hands-on experience ensures you can create value from day one.

Bachelor of Engineering (BEng)

3.5 years

Bachelor of Science in Engineering (BSc)



A BSc in Engineering programme consists of a 3-year bachelor's degree followed by a 2-year master's degree – five years in total. You'll build a strong academic profile and gain in-demand skills that open doors both in Denmark and abroad. The programme dives deep into theory and academic expertise, making you a specialist in your field. You'll also gain insight into research and have the option to pursue a PhD or work as a specialist in industry.

Bachelor of Science in Engineering (BSc) + Master of Science in Engineering (MSc)

5 years

What can you study?

Electronics
BSc or BEng in Sønderborg

Engineering, Innovation and Business
BSc in Sønderborg

Mechanical Engineering
BSc or BEng in Sønderborg

Mechatronics
BSc or BEng in Sønderborg

Software Engineering
BSc in Sønderborg | BSc in Vejle

Interactive Technology Engineering
BSc in Vejle

Electronics

Whether we are talking about control systems in wind turbines, the electronics behind MRI scanners or the software in drones, it is electronics engineers that make complex technologies work.

In this BEng, you will learn to master analogue and digital circuit design, signal processing and embedded systems, and you will learn to apply them through industry projects.

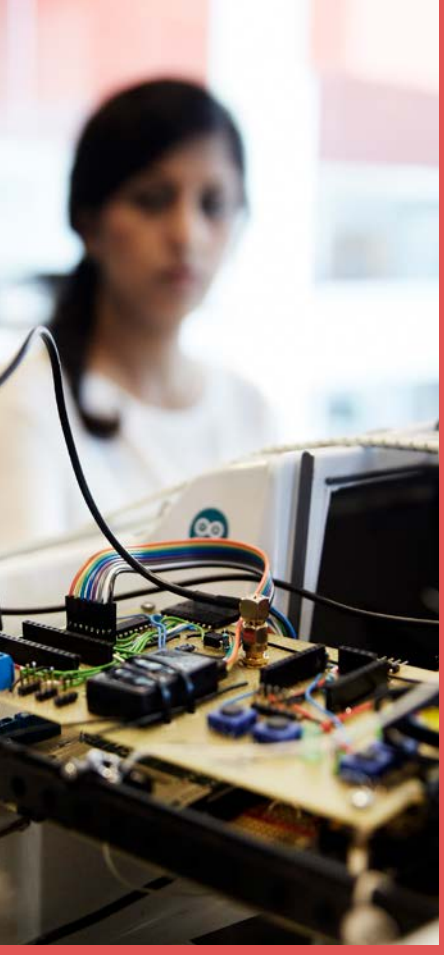
With companies facing a shortage of qualified engineers, your expertise will be in high demand across sectors like renewable energy, healthcare tech and intelligent automation.

Offered at our campus in
SØNDERBORG

Here's an example of the
programme structure

Term					
1	Semester project	Electronics	Embedded systems	Physics	Mathematics for engineering
2	Semester project	Electronics	Embedded systems	Signal and filters	Mathematics for engineering
3	Semester project	Digital signal processing	Electro-magnetism	Fundamentals of electrical machines	Mathematics for engineering
4	Semester project	Power electronics	Digital design & signal processing	Control engineering	Introduction to machine learning
5	Experts in teams	* Theory of science	Elective	Elective	Elective
6	Industrial engineering training				
7	Final project				

*Advanced workshop course



Lots of hands-on stuff

The best part of the studies is the hands-on stuff - actually building circuits and working on real projects instead of just learning theory. It's great to test if your designs work or not.

The professor-student relationship is quite informal and approachable. Professors are open for discussion, and you can address them by their first names which makes interactions more comfotable.

- Jaswanth Raj from India

Career options

With a BEng in Electronics, you can work with, e.g.,

- sustainable energy technology
- medical equipment
- computer and data networks
- software development
- robot and drone technology

BEng

Mechanical Engineering

Do you want to learn how to design and develop mechanical systems that support modern industry and sustainable technologies?

With this BEng programme, you gain practical skills in CAD, thermodynamics, materials and mechanical design combined with business insight and hands-on project work. Each semester builds around real industry challenges, culminating in a company internship and final project.

Graduates work in sectors such as energy, offshore, manufacturing or automation, with strong demand for their skills in Denmark and beyond.

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3	Semester project	Multi-body dynamics	Fluid mechanics	Thermodynamics	Mathematics for engineering
4	Semester project	Cooling and heating systems	Energy systems	Computer aided engineering	Elective
5	Experts in teams	* Theory of science	Elective	Elective	Elective
6	Industrial engineering training				
7	Final project				

*Advanced workshop course

Mechanical Engineering - a new home

I chose to study Mechanical Engineering since I'm all about getting hands-on experience and understanding what is behind real world applications. We work in exciting group projects every semester where we apply theoretical knowledge and turn it into something real and rewarding.

