**Personal Erasmus+ Testimonial**

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| Last name |  |
| First name |  |
| Degree program |  |
| Host university |  |
| Host country |  |
| City |  |
| Duration of your stay (month/year – month/year) | /      –       / |
| Declaration of consent | I agree to have my testimonial forwarded to interested students.  yes no  I agree to have my testimonial published anonymously on the websites of the International Office.  yes no |

# *Dear students,*

# *You can stick to the bullet points provided and use them as a guideline in your personal testimonial, but you do not have to do so. Please also try to provide up-to-date links to allow others to do their own internet research. Please delete these notes and bullet points before submitting the testimonial. Thank you very much!*

# *Please e-mail the testimonial upon your return to:*

# [*erasmus-outgoing@uni-potsdam.de*](mailto:erasmus-outgoing@uni-potsdam.de) *(International Office at the University of Potsdam)*

# Preparation of your study abroad period

* *Information on Erasmus+ program*
* *Contacting the host university*
* *Application documents for the host university*

# Studying at the host university

* *Higher education system/organization of courses/requirements/examinations and grading*
* *Atmosphere at the university (with teaching staff and among students)*
* *Guidance provided by local students/administrative personnel/faculty*
* *Technical equipment/opening hours of the library/computer pools*

## Contact with local and international students

## Language proficiency before and after study abroad period

## Housing and living situation

* *When and how you found accommodation*
* *Particularities regarding accommodation/renting*
* *Public transportation*
* *Banking transactions*
* *Health Insurance*
* *Cost of living*
* *Leisure time activities*

### Looking back

* *Tips for students going abroad after you*
* *Experiences that were particularly positive/negative*

### Other important information