

## Final Report on Study Exchange at the University of Lucerne

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

<b>Mobility program</b>	<b>PARTNERSHIP</b>
<b>Home university</b>	NALSAR University of Law
<b>Field of study</b>	Law
<b>Semester</b>	Fall term 2013
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<b>General impression</b> Please describe your stay in 4-5 sentences	Staying in Luzern was one of my best study experiences. The perfect atmosphere for academics and networking. The transnational legal studies program is unique in that it provides a rarely found opportunity to interact with people from across the world.
<b>Entry/ arrival in Switzerland</b> Immigration formalities, visa	The arrival formalities are simple. You need to apply for the visa with the VFS in India. Upon entry you have to register with the Gemeinde and the immigration office. The mobility office more or less co-ordinates everything for you.
<b>Searching for rooms/ accommodation</b> Experiences and useful addresses	I was provided accommodation by the University with the Stu Wo so I never faced a problem.
<b>Public transportation</b> Train, bus, accessibility of university buildings	Public transportation is a little expensive however with a monthly pass, half tax and Glies Sieben you can cut down heavily on your transportation costs.
<b>Prearrangements</b> Registration for courses, language tests, academic records	You can gain from the in-house German lessons provided by the university. Course selection was effortless with the help and assistance of the Student Advisor and the respective faculty members.
<b>Information on university</b> Location, size, infrastructure	The location factor of Uni LU is the greatest benefit it has. It is well connected with the Bahnhof just by its side and the main bus stop a few steps away.
<b>German course at the university</b> „German for Beginners“ visited? Content of course, usage	It was one of my most memorable experiences at the program. It enabled me to understand and settle in the Swiss way of life.
<b>Studying at the university</b> Content of lectures, credits, assessments	The content of the lectures was amazing yet I believe the courses can be more intense and informative.
<b>Assistance at the university</b> Student advisors, Mobility Office, mentors, contact with other students	The University provides excellent administrative assistance. I never had any problems with any formalities.
<b>Budgeting</b> Living costs, study material, money transfer	The living costs can burn huge holes in your pocket. My living costs were around CHF 400-500 a month excluding rent and given that I am a vegetarian. The insurance costs are the most unpleasant expenditure.
<b>Living/ leisure</b> Meeting places, sports, culture	Emmenbrücke is an amazing place. Very good sports and leisure facilities are available around the residence. I loved the Yoga classes from the Hochschule Sports.
<b>Comparison</b> What is better/ worse at the University of Lucerne compared to your home university?	I would prefer the course content and intensity at my university. I love the academic atmosphere in terms of accommodating nature of the University more in Luzern.