Write about your Erasmus+ experiences and win a travel voucher

New country, new language, many new experiences for your life: How did you prepare for your Erasmus+ stay abroad? How was your arrival? What does your Erasmus+ educational daily life look like? What kind of experiences do you gain for your future?

The OeAD-GmbH/National Agency Erasmus+ Education kindly invites all outgoing Erasmus+ participants from Austrian institutions of education, who are staying abroad between April 29 and November 10, 2019, to participate in the Erasmus+ Diary competition.

Share your Erasmus+ experiences in the field of school education, vocational education and training, higher education or adult education with those who are also interested in a stay abroad, but yet know too little about the European Erasmus+ programme.

Create your own Erasmus+ Diary for the duration of your stay abroad and share your Erasmus+ experiences with friends and other users. Your Erasmus+ Diary will be integrated into the Facebook page Erasmus+ Bildung Österreich.

How to participate:

1. Send us an e-mail to erasmustagebuch@oead.at containing:
   a. Your name
   b. Your e-mail address
   c. As the case may be your Facebook username
   d. The name of your sending institution in Austria
   e. The duration of your stay abroad
   f. Your Erasmus+ destination country

2. Go to Erasmus+ Diary and log in with you Facebook UserID. Afterwards we will send you detailed information (in German) by e-mail and after a short registration you can start to write your Erasmus+ Diary.

3. Write down your Erasmus+ experiences into your diary for the duration of your stay abroad. You can either write in German or in English. Whether you’re staying for a long or short time, you can join the competition at any time, at the latest until November 10, 2019.
**Competition criteria**

The criteria for winning a travel voucher are **Erasmus+ relevance** and **quality of your diary entries**.

We are especially interested in:

- Why did you decide to study abroad? How did you prepare for your Erasmus+ stay?
- How was your arrival? Where are you accommodated?
- What challenges do you meet in your Erasmus+ everyday life? Do you attend a language course? What do you particularly like about your Erasmus+ institution?
- How is your Erasmus+ school life? Which seminars do you attend at university? What are you responsible for at your Erasmus+ internship? Which adult education course do you attend? What is your project meeting about? What do you do in your spare time?
- What did you learn? What kind of experiences did you gain for your future from your Erasmus+ stay abroad?

**Framework requirements**

Number of entries:

- If you’re staying abroad one week or less write at least two diary entries.
- If you’re staying abroad longer than one week write on average one diary entry per week.

**Winner selection**

A jury will evaluate the Erasmus+ diaries according to the above mentioned criteria and select one winner per education sector.

**Prize Details**

The best Erasmus+ diaries will be honoured at the Erasmus+ Award ceremony on December 3, 2019. There are four € 400 travel vouchers to win. In each education sector (school education, vocational education and training, higher education and adult education) one winner will be selected by the OeAD-GmbH.

We look forward to read about your Erasmus+ experiences!