

Nana Bardavelidze

Caucasus School of Economics

Kauno Kolegija Higher Education Institution, Lithuania

„From the very first semester of enrolling at Caucasus University, I knew I would definitely participate in an international exchange program. And so it happened—through the ERASMUS+ mobility program, I attended lectures during the spring semester of 2024 at Kauno Kolegija Higher Education Institution in Kaunas, Lithuania.

This stage of life was fascinating in every aspect, mostly up to the academic semester. I successfully participated in several conferences and collaborated on diverse projects with both international and local students. Together, we strived to apply the theoretical knowledge we had gained in practice.

To have added variety to the lecture processes, classes were often held outside the traditional classroom setting, taking place in various business centers or factories.

The country's culture and traditions are undeniably impressive, and local students played a significant role in helping us discover them by organizing weekly events.

Despite certain challenges, this was an experience that I will remember only in a positive light.

I believe that the sense of responsibility gained through independence is best learned by establishing oneself in a different cultural environment.”