I found everything I was looking for in my studies here in Sønderborg, and the amazing academic life and international environment at the campus made me able to call this place home.

- Pedro from Portugal

Career options

With a BEng in Mechanical Engineering, you can work with, e.g.,

- heating and cooling
- wind turbines
- offshore
- power plants
- food production
- design and manufacturing

Mechatronics

Mechatronics engineers design intelligent systems where mechanics, electronics and software converge, creating innovations from precision robotics to advanced prosthetics.

At SDU Sønderborg, you will study in an international environment and combine theory with hands-on projects, company collaborations and a mandatory internship.

Specialisation options and study-abroad opportunities prepare you for global careers in development, consultancy or management.

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4	Semester project	Introduction to machine learning	Computer aided engineering	Control engineering	Elective
5	Experts in teams	* Theory of science	Elective	Elective	Elective
6	Internship/industrial engineering training				
7	Final project				

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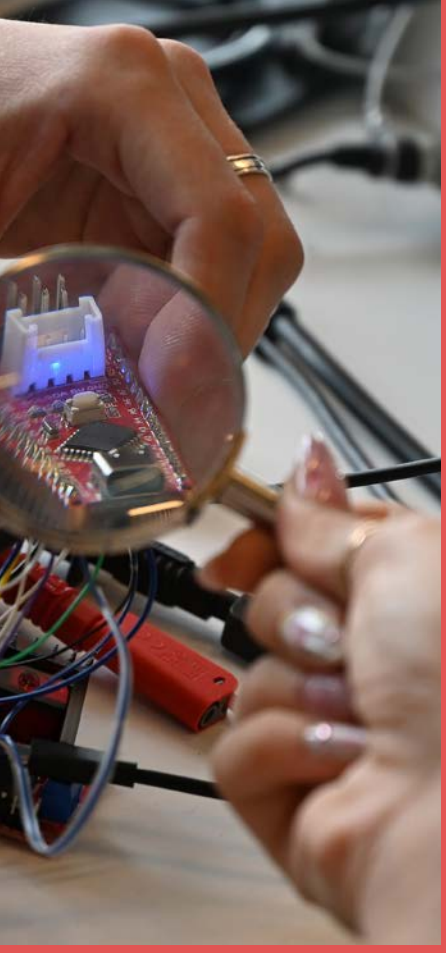

Team-based problem solving

I enjoy the fact that SDU Sønderborg is an international campus. We get to know and learn about a lot of cultures and interesting people. There are many student clubs and social events where you can meet people and have fun.

During the group project works, we gain valuable experience not only about the technical application of our knowledge, but also about learning how to collaborate with our teammates effectively, bring ideas together and solve problems as a team.

- Liza from Hungary

Career options

With a BEng in Mechatronics, you can work with, e.g.,

- modelling
- simulations
- robotics
- embedded systems
- machine learning

BSc

Electronics

From solar inverters and EV's to smart homes and medical devices, electronics engineers shape the core of modern systems.

This BSc will give you deep knowledge about circuit design, signal processing and embedded software. It also gives you the opportunity to apply your knowledge in hands-on projects about, for instance, battery management systems, hearing aids or robotics.

Each semester builds your skills through group work and theory, culminating in an industry-linked final project. After this, you can continue your studies with a relevant MSc programme.

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3	Semester project	Digital signal processing	Electro-magnetism	Fundamentals of electrical machines	Mathematics for science
4	Semester project	Digital design & signal processing	Power electronics	Control engineering	Elective
5	Experts in teams	*	Theory of science	High frequency communication	Elective	Elective
6	Bachelor project		Control engineering	Acoustic & electro-magnetic waves	Elective

*Mathematics for science

Exploring our interests within electronics

The best thing about SDU is that it allows us to explore our interests by providing a range of practical exercises and real-life problem solving. Preparing us for future jobs through various clubs we can join and get a lot of hands-on experience.

- Filippa from Croatia

Career options

With a MSc in Electronics, you can work with, e.g.,

- sustainable energy technologies
- medical equipment
- data and communication networks
- software development
- robot & drone technology

Engineering, Innovation and Business

Turn ideas into real, market-ready solutions by combining engineering skills with entrepreneurial thinking.

This interdisciplinary BSc gives you hands-on experience in mechanical design, electronics and programming alongside business modelling, product development and innovation management.

You will work on prototypes, production simulations and smart factory concepts, gaining the tools to launch your own start-up or drive development in existing companies. The degree also leads directly into the MSc in Engineering, Innovation and Business or the MSc in Supply Chain Digitalisation.

