

Vmware Academic Program / Brightspace D2L Account Guide

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VMAP is available for all IT students that are **undergoing JAMK degree programmes**. This means VMAP will not be provided for exchange students or students through open university courses.

VMAP is provided using VMware Brightspace D2L Platform. Unfortunately the process for getting into the software is somewhat complicated. This guide hopefully will show all the necessary steps for creating an account and downloading VMware software.

Creating a D2L Account

Student accounts are enrolled as bundles at the start of the semester. When your account is active, you will be provided with a message to your JAMK e-mail:



A VMware Subscription Has Been Allocated to You

[Click here to login or register an account to proceed.](#)

Upon Redeeming this Subscription, you will have access to the following:

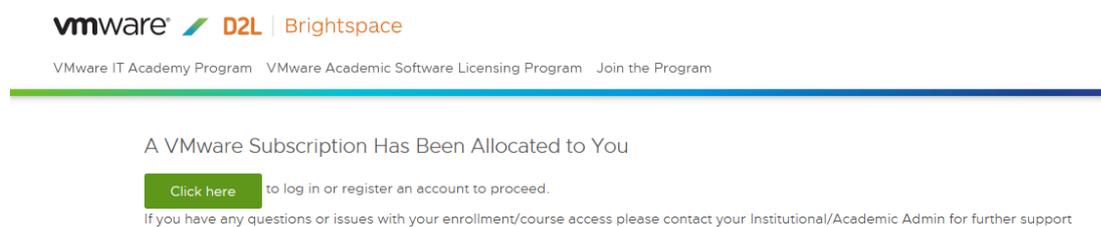
Software Products & License Keys
VMware vSphere: Install, Configure, Manage v7.0 English

If you have any questions, please contact your instructor.

Customer Services Contact Information

If you have any questions please contact refer to [this site](#).

When you click the link, you should be provided with a following page for account enrollment:



By continuing you will see the following two options:

Do you already have an account as an academic user on the D2L platform?

If you have already been registered as an Academy Admin, Instructor or Student please log in here

Log in

Has your Academy Admin already registered you to a class on the D2L platform?

If yes please finish your registration process here.

Register

Choose **Register** and fill out the account information and click **Create account**:

Home > [Create An Account](#)

If you are looking to apply to become a VMware IT Academy Program or an Academic Software Licensing Program please click the "Join the Program" tab at the top and then "Apply" in order to correctly apply.

If you need additional help please follow this tutorial video [D2L # 1 How to Apply to the Program - YouTube](#)

Please enter your information below. All fields with * are required.

Account Details:

Email Address:*

opiskelijatunnus@jamk.fi

Confirm Email:*

opiskelijatunnus@jamk.fi

Password:*

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Password (again):*

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Contact Details:

First name:*

Otto

Last name:*

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Terms and Conditions:

I have read and accepted the [Learner Terms of use Agreement](#).*

I would like to receive program information. Please see our [Privacy Policy](#).

Create Account

When your account is created you can use the **Student Login** -link at the top of the page <https://itacademy.vmware.com/>

Student Login

Instructor/Admin Login

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USD - US Dollars



(If the system asks for an username/account name, it is the same as your e-mail address.)

Browsing VMAP content

After login, you will be shown the following page (the contents may vary depending what the VMAP package contains for our institute):

The screenshot shows the VMAP user interface. At the top, there are logos for VMware, D2L, and Brightspace, along with user profile information for Otto Opiskellija. A navigation bar includes 'Help', 'Discover', and 'Return to "My Account" Page'. The main content area is divided into two sections: 'My Courses' and 'Announcements'. Under 'My Courses', there are two course cards: 'VMware vSphere: Install, Configure and Manage 7' and 'Key Download Catalog: SOFTWARE LICENSING'. The 'Announcements' section features a post titled 'New functions for the DCV CTS course!' with a close button (X). The post text reads: 'Anonymous User posted on Feb 1, 2022 12:22 AM', 'Edited', 'You talked, we heard you :)', 'The DCV CTS course has been enhanced with assessments, surveys and even a completion certificate!', and 'Everything has been added to the course, please check it out and give'.

The platform provides materials and software product **licenses/keys** for download. You can find the licenses under **Software Products & License Keys** -link. The actual license download links are shown in red here:

The screenshot shows the 'Software Products & License Keys' page. The header includes 'Course Home' and 'SOFTWARE Software Products & License Keys LICENSING'. The main content area is titled 'Software Licensing Main Widget IT Academy'. It contains a paragraph about the VMware IT Academy Licensing for education and research purposes, followed by a list of steps: 'Step 1: Getting your 1-Year License Key' (with a red circle around 'Software License Catalog'), 'Step 2: Getting your Software Product Download' (with a red circle around 'MyVMware Portal'), and 'Step 3: Licensing your Product'. To the right, there is a section titled 'Direct Links for Software Download' with a list of VMware products. A red circle highlights the text 'To request software license keys click here.' at the bottom of this list.

