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## Rector's welcome

#### Dear students,

First of all I would like to thank you for choosing our University for your international mobility. It is my great pleasure and honour to welcome you to the University of Zadar, the follower of the long academic tradition started in Zadar in 1396 by establishment of the Dominican University *Univeritas ladeartina*. I wish you a pleasant and fruitful stay. I hope that, apart from the professional and academic knowledge, you will learn a lot about Croatia, Zadar and Croatian culture and make a lot of lifelong friends. I'm sure you will enjoy all the occasions that our city and our university offer you in your free time. You will have an opportunity to present your university and your country, and this will help your Croatian colleagues to improve their knowledge of your homeland and culture. Overall I hope that this will be a joyful and rewarding experience and that you'll become one of the ambassadors of the University of Zadar in the world.

Have a joyful and pleasant stay!

Prof. Dijana Vican, PhD Rector of the University of Zadar



## ESN Zadar



ESN section Zadar is happy to welcome you to the University of Zadar!

We are sure that the period spent at our University will be special, unique and unforgettable experience for you.

ESN Zadar is here for you to help you find your way in the new city and the new university under the principle of students helping students. The help is provided through "buddy mentor system" – the students of the University of Zadar who volunteer to show you around the university and the city and to help you with all the necessary formalities.

This will be your new home for one semester or for the whole academic year and we are here to support your academic and social integration through various activities, cultural events, sightseeing trips, parties and language projects.

In this brochure you can find some practical information and tips about studying and living in our beautiful town.

We wish you a pleasant time and a lot of success in Zadar!







## **International Relations Office**

International Relations Office of the University of Zadar provides incoming students with all the necessary information regarding their mobility period and it helps students with issues they may have prior to their arrival. Upon arrival, exchange students must register in the Office and take part in the welcome day for the incoming students organised by the International Relations Office staff and ESN Zadar.

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## 1. Croatia in brief



- Area 56.594 km<sup>2</sup>
- Population 4.284.889
- Capital Zagreb
- Language Croatian
- Climate Mediterranean, Continental, Mountainous
- ► Time Zone Central European Time GMT + 1
- Currency Kuna/HRK (1 kuna = 100 lipas)
- Political System Multi-party parliamentary democracy

## 2. The city of Zadar

Zadar is home to 75,062 inhabitants. It is the capital of the Zadar County and strong maritime, tourist, harbour and industrial city in the centre of the Croatian Adriatic. The old part of the City, located on a small peninsula, is an important historical town, rich with world renowned heritage visible at every step.

In Roman documents the old Liburnian centre Zadar is mentioned for the first time as Jader (Jadera) when after 59 BC it became a Roman municipium and shortly afterwards

a colony of Roman citizens. After the fall of the Western Roman Empire, Zadar became the capital of the Byzantine province of Dalmatia. During the 10th and especially the 11th century the city was governed by the Croats. In the Middle Ages the city maintained its autonomy in spite of frequent conflicts with Venice. In the year 1409, Ladislaus of Naples sold the city of Zadar to Venice because of "his rights" over

Did you know that in the 19<sup>th</sup> century in Zadar many things were introduced for the first time in Croatia – the first newspaper printed in Croatian language, the first operation under ether narcosis, the first public park (Queen Jelena Madievka Park) and the first Red Cross branch in Croatia?

Dalmatia. After the fall of Venice, Zadar came under Austrian rule as the capital city of Dalmatia. According the Treaty of Rapallo Zadar was given to Italy (1920) but after the Second World War it was returned to its mother country Croatia.

Founded on a 3,000 years old tradition, the Zadar region has developed to the extent that today it covers 14% of the total land surface of the Republic of Croatia and around 12% of the territorial waters, with more than 300 smaller and larger islands, better known under the name of Zadar Archipelago. The region offers beaches with crystal clear water and other natural beauties such as nature parks Telašćica at the island of Dugi Otok, Lake Vrana and Mount Velebit, as well as national parks Kornati Islands, Paklenica and Krka.

### Some useful links about Zadar

Zadar Tourist Board: Zadar.travel

Zadar Local web sites: ezadar.net.hr www.057info.hr

## How to get to Zadar?

### **BY BUS**

Buses connect Zadar with all the larger cities in Europe: Ljubljana, Trieste, Vienna, Zürich, Munich, Rotterdam and others.

