

Personal reflection

When I heard about the programme, I thought that it was a great occasion to learn more about other practices and especially about other cultures. I was curious to meet people from other countries and how we would live all together. I wondered how we could discover the city with all senses with children. At the end of this programme, I have grown up in so many ways.

Personal development:

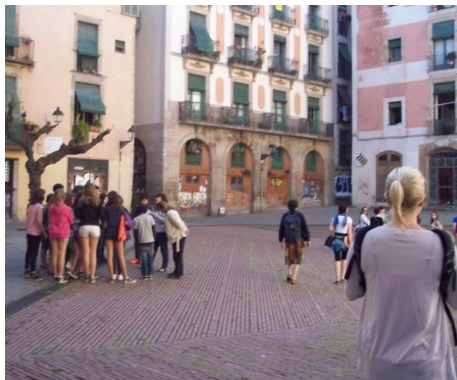
Before coming, I dreaded the life with other people from all countries. But my fears disappeared the first day when I started to meet other people. Everybody was smiling and as everyone was to live in a community, I think everyone has made efforts to make it easier. Everyone respected the others and there was mutual assistance. Because we were mixing, I learned to be more sociable and more open about other ideas. I have changed my mind, my way of life. I have new goals, new values ... I created many closer links with some people and that was really a beautiful experience.



Some activities that we did together helped to create links with other people in small groups or in the entire group like teach together because we needed to communicate a lot especially in this case.

Intercultural experience:

For me, this point is the most important because I like travelling and learning about other countries so this programme was a good occasion to do it. I have learned a lot about other countries and culture and that brings me a lot. Speaking with people, listening to them introduce their country ... that gives the desire to travel and discover more and more things. Each evening, a country animated the evening. At this moment we learned important things about this country and more funny things like typical dances, songs or games. That was really funny!



Each country presented its education system. There are so many differences between countries about the time tables, salaries, kinds of studies and prices of studies ... I did not expect to meet people making different studies like social pedagogy and I was positively surprised about it.

Professional development:

When I was speaking with people about lessons or when they presented their school system, I saw that there are a lot of different pedagogies and I learned a lot. For my future practice, I will try to take the best of each pedagogy. I have really grown up in this way because I learned so many things in all the workshops and that gives me so many ideas for my future practice. Working in groups allows having more ideas because there are more ideas in several heads than in only one.



The teachers who animated workshops were so motivated that we can only be motivated.



The most important thing that I learned is that the most important when you work in a group is the communication because without that, activities cannot work.

It is really interesting to be able to try our ideas in a class with young children because at this moment, we really see what we have learned and why.