



My student exchange program was a six week summer semester at Copenhagen business school(CBS), Denmark.

Copenhagen business school is located in Frederiksberg, an upper middle class enclave in Copenhagen. The campus is a quiet and peaceful place with parks, located close to two metro stations.

Each exchange student should choose two out of a big selection of courses. Every course has a midterm and final test/assignment. Passing the midterm assignment is mandatory in order to take the final test. The courses I took were cost analysis, which was excellent and new models of innovation, which was ok. About half of the classmates were Danish. CBS is a bureaucratic institute and you should keep track on university's dates, making sure you are entitled to take the exams after passing the midterm tests/assignments.

The university offers buying social programs which include cultural events in Copenhagen and two weekend trips – one is a tour of Denmark and the other to a European city, which was Berlin for 2015. The library in CBS is spacious, pleasant, and very quiet. Nevertheless, the desktops are quite slow so it's better to bring your own laptop. You can print either with a library card or cash. There is free access to university Wi-Fi.

The cafeteria on campus is good and at a fair price. It is a good solution to the pricey restaurants in Copenhagen.

Transportation - the transportation in Copenhagen is very good. You can choose between cycling, metro and buses. There are many bicycle paths and the city is small enough to just walk around. It is important to learn the cycling hand signs in order to communicate with the drivers (turn right, left, stop) and avoid accidents. Since it rains a lot, the cycling paths can be slippery.

The metro works almost 24/7. A single metro ticket costs about 14 shekels so if you choose not to bike, it's better to buy a monthly metro/bus ticket.

Food - the restaurants in Copenhagen are expensive but the food in the supermarkets is cheap and high quality. The downtown restaurants are considerably cheaper.

Copenhagen is considered Scandinavia's culinary capital. A rising interest in new Nordic cooking has put an emphasis on the use of locally sourced raw materials and high-quality seasonal ingredients.

You can also try one of the city's ethnic restaurants, which are concentrated in Vesterbro, Norrebro, and the side streets off Stroget.

Burgers, hot dogs and shawarma are popular street dishes.

During the summer weekends there are many cultural events and outdoor festival all over the city.

Everyone can find something fun to do like jazz festival, sports events, art exhibitions. Many of them are taken place at the city parks and along the canals.

Weather - During the summer, the weather can be tricky so you should check the daily forecast. The average daily temperature in the summer is about 20 degrees.

The overall experience was very good culturally and academically.