#### ZADAR BUS STATION - LIBURNIJA d.o.o.

Ante Starčevića 1 23 000 Zadar, Croatia Web: <u>http://www.liburnija-zadar.hr/</u> Phone: +385(0)60 305 305 E-mail: <u>liburnija-zadar@liburnija-zadar.hr</u>







## **BY FERRY/BOAT**



The ferry port in Gaženica connects Zadar with Ancona (Italy) and some ferry ports on Croatian islands and harbours (Rijeka, Dubrovnik, Pula etc.). Information about schedules and destinations can be found on the official web sites of Jadrolinija <u>www.jadrolinija.hr</u> and Mia Tours Agency <u>https://www.miatours.hr/</u>. From the port in the city centre one can travel by boat to the islands of the Zadar Archipelago.

### **BY CAR**



You can use one of three possible roads:

- A1 Highway from the direction of Zagreb/ Rijeka - exit Zadar Zapad (Zadar West) or
- from the direction of Split exit Zadar Istok (Zadar East)
- DC8 Adriatic road

If you need roadside assistance or in case of an accident, call at +385/1987 HAK - Croatian Auto-club which operates 24/7. For road information and advice call +385/62 777 777.

More information about the situation on the highways and maps can be found on <u>https://www.hak.hr/</u>.

If you fly to Zadar you can take the bus (25,00 HRK (3,5 Euro) one way ticket)) to the main bus station or the city centre. A taxi ride from the airport will cost you approx. 150,00 HRK (20 Euros).

### **BY PLANE**



The International Zadar Airport is located in Zemunik (12 km from Zadar) and offers flights to Zagreb (the main Croatian airport) and to a large number of European cities directly from Zadar. Information about flight schedules and destinations can be found on the official web site of Zadar Airport https://www.zadar-airport.hr/.

The approximate distance in kilometres between Zadar and some European cities:

- Zagreb 270 km Trieste 300 km
- ▶ Graz 520 km
- 🕨 Vienna 705 km
- Berlin 1400 km > Milan 700 km
  - 200 km > Davia 1700 km









## 3. Studying in Zadar

### **3.1. About the University**

Zadar is a traditional European university city. As early as on 14 June 1396 in Dominican monastery in Zadar the university *Studium generale*, later called *Universitas Jadertina* was founded. The University of Zadar is the largest fully integrated university in Croatia. Up to 6,000 students are enrolled in the undergraduate, graduate and doctoral study programmes. There are 618 employees at the University, 420 of them members of the academic staff holding scientific-teaching, teaching and assistant titles. As one of the

youngest universities in Croatia (though historically the oldest), the University of Zadar points out as one of its priorities not only the international but also the inter-university cooperation with all the relevant universities and institutes in Croatia and abroad. In June 2019 the European Commission selected EU-CONEXUS as one 17 "European University" projects.

Did you know that the 1<sup>st</sup> higher education institution in Croatia was established in Zadar in 1396 under the name *Universitas ladertina*?

The University of Zadar is one of the partners in this projects, along with partner institutions from France, Greece, Romania, Lithuania and Spain.

<sup>1</sup> Data from the April 2019

### 3.2. Departments and study programmes at the University of Zadar

#### DEPARTMENT OF ARCHAEOLOGY

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#### DEPARTMENT OF CLASSICAL PHILOLOGY

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English Language and Literature (BA) English Language and Literature, course: Education (MA) English Language and Literature, course: Scientific (MA)

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#### Study programmes:

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and Art-conservation studies (MA)

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#### DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY

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Did you know that the first Croatian novel Mountains by Petar Zoranić was published in Zadar in 1536?

### 3.3. Course information

#### a) Search for the courses

All the information about the courses can be found online or by contacting the ERASMUS+ coordinator at the department.

More information about the course catalogue:

http://www.unizd.hr/eng/international-relations/student-mobility/course-catalogue/ courses-in-foreign-languages

#### b) How to register for a course?

To register for course you must contact the ERASMUS+ coordinator at the department or check the course catalogue to see if the course is available for the exchange students.

#### Croatian grading scale

Croatian grading system is expressed numerically from 1 (the lowest grade) to 5 (the highest grade).

Croatian grading scale	ECTS grading scale
5-(EXCELLENT)	А
4-(VERY GOOD)	В
3-(GOOD)	С
2-(SATISFACTORY)	D/E
1-(FAIL)	F/FX

#### c) Language of instruction and language requirements

It is important to know that the majority of courses are taught in Croatian. However, a considerable number of courses are offered in English, Italian and German language. At the Departments of French and Francophone Studies, English Studies, Hispanic and Iberian Studies, German Studies, Italian Studies and Russian Studies the lectures are held in the language of the study.

List of the courses taught in English and other foreign languages: <u>https://www.unizd.hr/eng/international-relations/student-mobility/course-</u> <u>catalogue/courses-in-foreign-languages</u>

Also, the University of Zadar offers the possibility of teaching in English for the students who do not speak Croatian (mainly through the consultation hours). The University of Zadar requires students' very good language skills (in reading, writing and speaking) equivalent to level B2 on the CEFR (Common European Framework of Reference for Languages) scale.



