

MY STUDENT EXCHANGE EXPERIENCE

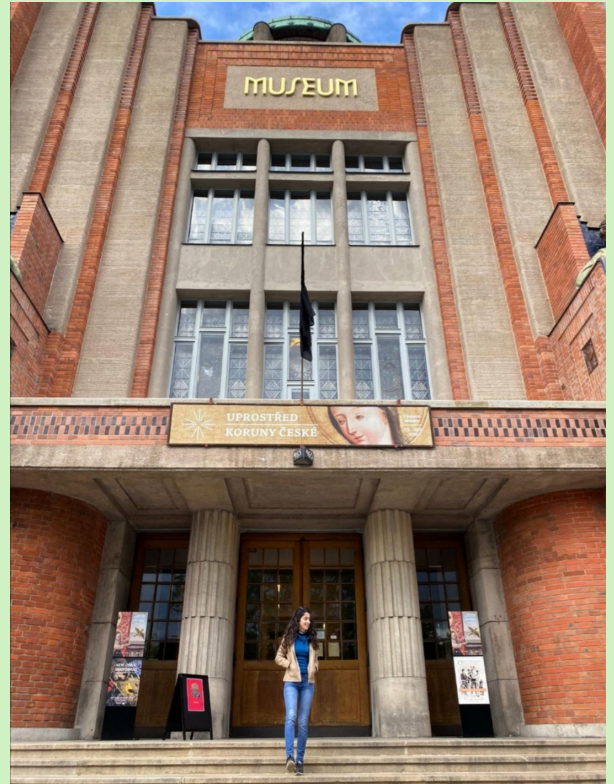
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"My UHK experience"



For the first time in my life, I had experience traveling abroad to Czechia. I had a lot of fears and concerns when coming but at the same time, this would be an adventure where I could get to know myself better and explore my own limits. I knew this. I knew I had to be "universal" to understand myself and the people around me. This student exchange mobility is the dream of many young people, and I was lucky (despite Covid-19). Thus, I started a dreamed journey of discovery in the Czech Republic.

It was a great experience for me to get to know about different cultures and meet different people. The widening of my perspective on the world was the biggest contribution to me. Although there was an obligation to communicate in English, I ended the period with the warm approach of our professors and Czech friends. Yes, I had difficulties during this period, like everyone. But are not we already struggling to handle everything? Is everything going perfectly in our lives? Even with the coronavirus, I did not give up. I realized that I had to face life with love and be "us", not just me in this world.



It is time to leave this city where I lived many things for the first time in my life. I am coming back home with good memories, new perspectives, and wonderful friendships... Continue to hug the Earth with love.