# **Experience Report**



# Co-Working Place and Personal Desk

## STUDENT DETAILS

University department / faculty: Faculty of Business and Economics

Field of study: Operations Research and Business Analytics

Home university: Otto-von-Guericke-Universität Magdeburg

Nationality: Pakistani

Duration of traineeship (from ...to...): 01/04/2022 to 31/03/2023

## TRAINEESHIP INSTITUTION

Country: Spain

Name of traineeship institution: Vision Factory

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## **EXPERIENCE REPORT** (approx. 3 pages + more photos if applicable)

## 1) Traineeship institution

Please give a brief description of your host traineeship insitution.

The vision factory is a medium-sized service-based small organization in Barcelona Spain that offers services in different domains such as Digital Marketing, Financial Data Analysis, Website development, content creation etc.

## 2) Searching for a traineeship

How did you find your traineeship? Are there any recommendable links or other helpful tips you would like to share?

I attended an online session from Leonardo's office in Magdeburg where many trainees explained how they found the internship. I got very valuable information from that session. I searched and contacted the HR of

Vision factory through a job posting on erasmusintern.org. This page is specifically designed for Erasmus internships.

## 3) Preparation

How did you prepare for your traineeship in terms of language, intercultural, professional and organisational aspects? Are there any recommendable links or other helpful tips you would like to share?

As far as the language is concerned, I am quite fluent in English and the working language in the organization was English so it was never a problem for me. The internship activities were more relevant to my course of studies so it was not difficult to grasp. With the smooth process through the online portal and assistance from the Erasmus Internship office in Magdeburg, I was able to complete all the organizational steps very easily. In terms of cultural aspects, I am an active traveller so I can integrate into new culture easily, I have been to many countries already so it was just an another journey for me.

## 4) Accommodation

How did you find your accommodation? Are there any recommendable links or other helpful tips you would like to share?

I was very fortunate in this regard. There is an active Pakistani community in Spain that helps the new incoming immigrants. Also before going there, my organization offered to help me in searching for accommodation, however, it was managed through private contact so i didn't have to go through much hassle.

## 5) Traineeship

Please describe the tasks and / or the projects carried out during your traineeship. In which way were you mentored and integrated? How were the working conditions? Did you have especially positive or negative experiences?

My overall experience was positive. My supervisor was super cooperative and helpful. As I am an active cryptocurrency trader, so I was involved in strategy design. I learned and utilized the concepts of Technical analysis, Volume Trading, and Risk Management.

This Field enhanced my learning in the following fields

**Data Analysis** 

Risk Management

Reporting

**Communication Development** 

**Presentation Skills** 

## 6) Acquired qualifications

Which qualifications and skills could you acquire or improve during your traineeship?

As I mentioned in previous answer, I acquired the following skills

**Data Analysis** 

Risk Management

Reporting

**Communication Development** 

**Presentation Skills** 

#### 7) Green Travel

If you travelled sustainably: Which transportation did you choose? Are there any recommendable links or other helpful tips?

No I didnt use Green Travel.

## 8) Country-specific features

Are there any specific traineeship regulations in the target country that affected you as an Erasmus trainee (e.g. France: housing allowance, convention de stage? If yes, which ones? Are there any recommendable links or other helpful tips you would like to share?

There is nothing specific in this regard in my destination country

## 9) Visa, residence and work permit (only for international students)

Which prearrangements had to be made in terms of visa, residence and work permit? Are there any recommendable links or other helpful tips you would like to share?

My company allowed me to work with my current residence permit

# 10) Other

Is there anything else you want to let other students know?

I would recommend every student to take this lifetime opportunity to go and explore different cultures. This is the real means of lifelong learning.

#### 11) Conclusion

What is the conclusion drawn after your traineeship experience abroad?

I feel more empowered in terms of my integration into a different culture and working in multi-national teams. It was an amazing journey and time passed so quickly. If anyone is reading it, just start the process and go and experience the wonderful moments of your life.

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