#### How to prove the language skills:

All students have to fill in the English Language Proficiency form which can be found at the following link: <u>http://www.unizd.hr/eng/international-relations/student-mobility/</u>language-requirements.

Please note that fluent language skills are vital for successful studies at the University of Zadar. If the language requirements are not met, the University of Zadar will not accept the student! If the student does not meet the language requirements, the department has the right to reject the student even if the student has been previously accepted.

All foreign students have the opportunity to attend the free Croatian language course during the semester (2 hours per week, 2 ECTS) at the Centre for Foreign Languages of the University of Zadar.

Contact for the information and registration for the course:

E-mail: <u>csj@unizd.hr</u> Phone: +385(0)23 200 633 Did you know that Zadar was the first city in Croatia to have the electric street lights?

The first electric light bulb in Zadar shined on New Year's Eve 1894.

### 3.4. Academic calendar of the University of Zadar for 2021/2022

#### ATTENDANCE:

Winter term starts on Winter term ends on Spring/Summer term starts on Spring/Summer term ends on

#### EXAMINATIONS:

Winter examination period starts on Winter examination period ends on Summer examination period starts on Summer examination period ends on

#### HOLIDAYS:

All Saints' Day Remembrance Day City of Zadar Day / St. Krševan Christmas holidays New Year's Day Epiphany St. Anastasia — Patron Saint of Zadar University of Zadar's day Easter Holidays International Workers' Day Statehood Day Corpus Christi Anti-Fascist Struggle Day Victory and Homeland Thanksgiving Day Assumption of Our Lady 1 October 2021 28 January 2022 28 February 2022 10 June 2022

31 January 2022 25 February 2022 13 June 2022 15 July 2022



1 November 2021 (Monday) 18 November 2021 (Thursday) 24 November 2020 (Wednesday) 24 December 2021 – 1 January 2022 1 January 2022 (Saturday) 6 January 2022 (Chursday) 15 January 2022 (Saturday) 25 March 2022 (Friday) 14 –18 April 2022 1 May 2022 (Sunday) 30 May 2022 (Monday) 16 June 2022 (Thursday) 22 June 2022 (Wednesday) 5 August 2022 (Friday) 15 August 2022 (Monday)



### 3.5. Other units and centres of the University

#### a) Library

The University Library supports the University's programmes of study and research. The Library is located on six sites: the Central Library (housing the majority of collections mainly in humanities and social sciences), the New campus library (housing collection in geography, information science, education and ethnology), the Department of Croatian and Russian Studies Library, the Department of Italian Studies Library, Library Dr. Alois Mock, the Department of French and Francophone Studies Library and the Hispanic and Iberian Studies Library. The Central Library, the Croatian and Russian Studies Library, the Department of French and Francophone Studies Library and the Hispanic and Iberian Studies Library, the Department of French and Francophone Studies Library and the Hispanic and Iberian Studies Library are all located in the central building at the address Obala kralja Petra Krešimira IV, No. 2, while the New Campus library is located at Ulica Franje Tuđmana 24i. The rest of the collections are located in smaller departmental libraries (Library of the Department of Classical Philology, Library of the Department of Psychology, Library of the Department of Archaeology, and Library of the Department of Hispanic and Iberian Studies).

The reading room of the Central Library is the main meeting place for the users with 80 available seats. Users can use open-stack areas to access manuals, encyclopaedias, lexicons, dictionaries, bibliographies as well as Croatian and foreign current periodicals. To find a book, students can use the card catalogue or the online library catalogue CROLIST (<u>http://crolist.unizd.hr/anew/search.html</u>). Through the library website students and faculty members can access online databases, online journals and other information resources. The reference librarian is at the front desk in the reading room of the Central Library.

WORKING HOURS

Central library Reading room: Monday – Friday 8 AM – 7.30 PM Loans service: Monday – Friday 8 AM – 7.30 PM

Croatian and Russian Studies Library Reading room and loans service: Monday – Friday 8 AM – 7.30 PM

Italian Studies Library Reading room and loans service: Monday – Friday 8 AM – 12 PM

French and Francophone Studies Library Reading room and loans service: Monday – Friday 12.30 PM – 4 PM

Hispanic and Iberian Studies Library Reading room and Ioans service: Monday – Friday 12 AM – 2 PM Austrian Library Dr. Alois Mock Address: Trg kneza Višeslava 9

Teacher Education Library in Gospić Reading room and loans service: Monday – Thursday 8.30 AM – 6 PM (Friday 8,30 AM – 3,30 PM)

