

“GERMANY”

(IEP-2016)

International Experience Program, a GTU initiative to give Indian students an international exposure, this year selected Nineteen Electrical Engineering students and Twenty five MBA students to study at “Hochschule Wismar” in Germany.

Among all students selected in IEP by GTU, one group left for Germany on 18th June, 2016 from Mumbai International Airport and the rest of the students, the next day from Sardar Vallabh Bhai Patel International Airport, Ahmedabad.

The flight took us to Dubai. From Dubai we boarded the connecting flight to Hamburg. From Hamburg we reached Wismar via bus.

By the time we reached Wismar it was 10:00Pm and the mighty sun was still there to welcome us!!

We were allotted the rooms and everyone was tired and suffering from jet lag. Even though we all were tired, the very next day we had to start with our lectures.

- **FIRST WEEK**

On Monday, at 08:15 am our class started with an orientation lecture to guide us about the vicinity and we received our college Id's and internet access details.

We were shown the canteen (Mensa), library and the laboratory to make us familiar with the study environment. Our timetable was set to begin at 08:15 in the morning till 01:30 afternoon.

With the starting of first week at the university, the optional subject of Wireless Communication was taught by Professor Andreas Ahrens.

We all proposed a toast on Friday with the successful completion of our first week in the Wismar.

It was during the first week a welcome dinner was organized for us at the only Indian restaurant “Mirchi” in Wismar.

- **SECOND WEEK/THIRD WEEK**

The second week started with the subject “Digital Signal Processing”. A half portion was covered by Professor Andreas Ahrens and the other half was covered by Professor Cesar Benavente.

We did lots of programming in the laboratory and the internal exam was organized on the Friday.

- **FOURTH WEEK/FIFTH WEEK**

The fourth week started with a subject called “Testing and Commissioning of Electrical Equipment”. The subject was covered by Professor Cesar Benavente.

We were given a daily questionnaire with twenty questions to solve as per the topics covered in the class.

We used to have video tutorials and presentations related to the subject and its application.

A Presentation task was assigned to each and every student in order to test our presentation skills for the subject taught to us.

The final exam for DSP was organized along with internal exam of TCEE on the end of the fourth week.

The fifth week ended with the final exam of TCEE.

“The teaching method is very innovative and advanced as here main focus is laid on practical application from latest and advanced equipment’s in the laboratories to classroom with all modern facilities.”

- **VISITS**

We were warmly welcomed by the Mayor of the Wismar at the city center.

An industrial visit to the company Egger was organized for us.

We even enjoyed the Wismar special sailing trip on the mighty Kogge.

We even visited the “TGZ” company headquarters in Wismar, “MTS” company office in Rostock and the world famous “Volkswagen” in Wolfsburg.

- **EXCURSION**

Our official excursion included the two day study sessions in the “University of Szczecin Poland” along with some fun, beach and water sports.

We spent our weekends in exploring “Germany”, we visited places like Berlin, Hamburg and Schwerin but with a serious a commitment to attend lectures on Monday without fail!!

The experience that we got in these forty seven days is something that we will cherish throughout our lives.

“Life is a journey with problems to solve, lessons to learn, but most of all experiences to enjoy.”

“Deutschland!!”







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