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"The Bilateral exchange program at Caucasus University gave me the opportunity to spend one semester at Corvinus University in Budapest, which became one of the most important periods of my life.

During the program, I was introduced to and explored new educational approaches. The university environment was always interactive, with lectures built around discussions, teamwork, and real-life examples. I worked in multicultural teams where each member shared their unique experiences and perspectives. The study materials were directly connected to modern business and economics, making the learning process more relevant and practically applicable. This experience significantly improved my communication, analytical thinking, and leadership skills.

Alongside my studies, living independently far from home taught me to step out of my comfort zone and adapt to new challenges. I learned how to be more organized, responsible, and adaptable. Daily life in a foreign culture helped me realize the importance of embracing different perspectives and befriending change. The months I spent in Budapest enriched me not only academically but also personally. This semester became a turning point in my life, teaching me to develop qualities and skills I might never have discovered otherwise.

The program also allowed me to travel across various European countries, explore their cultures and histories, and see how diverse and fascinating the world can be when you experience it firsthand. This journey will remain one of the most important adventures of my life. In addition to academic growth, this period gave me the most valuable things of all — new friends and unforgettable memories."