

# WUR Goes Abroad

### **1. Student Information**

Field of study in Wageningen	Tourism
Study period exchange	25/08/2021 until 11/01/2022
(dd/mm/yyyy)	
Country (exchange)	France
City (exchange)	Bordeaux
University (exchange)	University of Bordeaux
Faculty (exchange)	Science

### 2. Motivation for exchange

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

Obligatory Minor of my study.

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

Never properly visited France and I have heard that Bordeaux is a nice city

### 3. Accessibility to reach destination

**Do you have any tips to reach your exchange destination? (E.g. bus, train, etc.)** Plane but I have heard also other options including FlixBus, and train

### 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	Product Design and Innovation	6	Introduction to engineering design	2	
2	Production System Management	6	Logistics	2	
3	Basic Algorithms and Programming	6	Introductory programming course	5	
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### How is the study formalized? (E.g. study forms, academic level, examination, workload, lesson material)

Studying is similar to Wageningen just the overall quality is significantly lower.

## 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?)

Lecturers, as well as local students, are not really approachable. It is more living in the Erasmus student bubble.

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

A wide portfolio of sports activities ranging from golf, swimming, surfing, arrow shooting.

### 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?)

All student rooms are private and located close to the campus ranging from 250 to 550.

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

Everything goes a little bit slower, and it is not as well organized.

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

Comparable I think to Wageningen.

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

For 32 euros a month you can get a public transportation ticket that allows you to use the buses and tram.

#### 6. Free time

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

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

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

### 7.Challenges & best moment abroad

What was a challenge you have experienced?

What was your best memory abroad?

#### 8. Contact details (optional)

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