



My Erasmus experience

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About myself

I am Girinath Anandhan, studying Final year of Mechatronics at Mechanical and Design faculty. I had my Erasmus experience at Warsaw University of Technology, Poland.

P.S. I have currently started my Erasmus in France as well





Preparation(1/2)

- Once you get Nominated get the OLA signed and ask for your offer letter from the host university. In my case its WUT.
- Make sure that you contact the faculty co-ordinators at both universities and keep them updated on situation. Make sure the courses are on English.
- Write to international co-ordinator of host university to ask the them regarding housing information and polish student card



Preparation(2/2)

- Select your subjects and faculties which suits your schedule before the start of university. If the course from the other faulty you will be needing permission from faculty co-ordinators
- Order your Tram/bus card within few days of arrival it can save a lot of money as few of the faculties are not nearby.



So how was my Erasmus Experience?

- My overall Erasmus in Poland was so helpful in discovering myself. It helped me to learn pros and cons when I travel and study. Especially Studies in Warsaw University of Technology is quite a bit stronger when compared to Lithuania. But in the everything turned out be an amazing adventure.

What did I gain from Erasmus?

- Networks, within a week I was a part of Start Warsaw one of non profitable entrepreneurship organisations in Europe and also I travelled to few other countries for conferences too. I got a few good networks in Warsaw and Berlin.





Difficulties from my experience

- It almost took a month to get my student card. So please talk with your hosting faculty before leaving to Erasmus.
- Schedules. Two of my classes are on different faculties so it was rush everytime. Break between between classes are 15 mins approx.
- Be careful when you walk on praga district and always carry your residence cards

P.S. Never wear logo/brand displaying t-shirt when going for pub or party on weekends(let's hope everything will be normal soon!!!)

Thank you for listening!!

If you guys have anything now or even when starting Erasmus never hesitate
to contact me!!!

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