

Why study at Alexandru Ioan Cuza University of Iasi (UAIC)?

Testimonial written by an Israeli student who studied at UAIC

"You miss 100% of the shots you do not take." Said Wayne Gretzky once.

This is how I opened my nomination letter to one of my best adventures of my life.

It may sound corny but it's true.

Let me try to explain why.

I landed in Iasi at an early morning of a hot-cold September.

The first thing I did is seek for food. I went to a small grocery near campus and tried to explain the owner that I want food but I have no local money to give him.

His reaction was: "nu e problema, dupa". In Romanian it means no problem, later.

I knew that I chose the right place.

I traveled a lot in my short life, and I can tell you with no doubt - Romania and specifically Iasi is a great place to stay at.

The first shock past and I started meeting people from all over the world; French, Spanish, Portuguese, Moldavian, Georgians etc.

We all had the same question for each other; why Romania?

My answer was the same to all; why not?!

I'm sure u ask yourself the same question.

The answer for me is eas... you have everything in Romania.

Castles & fortresses, Medieval towns, The Carpathian Mountains, Painted Monasteries, Traditional Villages, Black Sea Resorts, World Heritage Sites, Ski sites and I can continue...

As for Iasi, the perfect combination of a beautiful city to tour, crazy student life, and good food.

Iasi is a city for students. It offers a lot of different options including; musical activities, sport activities, trips and much more. You can never get bored.

The University, "Alexandru Ioan Cuza" is one of the best Universities in Romania.

It includes 10 faculties and more than 25,000 students.

The professors are very professional and very kind, always willing to help.

Regarding the academic knowledge that I gained, my knowledge in Business and economics has extended, in particular; knowledge about EU business processes, terms and rules regarding business acquisitions, ERP and BPM knowledge, and of course the Romanian language.

I succeeded implementing this knowledge in my final project at my home university "Bar-Ilan".

I still remember the language. Well a bit.

Add to that, good cinemas, pubs, clubs, Shopping malls and lots of parks.

I had a great time in Iasi.

I highly recommend you to dare and discover a beautiful city. You will not be disappointed!"

Yizhar Omassi.