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Francesco and Francesco Paolo are two Italian Double Degree Students who spent an academic year to the University of Vaasa, Finland.

This short paper is intended to provide to the future Double Degree Students some interesting information, suggestions, feedbacks and drawbacks of this unique experience.

The University of Vaasa has the greatest and amazing Campus within the whole Finnish Universities. As regards our personal experience concerning the teaching approach, the University of Vaasa may count on an International atmosphere and environment which help the students to develop both soft and hard skills. In addition, the Educational staff is totally helpful and ready to solve any kind of potential troubles may arise.

Moreover, as known, Vaasa does not offer the best in terms of weather and pleasure activities but you will definitely enjoy the awesome and breathtaking sunrises, sunsets and landscapes. What is more, the beautiful nature and the possibility to see the amazing Northern Lights will surely enrich your stay.

Furthermore, against the common opinions regarding Nordic-Country People, (namely cold and unfriendly), you will totally change your mind and starting to appreciate Finnish people after your experience there. They are simply nice people, friendly and even with sense of humor which could not emerge during the first meetings. All in all, you will enjoy their ways of doing after few typical and local beers.

In conclusion, it was a year of both personal and academic growth. We are more than happy and excited to suggest and recommend you to have a taste of the Finnish culture. We are sure you will never regret it.

Kiitos.

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