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programme structure

Term					
1	Semester project	Mechanical design	Statics and materials	Mathematics for science	Applied programming
2	Semester project	Innovation and creativity	Dynamics	Mathematics for science	Applied programming
3	Semester project	Technology management	Production technology	Sensors and electronics	
4	Semester project	Lean Six Sigma	Smart manufacturing	Business development	Elective
5	Experts in teams	* Theory of science	Operations management	Innovation management	Elective
6	Bachelor project		Research methods in engineering	Sustainable business models	Elective

*Advanced workshop course

Solving problems with a hands-on mentality in teams

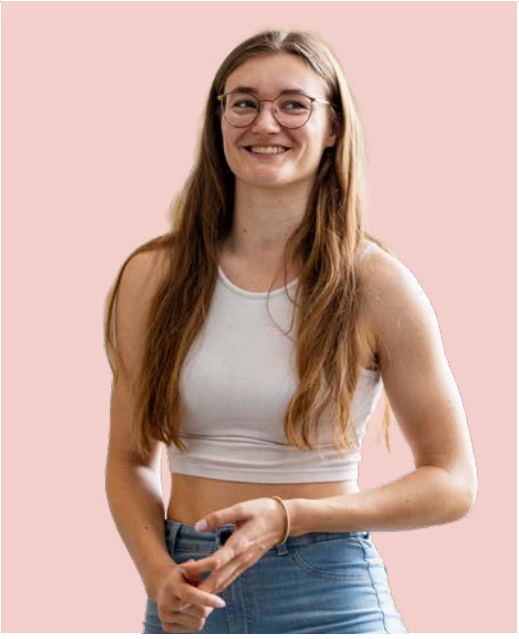
I chose engineering because I was always good at science subjects at school and preferred the job opportunities in engineering to those in science. Tackling problems, solving them with a hands-on mentality in teams and the opportunity to take on a management position in a company were very appealing. Being the rare link between pure engineering and business, as well as the idea of founding a start-up, ultimately convinced me to apply for the EIB programme.

- Hanna from Germany

Career options

With a MSc in Engineering, Innovation and Business, you can work as, e.g.,

- innovation consultant
- business developer
- development engineer
- product developer
- entrepreneur



BSc

Interactive Technology Engineering

Merge engineering with design thinking in this unique programme focused on creating intuitive, human-centred digital systems. Studying on SDU's new international IT campus in Vejle, you will gain strong foundations in software development, AI, VR/AR and cyber-physical systems while working on real-world projects with industry partners in, for instance, entertainment, education or healthcare.

With its rare blend of technical rigour and user insight, the degree opens doors to a wide range of roles in tech, design and innovation, and provides direct access to the MSc in Interactive Technology Engineering or another relevant master's programme.

Offered at our campus in
VEJLE

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programme structure

Term				
1	Programming fundamentals	Mathematics	Interaction design	Semster project
2	Information technology	Software design	Mathematics	Cyber-physical systems	Semester project
3	Computing fundamentals	Information technology	Software design	Cyber-physical systems	Semster project
4	Computing fundamentals	Educational technologies	Metaverse technologies	Semester project
5	Elective	Elective	Elective	Elective	Digital innovation project
6	Webdevelopment	Project management & engineering thory	Bachelor project

Creating technology with the user in focus

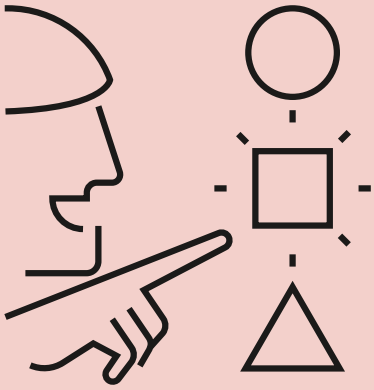
The Interactive Technology Engineering programme in Vejle will enable you to create user-centred, cross-disciplinary solutions that adress complex technologies challenges and to create innovative products for industries across healthcare, education and manufacturing.

- Anders Drachen,
Head of programme

Career options

With a MSc in Interactive Technology Engineering, you can work as, e.g.,

- system developer
- system architect
- 3D programmer
- server-side systems engineer
- interaction designer



BSc

Mechanical Engineering

Develop smart, sustainable solutions for an increasingly technological world, whether it is energy-efficient machinery, new materials or intelligent hydraulic systems.

This BSc builds your expertise in mechanics, product development and simulation through problem-based projects. With a focus on mechanical systems, heating and cooling, solid mechanics, and energy systems, you will learn to design, analyse and manage real engineering challenges.

The programme lays a strong foundation for further studies with the MSc in Mechanical Engineering or another relevant master's.

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SØNDERBORG

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3	Semester project	Multibody dynamics	Fluid mechanics	Thermodynamics	Mathematics for science
4	Semester project	Mechanics of materials	Cooling and heating systems	Control engineering	Energy systems
5	Experts in teams	* Theory of science	Intro to finite element methods	Elective	Elective
6	Bachelor project		Heat transfer	Elective	Elective

*Mathematics for science

Experimenting with practical builds

I chose to study Mechanical Engineering because of a passionate interest in all things mechanical, and since coming to SDU Sønderborg, I have yet to regret that decision.

