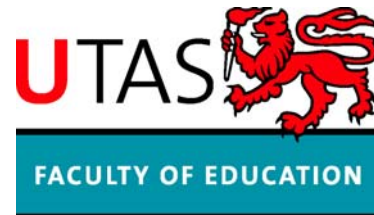


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Personal Reflection - Sweden Exchange Program

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Moving to Sweden, as part of the Faculty of Education's exchange program, was one of the best and most rewarding experiences of my life. Not only was I able to experience a completely new way of living, studying, and in particular, teaching, I was able to travel parts of the world I had never thought possible, accompanied by some of the most wonderful people I have ever met. The program enables you to reside in University accommodation with other students on exchange programs from all over the world. I have made some amazing bonds with people from Sweden, Holland, Spain, France and Turkey, not to mention those students from other parts of Australia, of which I still remain in close contact with today.

The exchange program is a safe, easy and extremely well developed way to complete a semester of your Bachelor of Education degree, whilst living on the other side of the world. The teachers and students that we were involved with were incredibly helpful and encouraging, especially considering we did not speak their language! I am so thankful to have been given the opportunity to be involved with this amazing and life changing program.