



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 Notre Dame, USA
Semester	Fall term 2016
Field of study	Law, Master
Name and E-Mail (optional)	

General impression Please describe your stay in 4-5 sentences	Really good experience, a wonderful study abroad. The professors and course content were professional and excellent.
Entry/ arrival in Switzerland Immigration formalities, visa	Fairly easy arrival, however, the immigration office took a very long time getting our resident permit to us, causing those of us who wished to leave the country for trips considerable problems.
Searching for rooms/ accommodation Experiences and useful addresses	I stayed in Gerliswilstrasse, which was ok for the price but was not in a very nice part of the city. Additionally, there were maintenance issues that were not addressed in a timely fashion there.
Public transportation Train, bus, accessibility of university buildings	Great. No problems here.
Prearrangements Registration for courses, language tests, academic records	Registration was a little confusing, but no really bad issues.
Information on the university Location, size, infrastructure	Good!
German course at the university "German Short Course" visited? Content of course, use?	Yes, I enjoyed the short course. It would have been really helpful if this short course had provided more information on how to take the student mentor courses to continue our learning
Studying at the university Content of lectures, credits, assessments	The content of the lectures was great, no further comments.
Assistance at the university Mobility Coordinator, International Relations Office, student advisors, mentors, contact with other students	Everyone was very helpful!
Budgeting Living costs, study material, money transfer	For the most part, costs were manageable, and the study materials were affordable.
Living/ leisure Meeting places, sports, culture	I really enjoyed Luzern, no specific notes on this point.
Comparison What is better/ worse at the University of Lucerne as compared to your	Unilu is in a better location than my home university, and has a wonderful emphasis on professors who are active practitioners. I was surprised how little discussion took place in the classes, however, I wish this would have been encouraged more.

home university?	
Reasons Why did you choose to complete an exchange semester at the University of Lucerne?	Great location, interesting legal context, worldwide reputation of Switzerland for being strong in the international law context.
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