The university is modern and has plenty of spaces to study and socialise. There are a lot of tools and resources to test project ideas and experiment with practical builds.

The city itself is small, quiet, cozy and very convenient with great options for nature hikes and bike rides.

- Matas from Lithuania

Career options

With a MSc in Mechanical Engineering, you can work as, e.g.,

- project manager
- consulting engineer
- development engineer
- researcher

BSc

Mechatronics

Understand how mechanics, electronics and software interact to create tomorrow's intelligent products.

The BSc in Mechatronics equips you to design high-tech systems through interdisciplinary projects. You will build skills in technical design, production and control systems and specialise in mechanics, electronics or embedded systems.

With an international study environment and strong industry ties, the programme prepares you to continue with an MSc and for careers within development, consultancy or research.

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4	Semester project	Intro to machine learning	Control engineering	Mechanics of materials	Elective
5	Experts in teams	* Theory of science	Intro to finite element methods	Elective	Elective
6	Bachelor project		Control engineering	Acoustic & electro-magnetic waves	Elective

*Mathematics for science

Engineering knowledge across fields

I am studying Mechatronics at SDU Sønderborg. Mechatronics gives me the chance to get knowledge in multiple engineering fields.

To me, being an SDU student means learning in a welcoming environment where I can apply what I have learned in projects like the semester projects.

It also means having the chance to get to know people from all over the world in a great community.

- Vivien from Germany

Career options

With a MSc in Mechatronics, you can work as, e.g.,

- development engineer
- project manager
- specific technology specialist
- consultant
- customer advisor

BSc

Software Engineering

Design tomorrow's digital tools by combining technical insight with user-centred thinking.

The BSc in Software Engineering in Sønderborg equips you to develop intelligent, secure and efficient software, whether for mobile apps, cyber secure solutions or AI systems. You will learn to identify user needs, design architectures, and write robust code through project-based work in a highly international environment.

No prior programming experience is required.

The programme provides a strong foundation for further MSc studies and excellent career opportunities in a rapidly evolving global industry.

Offered at our campus in
SØNDERBORG

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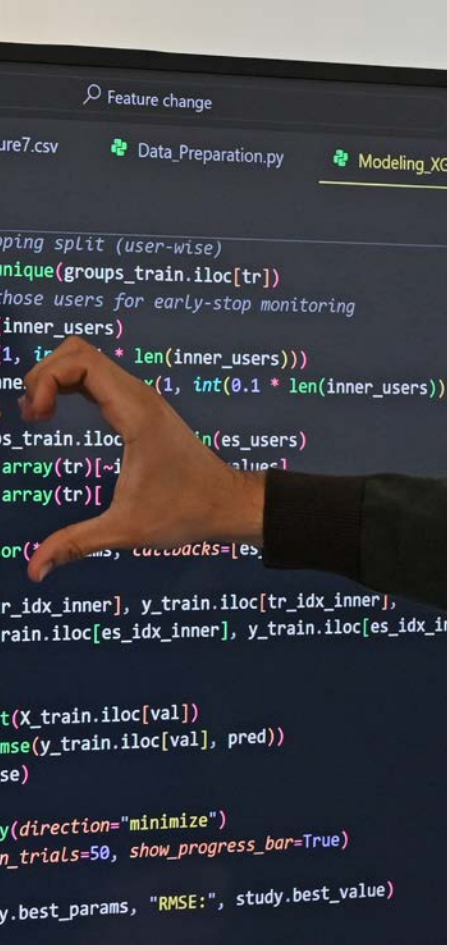
programme structure

Term						
1	Mathematics for science	Computer systems	Object-oriented programming		Semester project	
2	Mathematics for science	Advanced object-oriented programming	Software engineering		Semester project	
3	Data management	Web technologies	Operating systems & distributed systems	Programming for hardware constrained environments	Semester project	
4	Artificial intelligence	Component-based systems	Algorithms and data structures	Software systems design w/embedded elements	Semester project	
5	Experts in teams	Theory of science	*	Elective	Elective	Elective
6	Bachelor project			Software maintenance	Cyber-security	Software architecture

*Project management



In line with reality

The professors at the university are open to feedback and want to make sure that the students understand the topics, so we learn what we need to learn.

The courses are being adapted to the needs of the programmes, so the curriculum matches the needs.

The semester projects are organised with real companies, so we use our theory in real-life scenarios.

- Daniel from Italy

Career options

With a MSc in Software Engineering, you can work as, e.g.,

» IT and systems architect
» software developer
» project manager

or develop mobile apps, IT security or online solutions.

