

# UNIVERSITY OF VETERINARY MEDICINE AND PHARMACY IN KOSICE

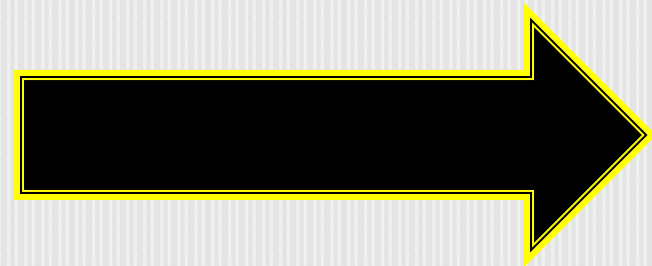
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# About city Kosice

Is the largest city in eastern Slovakia. It is situated on the river Hornád at the eastern reaches of the Slovak Ore Mountains, near the border with Hungary. With a population of approximately 240,000, Košice is the second-largest city in Slovakia, after the capital Bratislava.

We decided to visit the city:







# Next step: Met our univeristy

The University of Veterinary Medicine and Pharmacy in Košice (UVMP in Košice), established as the Veterinary College in Košice, is the sole university for veterinary education in the Slovak Republic, which is provided both to domestic and foreign students, and one of the two universities offering education in pharmacy.

The University of Veterinary Medicine and Pharmacy in Košice was established by an Act of the Slovak National Council on 16 December 1949 as the Veterinary College in Košice, though it began its teaching activities with its first lecture on 5 October 1949. Its founding was the culmination of many years of effort aimed at establishing a school of veterinary medicine in Slovakia, since before then those interested in such study had to go abroad, in particular to the veterinary university in Brno, and after its closure during the Second World War, to Vienna. In the post-war period the raising of agricultural animals was threatened by dangerous contagions, and the concentration of animals for collective breeding complicated the situation even further; thus the need for a veterinary school in Slovakia grew such that the foundation of such an institution in Košice became a reality.

# First met with UVLF



# 1. Horses clinic

We started our Erasmus history with Horse Clinic. We had a chance to do:

- nasogastric intubation
- fecal transplant
- examination per rectum
- catheterization urinary bladder
- blood collection
- drug administration
- USG

Etc...





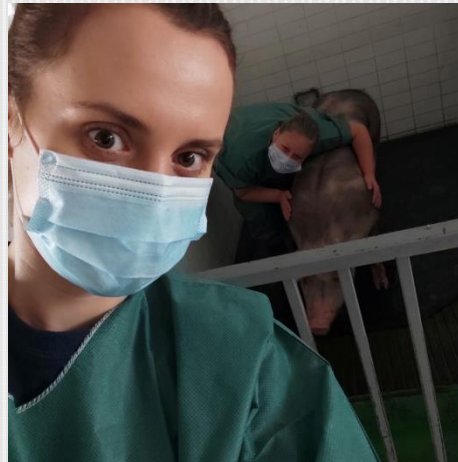
## 2. Pigs clinic

Next step of our practise were pigs! Such a good time with very loud patients.

We had chance to learn about: nutrition, behavior, reproduction, diseases etc.

Every day was enother surprise about work with pigs. We had to examine all systems (respiratory, heart, vascular, coating etc.)

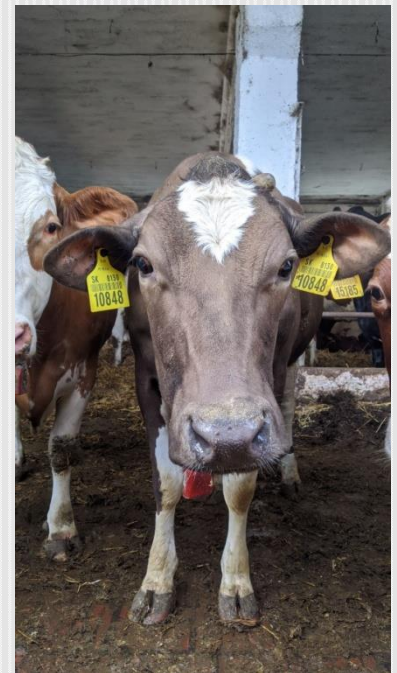




# 3. Trip to the farm

Finally we had adventure with beautiful cows. We were 3 days in the farm in Zemplinska Teplica. A lot of job and new knowledge. We did:

- trimm hoof (orthopedics ability)
- examination per rectum
- blood collection
- test of ketone bodies
- check rumen content
- take care of calves









# We had also fun time!



Vet bar-great  
slovakian cuisine



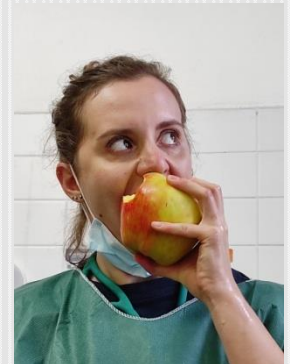
Slovakia is also Tatra Mountains!



Relax after work



Dinner time





# Summary

It was a wonderful time despite the Covid situation. We met lovely people, we learned a lot of new things.

We highly recommend Erasmus in Kosice because it is last chance before vet job to know enother culture, places and approach to treating animals.

# Thank you!

- UP Lublin
- UVLF Kosice
- All the people who helped us