

Evaluation of study abroad

This evaluation will give the University of Aalborg important information in regards to your study in a foreign country. The evaluation will be used to help future students who wish to try studying abroad.

International Office

1. Personal data

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Study programme at AAU and semester of travel: __Erasmus, Tourism_____

2. Study abroad

Which university did you study at (and in which country):__Universidad Alfonso X El Sabio / Spain _____

Starting date: __22/01-2016__ End date (including exam):__06/06-2016_____

Did you find the length of the study:
too short too long perfect

Please elaborate: _____

What was your main motivation for studying abroad?

- To experience different learning contents/curricula
- To learn/ improve a foreign language
- To develop my ability
- To experience different learning and teaching practices
- To gain knowledge of anohter country

Please describe the courses you studied as well as evaluate them:

When there were 3 in English and 3 in Spanish, I will say that the Spanish part were very difficult for me to learn something from.

1. The courses were in Spanish
2. How they teaching and how we had to get the knowledge

3. Information and support

Who was your contact-person at the university? ___Elisa Aracil Fernández___

How were you received as a foreign student?

Fine, but it could be better

Did they arrange any of these upon your arrival?

a welcome meeting an information meeting nothing

Please elaborate: _____

Were there any other special events for foreign students at the university during your stay, and if yes, which?

Yes, some in the first month, f.x. a trip to Toledo and Station Bernabeu, but after the first month, no events, only a trip to Ibiza, where you could meet other Erasmus students.

How would you describe your social gains from these events?

Fine.

How well and to what extent did you integrate with your fellow students at the university?

No so good, I didn't know most of the students.

4. Accommodation

How were the practical arrangements managed (accommodation etc.)?

X

6. Language preparations and gains

What language(s) were used for teaching at the university?

We had 3 subjects in English and 3 in Spanish.

Did you receive any additional language lessons?

yes no

If yes, for how many weeks did the lessons last?

How many hours a week?

From 1st of February to 16th of May, and 3 hours a week.

Please give a brief evaluation of how your linguistic skills benefitted from your study abroad:

My listening have been better, but sometime I would still got confuse about the grammar, especially when I had to think while I was talking to someone.

7. Economy

How did you finance your stay?

SU family savings loans grants

Other (what?): _____

Total expenses per month (DKK): _____6500_____

Break down of your economy (DKK):

Travel(TOTAL): _____1.0000_____

Rent (per month): _____ 285 EU / 2200 DKK _____

Living expenses (food, laundry, etc.) (per month): _____ 2500 _____

Insurance (TOTAL): _____ 1.833,50 _____

Transport (per month): _____ 20 EU/ 151 DKK _____

Books: _____ 0 _____

Total (for 5 months): _____ 52.585,5 _____

Other expenses: _____

How much more did you spend each month abroad compared to your expenses if you had stayed at Aalborg University? (DKK per month):

About 6000 DKK

Are there any grants you would recommend other students to apply for?

No.

8. Personal gains and evaluation of study abroad

Please consider the value of your study abroad from an academic point of view?

Good.

Please consider the value of your study abroad from a personal point of view?

Not good

Please give a short evaluation of the benefits of studying abroad from a social point of view:

I have meet some very nice friends, and have exercise a new country with a new view from many aspects.

Did you experience any serious issues or problems during your studies?
If yes, how did you solve them or how were you helped in solving them?

Noting big problems only with the timetable, but we figured it out by asking the International Office

Are there any things about the study abroad that you especially appreciate??

Meeting new people

Please make a short, overall evaluation of your study abroad:

I don't have a social life in the school, but I have one outside the school.
I tried to find different ways to meet new people, to develop my ability, to experience a new culture.

Would you like to be contact person for students who may be interested in studying at the same university?

Yes.