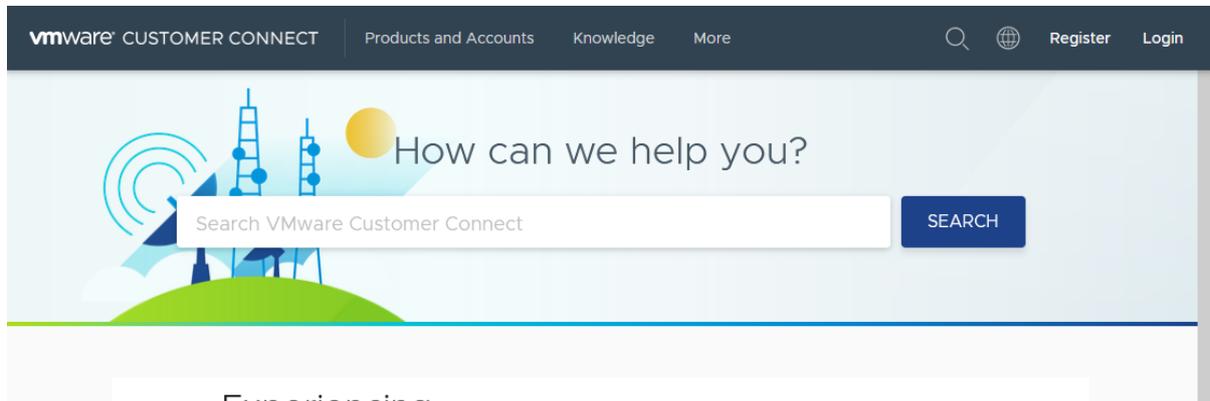
Those links will take you to a catalog where you can request for licenses to VMware products:

 Fusion Pro™ VMware Fusion 11.x Pro (for Intel-based Macs) Get your Key for VMware Fusion 11.x Pro (for Intel-based Macs). Version: 11.5.0 SKU: FUS11-PRO-A Request Free	 Workstation Player™ VMware Workstation 16 Player Get your Key for VMware Workstation 16 Player. Version: 16 SKU: WS16-PLAY-A Request Free	 Workstation Pro™ VMware Workstation 16 Pro Get your Key for VMware Workstation Pro. Version: 16 SKU: WS16-PRO-A Request Free	 Fusion™ VMware Fusion 12 Player Get your Key for VMware Fusion 12.x Player. Version: 10.1.6 SKU: FUS12-Play-A Request Free
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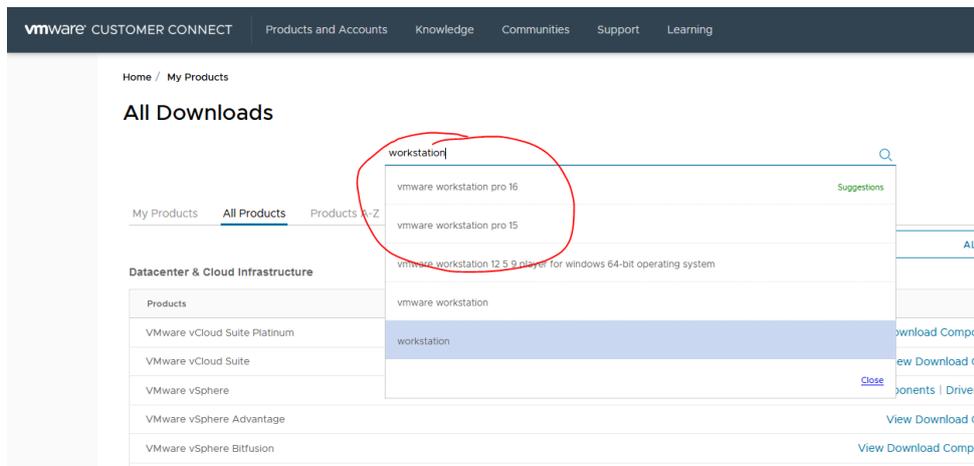
By clicking the request button under a product, you will be sent a license key to your e-mail. This might take a while.

Downloading software

Unfortunately, the catalog mentioned above only provides licenses for the software. If you read through the **Software Products & License Keys** -page, you might have already found the link to MyVMware Portal, which is the official download site for VMware products and needs another account. By clicking the **MyVMware Portal** -link (it takes you to <https://my.vmware.com/>) you will be shown the portal that is actually named **VMware Customer Connect**:



You can register a new account from upper right corner. After you jump through the hoops for account creation, you can find most of the VMware products under **Products and Accounts** -> **All products**. The fastest way to find what you are looking for is to search with the name of the product you requested the license for:



The portal provide several different versions for software, so make sure the license matches the version. Download-links are also usually dependent on the operating system:

Home / VMware Workstation Pro

Download VMware Workstation Pro

Select Version: **16.0** ▾

Select the relevant installation package to download from the tabs below. You may be prompted to log in to complete the download. If you do not have a profile, you may be asked to create one before being able to complete the download process.

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VMware Workstation 16.2.1 Pro for Linux	2021-11-09	GO TO DOWNLOADS

Finally by clicking GO TO DOWNLOADS you are taken to a page where you can download the software:

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Download Product

Select Version: **16.2.2** ▾

Documentation: [Release Notes](#)

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