

MASTER THESIS GRANT NORD-TROMS

Are you going to write a master thesis that has some kind of relevance for Nord-Troms? If so, you have the opportunity to apply for a grant of up to 40,000 NOK!



The aim of this grant is to encourage the accumulation of new knowledge relevant for the region that includes the municipalities Kvænangen, Nordreisa, Kåfjord, Lyngen, Storfjord and Skjervøy. The grant is established through a cooperation between several development groups in the region.

- ☑ Students who can apply for the grant are those who are going to write their thesis the coming study year.
- ☑ The educational institution must be approved by the Norwegian State Educational Loan Fund (Statens lånekasse).
- ☑ Students do not need to write the thesis in Nord-Troms or have any affiliation to the region in order to apply.

We do not issue guidelines for the topic of the applicant's thesis, but have suggested some possible topics for master theses.

Application deadlines: 15 October 2019 and 1 June 2020
Application form: www.nordtromsportalen.no

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Suggested thesis topics relevant for Nord-Troms

- ☑ The youth initiative of Nord-Troms Regionråd (Nord-Troms Regional Committee) since 1998 and until today. What are the results of the initiative?
- ☑ Nature, outdoor recreation, management, geography, tourism, etc.
- ☑ Culture – history. A thesis that provides new knowledge of the history and prehistory of the region.
- ☑ Recruitment. How should the public and businesses work to recruit desired workforce to Nord-Troms?
- ☑ Workplaces: How can new workplaces be facilitated for/ created in Nord-Troms?
- ☑ The Norwegianization process in Nord-Troms.
- ☑ Aquaculture and fisheries in Nord-Troms.
- ☑ The infirmity model, a cooperation between the four northernmost municipalities in Troms. A socioeconomic analysis is called for.
- ☑ Who is the typical entrepreneur in Nord-Troms?

Studies/theses that received a grant 2016–2018

- ☑ Music/ culture: «Laestadian Psalm singing as a gateway towards understanding Kven culture»
- ☑ Design: «The Sami half-hour» – Sami culture and values expressed through clothing
- ☑ Biology: «Patterns and drivers of phylogenetic diversity and endemism in the Norwegian vascular flora»
- ☑ Teaching: «Evaluation practices among teachers of mathematics»
- ☑ Teaching: «Sami identity development in the Norwegian school subject»
- ☑ Geology: «Atmospheric circulation patterns associated with avalanche cycles in the Troms region»