

Travel Report

GENERAL INFORMATION

What was your semester abroad like?

I agree to the publication of the report and attached photos (there are no third parties rights to these photos)	Yes
New outgoing students sometimes ask us for a way to contact former outgoings. Are we allowed to pass on your contact details in case of inquiries?	No
My stay (this information will not be displayed if the report is published)	
Academic year	2022/2023
Start semester	Herbst/Fall 2022/23
Duration in semesters	2
Study program at EUF	BA European Cultures and Society
Subject 1 (only applicable to teacher training students)	
Subject 2 (only applicable to teacher training students)	
Subject 3 (only applicable to teacher training students)	
Host country	Hungary
Host university	Eötvös Loránd Tudományegyetem

YOUR PERSONAL EXPERIENCE

How did you prepare for the semester abroad? What should be organized in advance?	Attending the semester abroad information session and thanks to the program coordinator
Where did you live and how did you find your accommodation (self-organized/provided by host university, dormitory/private etc.)?	I lived in a shared flat which I found on Facebook
Did you participate in events for exchange students? How did you establish social contacts in other ways?	Definitely. As an Erasmus student, you have the chance to participate in several intercultural activities organized by the host university which will make it easy to connect with fellow students upon your arrival
How satisfied were you with the host university (facilities, staff etc.) and the course offer (workload etc.)?	Everything was well organized. I did not find a huge difference with the German education system, except that some of the courses had mandatory attendance
Did you learn the local language? How important was the language for your stay?	Just a few words to get away in my daily life; however English was widely spoken so there were no challenges with that language barrier

What intercultural experiences/skills have marked your stay?

I was networking with students all around the globe and gained the ability to improve my communication skills even if both parties did not understand each other

Which perspectives on your host country/home country have changed - and why?

I got to appreciate even more the multidisciplinary that my degree has. This gave me the ease to adapt to new forms of learning

How was your everyday life (leisure, shopping, transportation, inclusion etc.)?

Everyday life was exciting. I would typically start the day going to the university and then discover the city since it has a lot to offer. Travelling around Europe was as well a highlight of the experience due to my perfect location which made it easy and really budget friendly

How did you manage financially? How much did you spend on visa (if applicable), travel, accommodation (per month), living expenses, leisure activities, other expenses (books etc.)?

The Erasmus Grant was more than enough to cover my accommodation expenses; however, the living cost was covered by my budget.

What was your best/worst experience? Is there anything else you would like to share?

The best experience was the incredible connection I made and the opportunity to discover new regions of Europe. And there was no room for a single bad experience

Would you recommend a semester abroad at your host university? For what reasons?

I would recommend it for the large option of offered courses and the beautiful city where it is located

PHOTOS

In this section, you may upload some photos that represent your stay abroad. When selecting the photos, please bear in mind that the pictures will be visible online if you have given us the permission to publish your report.

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