BSc

Software Engineering

Do you want the skills to design, implement and maintain high-quality software that not only works on paper but also meets real-world user needs, now and in the future?

The BSc in Software Engineering on SDU's new international IT campus in Vejle combines solid engineering principles with advanced training in software engineering, software design and software testing.

Through industry-linked projects and a strong theoretical foundation, you will learn to manage the entire software lifecycle.

Graduates are in high demand across sectors, both locally and globally.

Offered at our campus in
VEJLE

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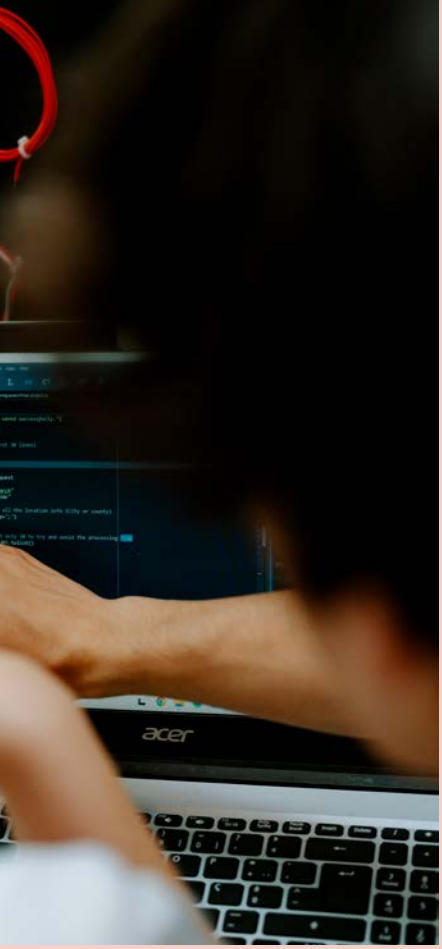
1	Programming fundamentals	Mathematics	Computer systems	Semester project	
2	Information technology	Software design	Mathematics	Software engineering	Semester project
3	Computing fundamentals	Information technology	Software design	Platform engineering	Semester project
4	Computing fundamentals	Cyber-security	Software reliable engineering	Semester project	
5	Elective	Elective	Elective	Elective	Digital innovation project
6	Software architecture	Project management & Theory of engineering	Bachelor project		



Shaping tomorrow's critical digital infrastructure

The software engineering education in Vejle will enable you to take part in building the critical digital infrastructures of our society and the industry.

- Mikkel Baun Kjærgaard,
Head of programme

Career options

With a MSc in Software Engineering, you can work as, e.g.,

- software engineer
- IT and solutions architect
- product manager
- software developer
- platform engineer

The innovator's toolbox

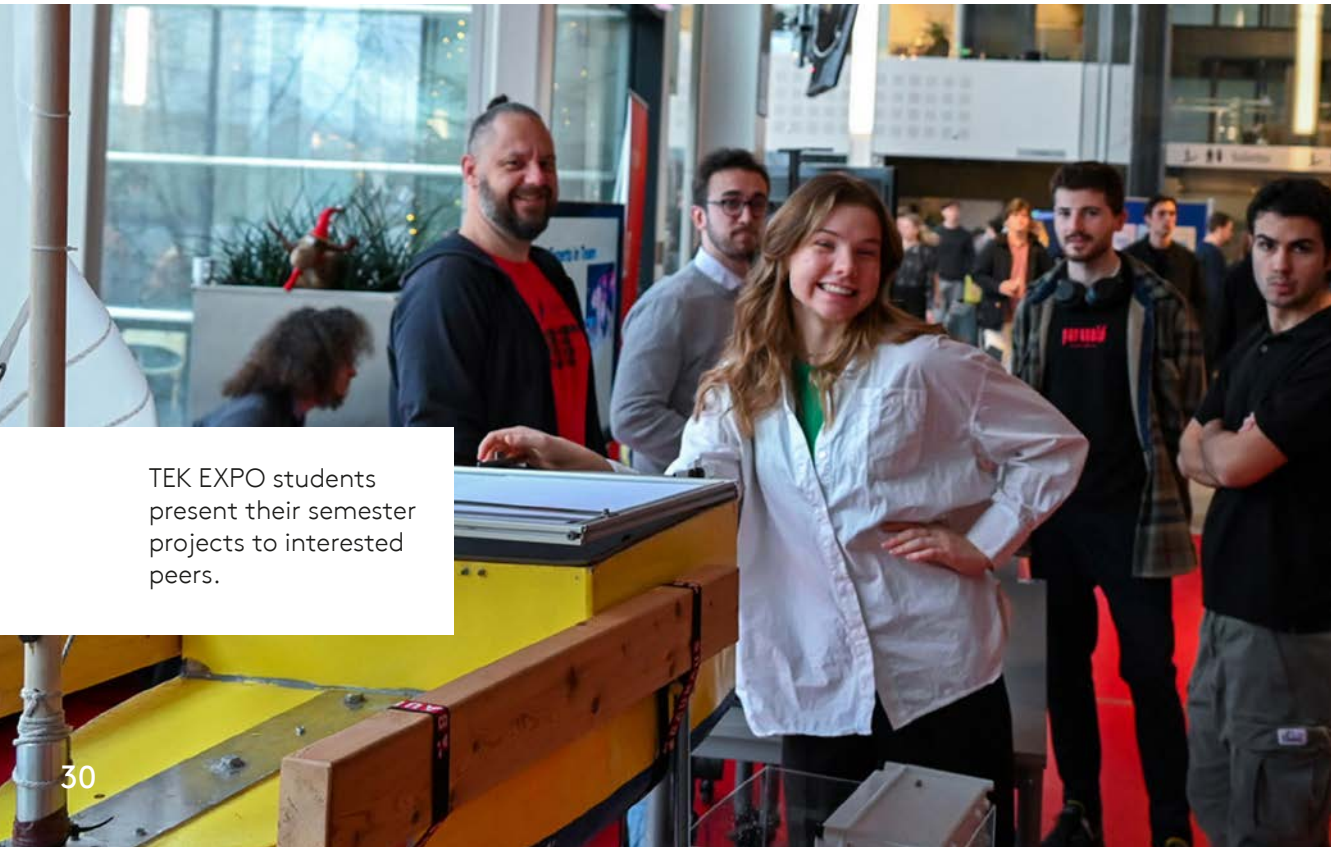
At the Faculty of Engineering, you gain the tools to become an innovator. Innovation requires skills within project management, teamwork and collaboration with industry.

