

Praktikumsbericht [C1] von: MN(Initialen)
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ALLGEMEIN

Zielland:	Niederlande
Studiengang:	Social Sciences
Heimathochschule:	University of Kaiserslautern
Berufsfeld des Praktikums:	0313
Arbeitssprache:	English
Zeitpunkt des Praktikums:	von 22/08/16 bis 28/10/16 (jeweils Tag / Monat / Jahr)

PRAKTIKUMSSTELLE

Name des aufnehmenden Unternehmens:	Donders Institute for Brain, Cognition and Behaviour
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Praktikumssuche:	My professor asked me which topic interested me and wrote some of her colleagues working on this asking if they could take an intern. I chose among those who answered the group that worked on something which really fascinates me.
Bewerbung (Ablauf, Initiativbewerbung, Auswahlgespräch, etc.):	There was no competition. The lab had a place and time for an intern, so they took me. We discussed all the details by email and it worked for both sides.

Wohnungssuche:	This was quite hard. I was searching on different websites, as well as Facebook groups. Because my internship was only for 2 months, many people refused me, as they would prefer someone for at least half a year. Luckily, one person agreed.
Versicherung:	I had only health insurance, so I had to find the other two kinds of insurance. It was not hard or expensive, so everything went well.
Telefon-/Internetanschluss im Zielland:	The university gave all exchange students a sim card. The tariffs were not expensive, so I had good mobile internet. There was a good wifi connection in the apartment as well.
Bank/ Kontoeröffnung:	I did not need to open a bank account.
hilfreiche Internetadressen/ Sonstiges	Looking for housing https://www.facebook.com/groups/582481331849200/ https://www.facebook.com/groups/143507289127579/ https://www.facebook.com/groups/763977993627637/ https://www.facebook.com/groups/1637237853208143/

INFORMATIONEN ZUR PRAKTIKUMSSTELLE

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Art des Praktikums:	Helping the supervisor with a scientific project in Psycholinguistics, conducting experiments and analysing data
Aufgaben im Praktikum: konnten Sie Erlerntes umsetzen? Waren Sie über-/unterfordert? etc.	I had to find participants and conduct experiments with them, organize and process data. I also participated in event organization and helped my group. Some of the tasks were easy but not boring, some were very challenging but exciting.
Betreuung: (Einführungs-/Abschlussgespräch, wöchentl./monatl. Rücksprache, etc.)	My supervisor was helping me with each assignment if I needed clarification and was easy to communicate with. I felt support and care throughout the internship.
soziale Kontakte während des Praktikums:	There were many events for students, so I met many local and international students, which was fun and useful for cultural exchange.
Sprachkenntnisse (Nutzen, Verbesserung, etc.):	My English was advanced before the internship, but I learned to use it in the scientific setting and acquired

	more terminology and overall practice.
kurze Gesamtbewertung des Aufenthaltes: fachlicher/ privater Nutzen; was waren Ihre Erwartungen – wurden diese erfüllt? Was war besonders gut/ nicht so gut?	The internship exceeded my expectations. The group was very friendly and supportive and I felt confident. I did not get so much experience with the equipments because they were in a different stage of the project, but I got other knowledge and skills.
Dauer des Praktikums: zu kurz, richtig, zu lang – Empfehlung über optimale Dauer	It lasted 2,5 months which was very convenient because I wanted to finish it during the semester break so that it wouldn't interfere with my university schedule.
Kosten während des Auslandsaufenthaltes (monatl. Durchschnitt in €) / Mehrkosten ggü. den Kosten in Deutschland:	The apartment was 110€ more expensive than what I pay in Germany. Also there was no discount for buses so I paid a lot for daily commute. My apartment was far so I did not want to take the bike often.
Was sollte man unbedingt wissen/ beachten?	It is cheapest to use OV card for transport. A discount for buses only pays off if the stay is at least half a year, as I have heard. It's cheapest to ride a bicycle, one can buy a used one for 40-50€ and then sell it after the internship is over.
Sind Sie der Meinung, dass Ihnen das Praktikum bei der Ausübung Ihres zukünftigen Berufs (bitte angeben) von Nutzen sein wird? Wenn ja, in welcher Weise? Wenn nein, warum nicht?	Absolutely. I want to be a scientist in Psycholinguistics, and this internship has given me insight in daily tasks and challenges of a psycholinguist. I will need the skills I improved during the internship to be a successful scientist.
Können Sie die Stelle weiterempfehlen? (bitte begründen) Wenn ja, wäre Ihre Praktikumsstelle bereit, auch zukünftig PraktikantInnen aufzunehmen?	Yes, this institution is great and very supportive of interns. I highly recommend it. I don't know how often they can take interns, so it is important to make sure they have open spots before applying.
hilfreiche Internetadressen/ Sonstiges	Many useful links will be given by the university in the welcome package. Here is a link for group train ticket (cheaper the more people your group consists of, so look for other travellers here) https://www.facebook.com/groups/1546278108957373/

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