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SURVEY ON TRAINEESHIP
ERASMUS+ STUDENT MOBILITY FOR TRAINEESHIP
Mrs. Costina-Mădălina Ghibu

Q: Would you please indicate your first and last name as well as the sending institution?

A: My name is Costina-Mădălina Ghibu and I am a student at the Faculty of Law, Transilvania University Braşov.

Q: What did drive you to choose IECLO and the University of Salerno as hosting institution?

A: I decided to enroll in the IECLO program at the University of Salerno because I believed it would be a challenging experience that would make me to gain knowledge in the subject I had decided to study for the upcoming years. Additionally, I made the decision to work on my English with the assistance of the Erasmus+ Mentors and the Projects that they had in mind for me, these past months.

Q: How long did your traineeship last?

A: My traineeship lasted for 2 months, from 10 July 2023 to 10 September 2023.

Q: How was the reception from the Mentor and from the other Members of the Observatory?

A: They were excellent, they helped me fix all the mistakes I made at the start of the traineeship and generally hone my abilities.

Q: Could you please explain in detail your occupations during the traineeship?

A: I was carrying out the research, in matters of international criminal law and international law more in general, for publications that the Mentor had requested. Additionally, I organized the materials according to the criteria I was given.

Q: Did you have any colleagues? Were you included in a team of similarly tasked personnel?



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A: Yes, I was included in a working group of seven people, under the supervision of the Mentor and Director of the Observatory, Prof. Anna Oriolo, as well as the IECLO Research Staff, namely Mr. Stefano Busillo and Mr. Emanuele Vannata.

Q: What did you enjoy the most of this experience?

A: Overall, even with all the challenges, I found the experience to be enjoyable, encounters in a foreign country, attending a prestigious university, and taking part in the making of journal publications on law.

Q: Has the traineeship in some way changed the way you look at or approach working?

A: Yes, I am now more meticulous in my job and pay more attention to faults.

Q: Do you believe this working experience has deepened your knowledge in the field of International and European Criminal Law in comparison to your level at the start of the traineeship?

A: Yes, I think I've learnt more about European criminal law than before.

Q: Do you believe this working experience has honed your skills in work management (e.g., team-working, time management, etc.) in comparison to your level at the start of the traineeship?

A: Yes, I am more able to complete this type of work more quickly than in the past and to effectively manage my time so that I can complete more tasks.

Q: Do you feel that your working/career aspirations and goals have in some way changed since the start of the traineeship?

A: No, I still can't say that this encounter caused me to modify my career goals.