



Final Report on your Study Exchange at the University of Lucerne

Please write the report (max. 2 pages) in German or English and in complete sentences (no keywords).

Mobility Program	PARTNERSHIP (outside Europe)
Home university	University of Tasmania
Semester	Fall term 2016
Field of study	Law, Bachelor
Name and E-Mail (optional)	

General impression Please describe your stay in 4-5 sentences	The University was very nice and had a professional and student friendly environment. The accommodation was also okay, it was a 5 minute train ride and close to shops and amenities.
Entry/ arrival in Switzerland Immigration formalities, visa	Immigration formalities require that students register themselves at their Canton office. Not too time consuming.
Searching for rooms/ accommodation Experiences and useful addresses	Very easy. The University of Luzern organizes this very well.
Public transportation Train, bus, accessibility of university buildings	Switzerland has the best transport in the world. Expensive yet fast, efficient and reliable.
Prearrangements Registration for courses, language tests, academic records	This whole process was facilitated by the University of Luzern. The process was very easy.
Information on the university Location, size, infrastructure	The location is perfect, a 30 second walk from the train station. The size is also perfect and everything is in one building. Law takes up just one floor.
German course at the university "German Short Course" visited? Content of course, use?	German course was a great way to meet other law students. The content of the course was not as in depth as I would have liked but the class was very enjoyable and well structured and planned.
Studying at the university Content of lectures, credits, assessments	The lectures were only 2 hours per week. No additional tutorials were necessary. The reading was also fairly straight ford and did not take up a huge amount of time. There was plenty of time for travelling and seeing Switzerland.
Assistance at the university Mobility Coordinator, International Relations Office, student advisors, mentors, contact with other students	The staff were extremely helpful.
Budgeting Living costs, study material, money transfer	Switzerland is extremely expensive however, I was able to budget to travel and engage in other activities. The cost of living is fairly similar to Australia however, train travel and eating out in Luzern can be very expensive.
Living/ leisure Meeting places, sports, culture	The University offers an array of sport classes. I really enjoyed these gym classes. They are also free.
Comparison What is better/ worse at the University of Lucerne as compared to your home university?	The workload is better at the University of Luzern than UTAS. The exams are also better as they are oral exams, which are far less pressure than written exams. I struggle to find something worse than UTAS at the University of Luzern.

Reasons Why did you choose to complete an exchange semester at the University of Lucerne?	Switzerland is beautiful and I also wanted to do International Human Rights and Public Law.
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