

AI in Doctoral Education seminar 29.10.2026 Lappeenranta campus

Programme

Time	Program	Speakers
9:30 – 10:00	MORNING COFFEE	
10:00-10.10	Welcome	Mari Kallioinen-Mänttari, Provost
10.10-12.00	Keynote: AI in Pedagogy Keynote: AI in Research Keynote: AI in Working life <i>Introduction of afternoon sessions</i>	Teemu Roos, Professor HY Niki Loppi, PhD, Solution architect, NVIDIA Paavo Ritala, Professor LUT <i>Facilitators</i>
12:0-13:00	LUNCH , self paid	
13:00-15:00	BREAKOUT 1: AI in RESEARCH AI in the research process from start to end, overview AI, data and information security in research (TENK) AI in research process, experiences from LUT staff: 1. Academic writing 2. Literature review	FACILITATORS: Johanna Naukkarinen, Associate professor, and Emmi Turunen, AI Head Designer Markus Mäkelä, Head of AI, Management Emmi Turunen, AI Head Designer, IT 1. Sebastian Malinowski, Senior Lecturer, Language Center 2. Johanna Naukkarinen, Associate professor (non-tenure), LES 3. Mika Immonen, Associate professor (non-tenure), LBS 4. Maud Reveilhac, Assistant Professor (Tenure Track), LENS, Social Sciences

	3. Qualitative data gathering and analysis (unstructured data) 4. Quantitative data gathering and analysis (structured data)	
13:00-15:00	BREAKOUT 2: AI in PEDAGOGY Workshop	FACILITATORS: Eero Nukari, Educational Technology Manager, and Aino Voutilainen, Educational Technology Designer
13:00-15:00	BREAK OUT 3: AI in IN WORKING LIFE Practical examples of AI implications from different industries Customer interface Tehnology and operations People and organizations	FACILITATORS: Paavo Ritala, Professor Business Studies and Harri Koponen, Growth Fellow Lähitapiola, Sari Ropponen, Chief Actuary - Commentary: Toni Karvonen, Associate Professor, Computational engineering thtRobotics (a LUT spinoff), Velimir Elezovic, Chief Operative Officer - Commentary: Heikki Handroos, Professor, Mechanical Engineering Elisa, Saku Tihveräinen, Global Talent Attraction Lead - Commentary: Naijmul Islam, Professor, Head of Software Engineering department
15:00-15:20	COFFEE	
15:20-16:00	SUMMING UP iSampo – transforming research into business Summing up the breakout sessions Closing words	FACILITATORS: Susanna Sankala Green Campus Open Breakout facilitators Jarno Hovi, Director of Administrative Services
16:00	FINISH	