

**FDV****UNIVERSITY OF LJUBLJANA**
Faculty of Social Sciences

Država in naziv institucije študijske izmenjave: Poland, University of Warsaw

Študijsko leto in trajanje izmenjave: 24/25 - 4 mes.

1. Zakaj ste se odločili za študij v tujini?

To be able to experience a new city and environment.

2. Na kratko opišite državo, kjer ste opravljali študijsko izmenjavo (velikost, prebivalstvo, kultura, odprtost ljudi, ...).

I would say that Poland is a great country with a lot of rich culture and many great cities to visit.

3. Na kratko opišite mesto, v katerem ste bili na izmenjavi (velikost, prebivalstvo, kultura, odprtost ljudi, organiziranost storitev, festivali ...).

I would say that Warsaw, Poland was a beautiful city with a lot of history, though I found the people there to be a bit cold. I enjoyed the food a lot! The transport is one of the best in Europe.

4. Na kratko opišite gostujočo univerzo (velikost, študijski programi, število tujih študentov, ponudba storitev na kampusu, bližina namestitev ...)?

The University of Warsaw was a great and welcoming University with a good diverse academic program. It is located across several spots in Warsaw but the main campus is in the city centre with around 5-6 faculties in its proximity. It was around 15 minutes by bus from the dorm (depending on which dorm you are put it).

5. Prosimo za nekaj napotkov in praktičnih informacij, ki ste jih pridobili na študijski izmenjavi, po naslednjih sklopih:

a. Obveznosti, ki jih je treba (je priporočljivo) **urediti pred odhodom in po prihodu na tujo univerzo** (urejanje namestitve, zavarovanja, odprtje bančnega računa, mestni prevoz in druge pomembne, ...)

You may open a bank account in Poland but I already had a Slovenian one so I did not require it since it is all in the SEPA zone. I would suggest to always use Revolut as a secondary bank since the fees are great for currency exchange since in Poland they use a different currency to EUR. Health insurance works under the European Health Insurance Card across Member States.

b. Akademsko leto (kdaj se po navadi začnejo predavanja, kako potekajo študijske počitnice, ...)

The academic year started on the 7.10 and ended 7.2. There is a 1-2 week winter break in between and some public national holidays that are non-working.

c. Predmetnik (katere predmete si lahko izmenjevalni študenti izberejo)

There was a mix of great classes available to pick from, even that didn't directly have to do with my course in Political Theory - but was good to have for real-world instances.

d. Predavanja (v katerem jeziku potekajo predavanja, ali se preverja prisotnost na predavanjih, ali potekajo predavanja skupaj z domačimi študenti, kako se te razlikujejo od predavanj doma ...)

For some of the classes, they offer online versions of them so you can organize your time well and still take those classes. The classes are majority interactive in general and the professors are very understanding and all speak great English!

- e. **Študijske obveznosti** (kako potekajo izpiti, kako se razlikujejo od izpitov doma, kakšen obseg sprotne delo zahteva tuja univerza, seminarske naloge ...)

There is a period of exams just after winter holidays and you can take your exams then. Usually the professors were flexible with Erasmus students since they know that we have to return to our homes at one point so they were understanding of everyone's personal situations and supported us getting good grades.

- f. **Študijska literatura** (kako se jo pridobi, ali je dostopna tudi rabljena, je plačljiva)

All literature for my subjects were provided to me and were accessible online. You also have access to the library too.

- g. **Dostopnost univerze** (ali je univerza v mestu ali izven mesta, so transportne povezave dobro urejene ...)

The University is in the city and is accessible with all modes of transport.

- h. **Učenje tujega jezika države institucije** (ali so študentu na izmenjavi na voljo tečajji tujega jezika, katere skupine priporočate, ...)

You have the option to take a Polish language integration course but you don't get credits for this - you must double check since it may change from year to year. One of my options was taking the Polish language as a separate course (A2) and it was great!

- i. **Nastanitev** (kakšno obliko namestitve priporočate, ali so na voljo študentski domovi, kako se prijaviti zanje, kdaj se po navadi ureja vse potrebno, ...)

You have the option to apply for student housing before the semester starts. They are standard equipped, but it depends on which ones you get. There are also beautiful new ones that have world-class equipment.

- j. **Prehrana** (kako je urejena prehrana v bližini univerze, katere restavracije priporočate, ali so cene obroka primerljive z domačimi cenami, si študenti bolj kuhajo sami, so na voljo kakšne posebne ponudbe v trgovinah, ...)

Great restaurants that give student discounts as well as decent-priced food around the city. Canteens at the university offer discounted food too for around cca 5EUR for a full meal.

- k. **Prevoz** (kako je urejen prevoz v mestu, ali so na voljo študentski popusti, kako je s prevozom do sosednjih mest, ...)

One of the best in Europe - accessible and goes to all parts of the city. Many modes of transport including the metro. 49% discount on all tickets for students.

- l. **Obštudijske dejavnosti** (kakšne ponujajo, kako so urejene športne aktivnosti, ali so v bližini možnosti za rekreacijo in šport, ...)

There are many sports clubs and extra curricular activities you can join at the University.

- m. **Uporabne spletne povezave in aplikacije, vezane na življenje in študij v mestu.**

<https://welcome.uw.edu.pl/>

- n. **Kontaktna oseba v mednarodni pisarni na tuji univerzi**

iro.incoming@adm.uw.edu.pl

- o. **Povprečni mesečni stroški (v EUR):**

Hrana	200
Namestitev	120

Prevoz	30
Študijsko gradivo	0
Prosti čas	100
Drugo	
SKUPAJ MESEČNO	450

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6. Kaj vam bo pri vaši izmenjavi ostalo najbolj v spominu?

New friends I made and great nightlife for a city like Warsaw!

7. Zakaj bi priporočili študijsko izmenjavo drugim študentom?

A new adventure waiting to be had as well as leaving your comfort zone. It is recommended to visit in the Summer semester though since Poland can get quite cold.

8. Želite še kaj dodati?

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9. Ali lahko posredujemo vaš e-mail naslov zainteresiranim študentom, ki se šele odpravljajo v tujino (če da, ga prosimo navedite)?

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