

STOCKHOLM CITY!!!!

Tens of thousands of students leave their home college each year and take the advantage of the experience of studying abroad.

Stockholm was the destination I chose for my Erasmus experience. There were so many reasons I picked this city and not any other in Europe.

To begin with I had heard many wonderful things about this city I just fell in love with it. Weird right? I wanted to live and experience the greatness everyone spoke good of. Stockholm had a diverse nature and a very welcoming feeling. It is very international, an amazing city spread across countless islands and an undeniable fact Scandinavia's capital of cool!

Stockholm is indeed beautiful and I won't lie I enjoyed every time I spent there. It has beautiful buildings, outstanding restaurants and an effortless natural beauty which makes the city an obvious travel choice. One thing I learnt in Stockholm, swedes love their coffee, hence, the city is full of coffee shops

Public transportation system runs smoothly and it is also a cash free city as there are even "NO CASH" signs in some restaurants and bars. Here is a rare picture of a public transport in Stockholm.



Whilst there I managed to practice my Swedish skills with very minimal effort even though Swedes are well known for their English skills. You'd hear English all around Stockholm and this made it easy to communicate and mingle with the locals. I could easily say hello or goodbye with just "HEJ" and "TACK" which means thank you.

On Tuesdays, I usually spent my afternoon after work at the Nordic museum. It had a free entry until 5 pm and to me this was somewhat amazing as a great exposure to the Swedish culture at a free cost!



During my 4 weeks stay I had the opportunity to visit two other beautiful cities in Sweden, Uppsala and Gothenburg. Indeed, they were equally breath taking.

I also went to the Ericson Globe Stockholm Live, the worlds largest spherical building opened in 1989 and commonly referred to as GLOBEN. You can see most of Stockholm live from sky-view.

It's a go to place for me in Stockholm and I'd recommend anyone visiting to try this tourist center.

I paid about 150 krona which is equivalent to 15 euros to use the sky-view so heads up its not free nor cheap.

This is how it looks from the outside.



Honestly speaking, I totally enjoyed my stay in this beautiful city and it was so worth the hype. I'm really grateful I got the opportunity to have my Erasmus in Stockholm and the experience was definitely worth it!

I could go on and on about how much I enjoyed my stay in there but its rather sad I have to end my blog here. Oh, lets I forget I finally tried the famous "FIKA" a Swedish coffee with a bun.

Here's a fika with a cinnamon bun to thank you for reading!



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