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Here is the story of Jolien Witte, PhD student specializing in agricultural and resource economics. While studying at Wageningen University in Autumn 2015, Jolien was able to work on a research project examining technical efficiency levels and structural change of beef sectors as a consequence of de-coupling direct payments from the European Union.

"The exchange benefited in that I was able to reconnect with former supervisors as I did both my undergrad and master's at WU. They assisted me in writing a paper and updated me on the European side of the project I'm currently working on for my degree here at the U of A."
- Jolien Witte





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Here is the story of Shay Forget, fourth-year student in Animal Science. While studying at Wageningen University in the Summer of 2016, Shay devoted her time to a research project looking at impulsive behaviours and cat obesity under the supervision of Bonne Beerda and Guido Bosch. While enrolled at WU in May of 2016, Shay took two courses, one in behavioral ecology and another in animal ecology.

"I want the donors to know they truly did make a difference in my life by affording me the learning and travel experiences that would otherwise be very difficult or even impossible to pull off financially."
- Shay Forget

