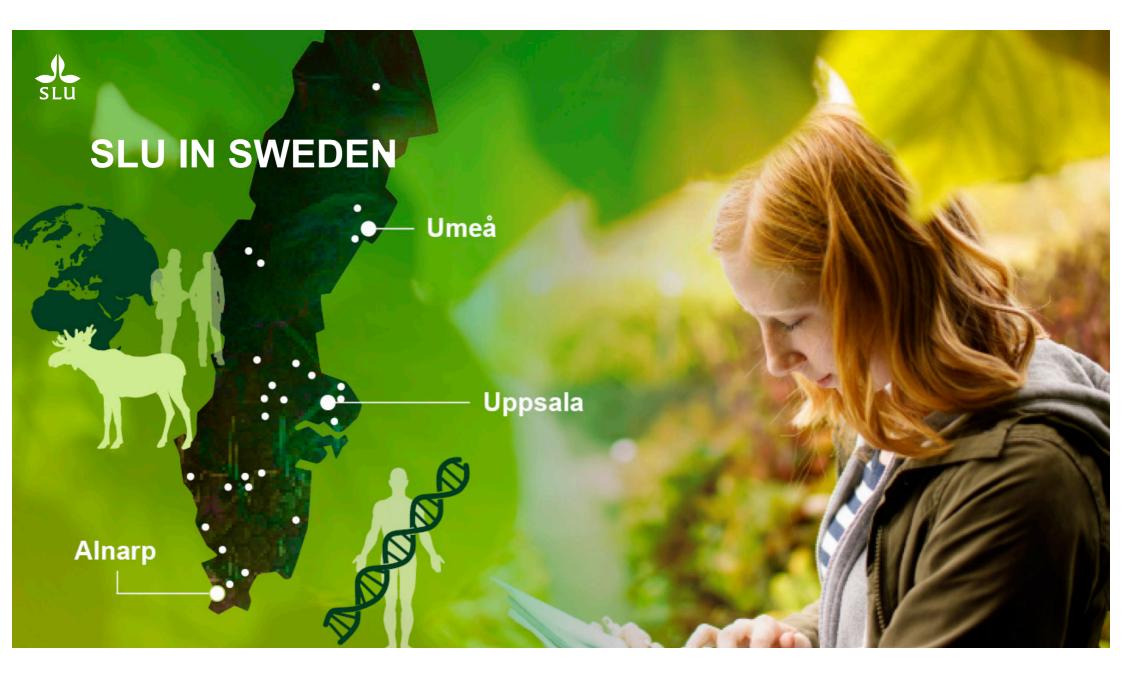




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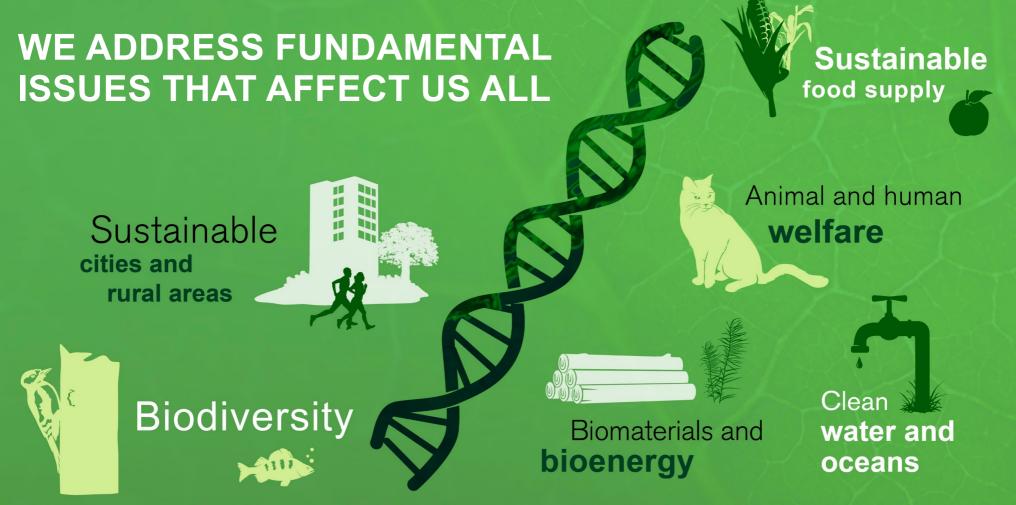
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SLU develops the understanding and sustainable management of biological natural resources

- Through research, education and environmental monitoring in collaboration with the surrounding community.

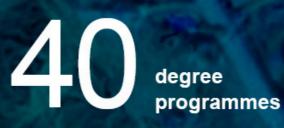








SLU IN FIGURES



200 PROFESSORS

550 doctoral students

3,000 full-time employees



3,500 million in turnover (SEK)





The Barents region

- Located in the far north...
- Yet an international stronghold for forestry in many respects!
- And thus an important region for the transition to circular biobased economies! This region has a lot to offer!



Forest Sciences in Umeå

- The main location for forest research in Sweden (SLU, Skogforsk and Umeå University)
- The main location for forestry education at university level in Sweden
- Many collaborative programmes and centres, such as
 - EFI's forest bioeconomy network (former EFINORD)
 - Future Forests
 - UPSC
 - CERE



We are very happy to host you!