Semester projects

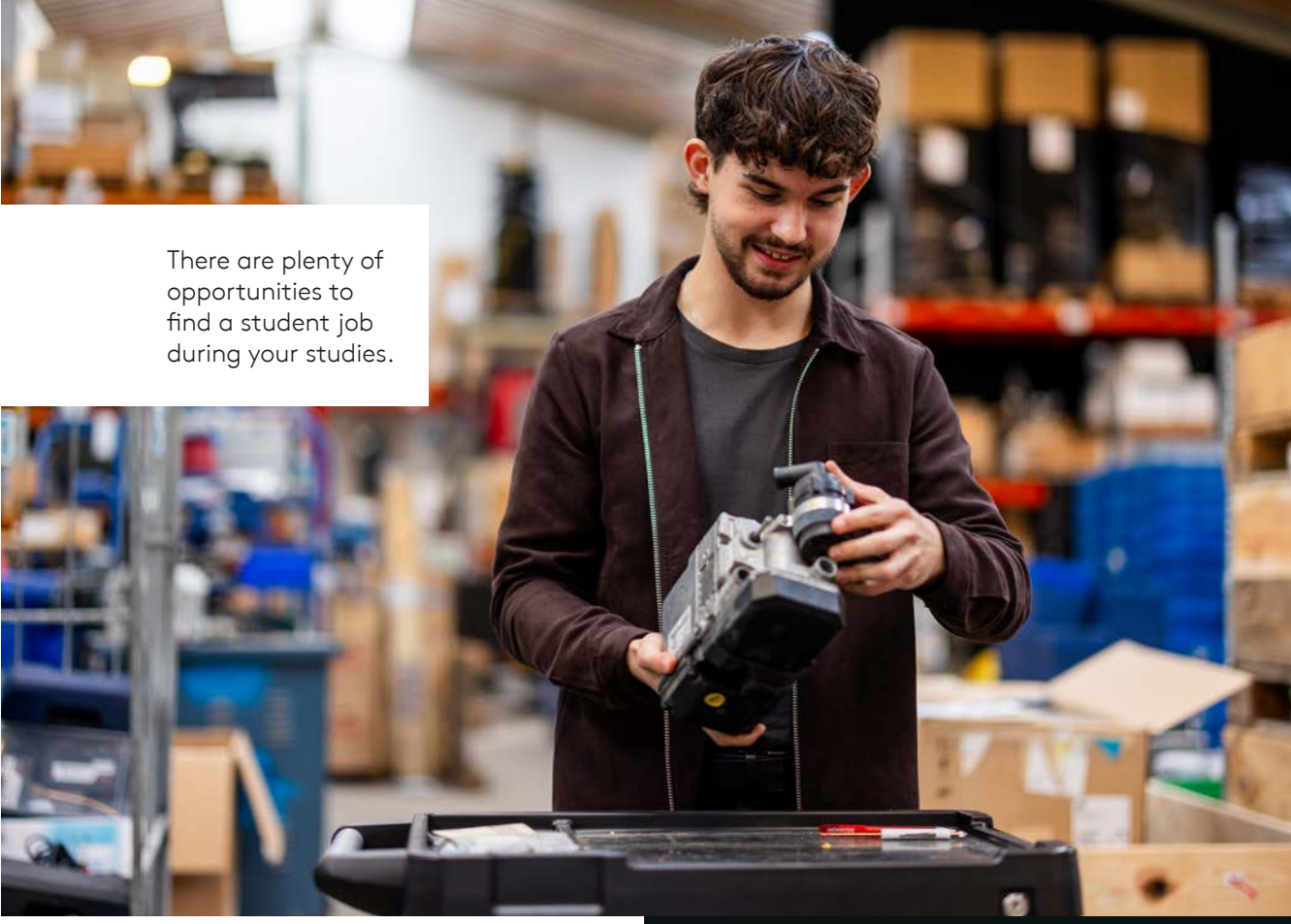
Each semester includes a semester project. You work in groups of 3 – 5 students solving real-world problems, often in collaboration with companies. It's a hands-on way to apply theory and build teamwork skills.

