



## My Erasmus Story

My name is Bárbara Schilde, I am a Humanities and PPE student at the University of Montevideo, Uruguay, and I was lucky to win a scholarship to study for a semester at UHK. This was, without a doubt, a great experience for me, not only on an academic level, but also on a personal level.



In my case it was quite a challenge to adapt to living in a new country, far from my culture and everything known to me. It forced me to have to face new situations and learn how to solve them. For example, living in a city where a new language is spoken for me forced me to have to figure out how to communicate with the locals.

The subjects at the university were extremely interesting and useful to me. The teachers were committed to us and willing to help us with any problem. It was unique to be in contact with other ways of teaching and living philosophy, to be able to see the problems from another perspective. In addition, I had the opportunity to learn about Latin American politics, something that was also completely enriching.

In my Erasmus experience I was also able to meet many students from different parts of the world. That gave me the opportunity to learn more about other cultures and societies.

I am very happy to have had this opportunity. It implied a great personal growth that would not have happened if I had not done Erasmus.



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