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*Experience Report: My experience studying abroad in Innsbruck*

I am a political science student from the Tel Aviv University in Israel that studied abroad in Innsbruck for a fall semester.

I arrived in September and got settled in the Villa Blanka student dorm. I was living there with 4 more students from Israel and the others were from all over the world.

My classes were pretty easy compared to my classes in Israel and the courses I took were held in English. The weather was beautiful the whole time I was in Innsbruck and I loved the beautiful mountains. I started going snowboarding in November. Moreover, I had a really nice experience going to the Christmas market almost every day, eating and drinking traditional Austrian food and drinks. I met a lot of new friends and we went out on the weekends and we also traveled together to Dublin and Bologna.



The public transportation in Innsbruck is really amazing - it is really easy to get around.

I took a class that was called “Central Europe” and we went on field trips to see many of the attractions in different places of the federal state of Tyrol.

Also the “Buddy Program” where you are joined with local students, was a success. They helped me a lot and became good friends.



The AIANI office took us to restaurants and to the market to get to know each other better and hang out. We got to experience Christian holidays and the Tyrolean culture.

I took a beginner German class that was a lot of fun, but I can't say that I am able to speak German now.

I would highly recommend this experience to exchange students that love to ski and /or snowboard or in the summer to hike and enjoy the nature. The University of Innsbruck has a lot of English courses in various faculties and I got credits for all of the courses I took.



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