Experts in Teams

In the fifth semester, all engineering students are offered the course *Experts in Teams*. You'll work in multidisciplinary teams on real innovation challenges from companies, gaining experience in innovation processes.



TEK EXPO students present their semester projects to interested peers.



There are plenty of opportunities to find a student job during your studies.

Strong ties to industry

SDU works closely with internationally renowned companies seeking skilled, team-oriented graduates.

Companies such as Danfoss or Linak have invested in a new generation of engineers with great dedication and enthusiasm. One of the results of this cooperation is the first-job guarantee that you can read more about on page 37.

”Cooperation is probably one of the most important competences. You must be able to reach out and use external partners’ experience.”

-Njal Pettit, Senior Director for Technology Management & Innovation at Danfoss

Become a Master of Science in Engineering

A master's programme can be the direct continuation of your bachelor's degree, or you can change direction and expand your knowledge by choosing a different subject.

With a master's degree from SDU you can find your way to your dream job, and it is the perfect starting point for your career. It can also lead to a PhD degree and a career in research.

Legal claim for admission

As a bachelor's degree student at SDU, you have a legal claim for admission to the master's degree programme, which is a natural extension of your bachelor's degree. This means you are guaranteed a study place in the programme if you fulfil specific conditions.

Read more

At Vejle Campus you find a FABLAB open for students to make projects and try new things.

Engineering master's programmes (MSc)

Chemical Engineering and Biotechnology
(Odense)

Electrical Engineering
(Sønderborg or Odense)

Engineering, Innovation and Business
(Sønderborg)

Environmental Engineering
(Odense)

Interactive Technology Engineering
(Vejle - as of 2028)

Mechanical Engineering
(Sønderborg)

Mechatronics Engineering
(Sønderborg)

Supply Chain Digitalisation
(Sønderborg)

Operations Management
(Odense)

Engineering Physics
(Sønderborg or Odense)

Product Development and Innovation
(Odense)

Robot Systems
(Odense)

Software Engineering
(Odense, Sønderborg, or Vejle as of 2028)

How to apply for a Bachelor's programme

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Entry requirements

All previously mentioned programmes have the following entry requirements:

- ➔ Qualifying examination
- ➔ Specific entry requirements (different for each programme (QR code on page 35))

In Denmark, the national application system is based on different quotas (quota 1 or 2). All non-Danish applications get assessed in quota 2. Applications where the qualifying examination can be transferred into the Danish system, will be assessed in quota 1 as well, via the grade point average, just like all Danish applications. Through this system, some applicants have two chances to get a spot at SDU.

Language requirements

Applicants must prove at least English language qualifications on the intermediate level. You can submit a TOEFL or an IELTS test or, for most European countries, the lectures from High School can cover this requirement. Are you applying for a Danish taught programme, you must document high level of Danish language proficiency.

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Application deadline

All applicants must apply **before 15 March**, **noon**, via **www.optagelse.dk**.

The application system opens on 1 February.

Once the application is sent, a signature page opens.
This page must be sent to **admission@sdu.dk** – without this document, SDU is not able to get the application.

Shortly after 15 March, the applicant will receive a mail with a username and password to follow the application via the online communication platform **AdmissionSDU**. Missing documents, e.g., diplomas/certificates can be added to an application until 5 July, noon.

The final deadline for submitting documentation of completed qualifying education (e.g. high school diploma) is 31 August.

Some programmes require that all documentation is submitted before 5 July. This is mentioned under the entry requirements of the programme.

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Enclosures to the application

All documents needed to apply for admission must be added to the application via **www.optagelse.dk** (QR-code below).

Make sure that all documents are available right away. You can check via the list of International School Leaving examinations (> How to apply) what you have to add.

In most cases you need

- ➔ Copy of your upper secondary high school diploma (both original and certified translation). If you do not finish your high school until summer, you have to add a transcript stating the courses you have taken already and the ones you finish during summer)
- ➔ Transcript
- ➔ Statement of hours
- ➔ Documentation regarding your language proficiency.

