

mentors, contact with other students	really thankful for all their assistance, and they truly made my experience in Switzerland much smoother and better.
Budgeting Living costs, study material, money transfer	The living costs in Switzerland is definitely on the higher end on the scale. Groceries is expensive, and so are printing and study materials. Money withdrawal, however, is very easy. One can simply withdraw money using their foreign cards from the local ATMs, or open a bank account with the local banks for money transfer.
Living/ leisure Meeting places, sports, culture	Lucerne is full of communal places, such as by the lake or the river at Emmenbrücke. The University also provides many opportunities for sports, as it has a structured program with specific days for different sports for students to enjoy. Switzerland is particularly known for its skiing facilities, and the snow sports scene there is very good. In terms of culture, the vibe in Lucerne is very cheerful and there are always great events to see.
Comparison What is better/ worse at the University of Lucerne as compared to your home university?	The mobility coordinator in Lucerne is definitely better than the one at my Home University. There are also much better opportunities for sports here at Lucerne. On the downside, my Home University has a larger and better library.
Reasons Why did you choose to complete an exchange semester at the University of Lucerne?	The main reason was for travel – Lucerne is located right in the middle of Europe, making it ideal for travelling within Europe. The secondary reason is the courses offered – Lucerne courses are uniquely oriented to international law, which is very interesting, and also taught entirely in English.
Duration Looking back, was the duration of your stay here:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> too short <input type="checkbox"/> too long <input type="checkbox"/> just right