

LASTING IMPRESSIONS FROM VISITING VIENNA

Nothing is impossible in this life. The **business-award** foundation recently proved it once more.

I just returned from my internship in Vienna, which I received as an award for the first place in the Erste Bank Student Contest, organized by the **business-award** foundation.

There I got a new sight of what the purpose of my life is, as well as what I am to do. In Vienna, I tightly worked with the European office of the **business-award** foundation, visited Erste Bank departments, the Vienna Insurance Group and the OPEC Fund for International Development. So I got the vision of their activities, their staff, met the administrations and discussed issues that were most interesting for me.

All the members of the business-award team were highly qualified professionals. It was really impressive to see how eager they were to help me. And I tried to do my best to learn as much as I could. The **business-award** evaluated my progress and inspired me for further realization of my new purpose in life.

It was a fantastic adventure! I met so many and such different people. Another culture, another mentality, another life. It's not a completely but quite a different world.

The trip made a great impact upon me. Summarizing the above-mentioned, I just want to say that if I had a new chance to participate in the Erste Bank **business-award** Contest, I would do my best to win again!

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