



Mosjøen

Norway

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Our Country and City

- **Norway:** 5,328 million people (2019)
- **Nordland county:** 243 335 people (2014)
- **City:** Mosjøen = 9 843 people (2018)
- **Sami** = indigenous people
- **1** upper secondary school
- **4** different locations
- **10** fields of education



Alcoa Mosjøen



- The aluminium-plant started in 1958 and was owned by Elkem and AIAG
- Alcoa took over the aluminium-plant in 1963
- The plant in Mosjøen produces custom-made rolling blanks and low-iron cast alloys
- The products are exported to customers mainly in Europe
- About 40% of all beer and soft drinks on the market in Europe have lids rolled out of metal manufactured in Mosjøen
- Has large diversity of employees



FRU HAUGANS

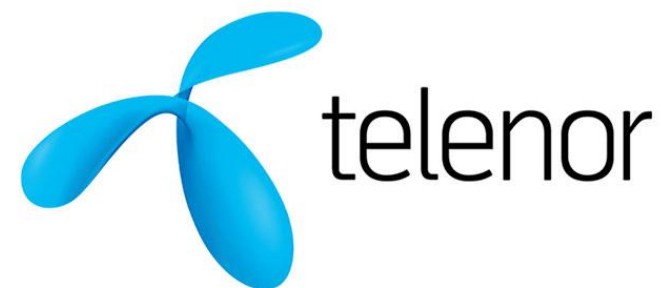


Fru Haugans Hotel

- Been a hotel since 1794
- Ellen Haugen bought the hotel in 1898.
- The Hotel needed lots of work, but Ellen was a tough and a hard-working woman
- In five generations women have run the hotel
- Today the fifth generation is running the hotel, with Ellen Løvold Stand in the lead
- The hotel have restaurants, bars and conference-rooms
- cooperates with several attractions in Mosjøen
- Is one of the most known companies in Mosjøen



Major
Employers



Unemployment

- 20-24 years:
2,9% unemployment
in Nordland County
- 3,9%
unemployment National
- 78 unemployed
in Vefsn municipality
- The Government –
competition among
private and public sectors

Young employment

TYPE OF EMPLOYMENT:

- Today 1 out of 2 has part-time job & summer jobs, while in 1990`s 3 out of 4 had jobs like that
- Students at universities often have part-time jobs
- Apprentice starts with 40% salary the first year and within 2 years they have full salary

NAV:

- Public sector that takes care of people that has fallen of the track, and helps them to apply for jobs

2019	Working youths
Women	64,90 %
Men	66,70 %

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