

My exchange semester in Chur

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I am Patricia Lardiés Moliner, a tourism student from Barcelona. I have been a Erasmus student in Switzerland since February until July 2010 to study my 4st semester in HTW Chur.

I decided to go abroad because I needed to practise and improve my English but at the same time I was studying German in my home university so that I thought Switzerland would be the best option as it was the only German-speaking country that I can choose. Moreover, I always was very excited to visit Switzerland and it was the perfect opportunity.

I was very impressed with the people because before arrive here I was a little bit afraid cause I thought Swiss people were very closed-mind and serious. But one time here I have met very nice people and I have had lot of fun here and I have been living also with Swiss students and it has been really a good experience.



Although most of my last time here I have been with other exchange students and it has been very funny due to the great variety of cultures and the differences between all of us that made it more interesting.

The only think that I am a little bit disappointed is that I hoped to learn more German and practise it with the people but it has been hard due to the big difference between Swiss and High German. But on the other hand I have improved quite a lot my Italian and I have practised my English a lot.

I am very happy with the members of the international office because they organised some great activities for us where we had much fun.

For sure that I would do it again in fact I am very sad when I think that it has already finished and has been a great experience for me and I have met great people.

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