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uniTEST - an aptitude test

We believe that you are more than your GPA. The test is an opportunity for those who do not have a qualifying examination or a high enough GPA to prove themselves and still qualify for the studies. For other applicants, it is a chance to have their application be assessed twice. It is a multiple-choice test, equal for all programmes, which can be taken online via remote proctoring. Some programmes will have additional, subject-specific tests such as interviews or written assignments. The score of your aptitude test and the score of the subject-specific tests will count in the overall assessment of your application to SDU.

Admission offer

The final answer to the application is sent as soon as possible. Rejections are sent out continually throughout the whole admission process.

Before 3 August, the applicants must accept/decline the admission.

optagelse.dk

Entry requirements for BA programmes

Contact
bacheloradmission@sdu.dk

How to get a student job

Are you a future student looking for a student job? Then you can find all the necessary information you need in one place.

Visit our webpage using the code below and get an overview of the best resources for finding jobs, getting career guidance and meeting local employers.

Find a student job

Find links to user platforms for students to find jobs that meet your skills - in Sønderborg and across Denmark.

Get career guidance

Get help with your CV, job applications or career direction - online or in a free 1:1 session at SDU.

Meet local employeers

Connect with companies at Student Collaboration Day or Aabenraa Career Fair offering jobs and internships.

First-job

guarantee

As an engineering student at SDU Sønderborg, you are guaranteed your first job when you finish your BEng or MSc studies.

To meet the increasing need for engineers in the region, local companies from the southern part of Denmark and the University of Southern Denmark have joined forces to create a unique first-job guarantee that offers new graduates 6 months of employement, if they haven't already landed their first job.

To be eligible for the job gurantee, you need to fulfil the following requirements:

1. Complete your internship or final project (BEng) with a Danish company
2. Complete your In-Company project or thesis (MSc) with a Danish company
3. Graduate without delay
4. Achieve Danish language proficiency at the B1 level. Free language courses are available on campus
5. Participate in career-related activities during your studies

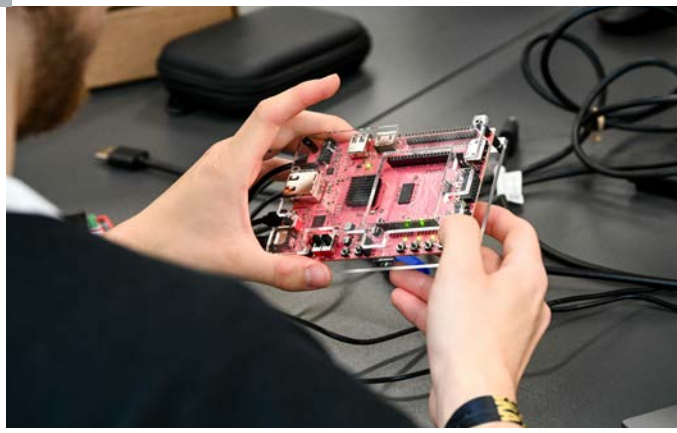
A high starting salary and a bright outlook

Denmark is renowned for its strong engineering traditions and innovative companies within, e.g., energy-efficient technologies driving the green transition. Graduating with an engineering degree from SDU ensures a top-quality education while entering a highly sought-after field of skilled engineers. The first-job guarantee opens doors to an appealing entry salary and exiting job prospects in Denmark.

One of the best decisions I've made

In 2023, Maciej Jakub Grasela left his hometown of Jasło, Poland, to study Software Engineering at the University of Southern Denmark's campus in Sønderborg.

One of the standout features for Maciej is the accessibility of SDU's teaching staff. *"There are many international and experienced teachers who are easily accessible"*, he notes.



At SDU you hear a lot of languages and meet people from all over the world. At our campus in Sønderborg you'll meet students and researchers from more than 50 different countries. One of them is Maciej, he's studying Software Engineering and has a student job at the Centre for Industrial Software.

When asked about his decision to apply to study at SDU, Maciej is clear:

"It's one of the best decisions I've made – an amazing entry point into the software industry, not only in Denmark but worldwide."

SDU also supports students in preparing for the job market, helping students connect with local employers or hiring young talents as teaching assistant or instructor. For Maciej, this support has helped prepare for an international career in IT.

Maciej describes his time at SDU so far as *amazing and truly unforgettable*. He emhasises that student life can be anything but quiet. He joined several student organisations, which helped him meet new people, organise events and try new activities.

"You'll always find like-minded people to connect with. It's easy to hang out with friends, enjoy your hobbies or even pick up new ones."

He doesn't hesitate to recommend applying to SDU. His advice is: *"Just go for it!"*.

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and get to know us better before you decide

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sdu.dk/eng

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