



# WUR Goes Abroad

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## 1. Student Information

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<b>Field of study in Wageningen</b>	BVG
<b>Study period exchange (dd/mm/yyyy)</b>	16-01 until (originally) 19-05
<b>Country (exchange)</b>	France
<b>City (exchange)</b>	Beauvais
<b>University (exchange)</b>	UniLaSalle
<b>Faculty (exchange)</b>	Nutrition and health

## 2. Motivation for exchange

### **Why did you choose to go on study exchange?**

It was an opportunity to travel, meet new people and learn more about my profession.

### **What is the reason you chose for this country/university?**

There was a nice semester set up and the courses looked very nice.

## 3. Accessibility to reach destination

### **Do you have any tips to reach your exchange destination? (E.g. bus, train, etc.)**

Go, if you have the chance by your own car or with your parents. But, train and shuttle works fine as well.

## 4. University and studying

**Could you provide some general information about the followed courses?**

	Course	ECTS	Short description of the contents	Appreciation of course: 1(low) – 5(high)	Remarks
1	French Family cooking	2	Cooking French dishes	3	The teacher is a bit chaotic
2	Introduction to French culture	1	Introduction and a little bit about the history of France	3	
3	French as a foreign language	2	French class	4	
4	French bread and pastries	1	Baking fresh bread and learning about it	5	
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**How is the study formalized? (E.g. study forms, academic level, examination, workload, lesson material)**

A lot of lectures, but there is not much workload and it is way less difficult than in Wageningen.

**What is the culture of the university? (E.g. How approachable are the lecturers, engagement with local students? What are the differences with the WUR?)**

Be on time! And dress nice.

**What does the university offer the student additionally? (E.g. Catering, sports facilities, laundry facilities?)**

There is a canteen and a bar and parties every Thursday. Also, you can play a lot of sports.

## 5. Housing-travelling-living

**What are the possibilities for housing? (E.g. Availability to sign up for a room on campus, private rooms, rent rates?)**

There is plenty of housing on campus which is very nice.

**What is the culture of the country like? (E.g. Differences with home, local cuisine, habits, manners?)**

**Could you give a general price indication of the place of residence compared to living in Wageningen?**

Depending on your room it is less rent, but food is more expensive.

**Could you give some information about public transport infrastructure? (E.g. Cost public transport card, taxi prices, how to travel to the university?)**

The bus is €1 per ride and lasts the whole day.

## 6. Free time

**What are must-sees in the area? (E.g. nearby destinations, how do you prefer to travel, when to plan?)**

Go to Amiens, Caen and the war beaches in Normandie. Train works well, but if you have a car go by car.

**What does not appear in the travel guide, but is worth a visit?**

The cathedral of Beauvais

**Do you have general tips and tricks about leisure time (E.g. recommendations for restaurants, going out?)**

Try the restaurant Al-Karma

## 7.Challenges & best moment abroad

**What was a challenge you have experienced?**

My roommate and I could not really get along very well and we had to take some measurements and talk a lot.

**What was your best memory abroad?**

Meeting so many beautiful and sweet people, that thought me very much about cultures, food and overall life challenges.

## 8. Contact details (optional)

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