New campus Reading room and loans service: Monday - Friday, 8 AM - 7.30 PM

University Library Catalogue http://crolist.unizd.hr/anew/search.html

More information on: https://www.unizd.hr/ sveucilisnaknjiznica/universitylibrary



Besides the University library, there are two well-equipped libraries in the city centre:

#### **CITY LIBRARY**

Stjepana Radića 11b 23000 Zadar, Croatia

Phone: +385(0)23 301 103 E-mail: <u>info@gkzd.hr</u> Web: www.gkzd.hr RESEARCH LIBRARY Ante Kuzmanića 3 23000 Zadar, Croatia Phone: +385(0)23 214 911 E-mail: <u>office@zkzd.hr</u>



#### b) Centre for Gymnastics and Student Sports of the University of Zadar

The Centre offers elective course of Physical Culture, i.e. fitness programmes (aerobics, Pilates, tae-bo, gym programme, dancing

and kinesio-therapeutic programme for students with health problems), then team sports (basketball, volleyball, handball, football, rugby), water sports (rowing, swimming, sailing, rafting), individual sports (athletics, table tennis, tennis, hiking, biking) as well as mountain and cycling tours. The international students are offered the course of Sports and Health as well as the sports programmes Physical Education and Badminton. Contact for the information and registration for the course:

Phone: +385(0)23 200 818 E-mail: kineziologija@unizd.hr

#### c) Student Counselling Centre

The aim of the Student Counselling Centre is to enable all the students a faster and more efficient studying as well as generally higher quality of life during their study. The success of the study is closely related to psychological functioning of individuals, to the level of using their own potential, as well as to the ability of dealing with the inevitable difficulties that student life brings. The failure in solving the real life problems negatively affects the length and the quality of the study, as well as the general level of psychological adjustment. Student Counselling Centre deals with individual and group counselling, thematic workshops, public presentation and research activities.

Trg kneza Višeslava 9, 23000 Zadar, Croatia Web: <u>https://www.unizd.hr/savjetovaliste/english</u> Toll-free phone: 0800 200 199 Fax: +385(0)23 200 820 E-mail: <u>savjetovaliste@unizd.hr</u>



#### d) Centre for Foreign Languages

The centre was created as a response to the growing interest of students to learn foreign languages and to the need for harmonisation of the educational process at the University of Zadar with the Bologna process. More than 1,000 students attend 32 courses in six different languages: English, German, French, Spanish, Russian and Croatian. Contact for the information and registration for the course:

Phone: +385(0)23 200 633 E-mail: <u>csj@unizd.hr</u>

### 3.6. Student organisations at the University of Zadar

The students of the University are organised in a large number of different organisations and projects that, working independently, are trying to promote them and their specific interests. For more information on student activities at the University of Zadar contact:

Student Union of the University of Zadar Web: <u>http://www.unizd-zbor.hr/</u> E-mail: <u>unizd.zbor@gmail.com</u>

ESN Zadar Web: <u>https://esn.hr/esn-zadar</u> E-mail: <u>esnzadar@gmail.com</u>

### 3.7. Summer schools and seminars

All the information concerning the summer programmes can be found at: <u>https://www.unizd.hr/eng/research/summer-schools</u>

### 3.8. Facilities for the students with special needs

The University can guarantee easy access to all the University buildings for disabled students. Also, the University has had experience with visually impaired students and with those with minor physical disabilities.











## 4. Pre-departure arrangements

### 4.1. Admission procedures

Starting with the academic year 2019/2020 the new admission procedure for the Erasmus+ incoming students is implemented at the University of Zadar, which means that the Online Learning Agreement (OLA) is accepted. With this new procedure the University of Zadar is fully endorsing Erasmus Without Paper initiative supported by the European Commission.

However, if your home institution does not allow digital signatures, Erasmus+ students and interns also have the possibility to apply using the regular Learning Agreement (LA), but without the necessity of sending additional documents in paper.

More information about the admission procedure can be found at the following link:

https://www.unizd.hr/eng/international-relations/student-mobility/admission-procedure

Did you know that the main street in Zadar is named Kalelarga and it is believed it's as old, or even older, than the city? Still, you won't find it on the map. While the people of Zadar refer to it with its historical name 'Kalelarga', officially it is called *Široka ulica* (široka = 'wide'). In a word, it's the heart of Zadar.



**CEEPUS INCOMING STUDENTS** have to visit the official web site of CEEPUS programme (<u>www.ceepus.info</u>), find out the information about available CEEPUS networks and fill in the application form electronically.

The University of Zadar participates in eight CEEPUS networks:

CIII-AT-0050-17-2122 CII-HU-0809-09-2122	Education Without Frontiers (Department of Information Sciences) FISH (French, Italian, Spanish) – Romance Languages and
011-00-0009-09-2122	Cultures – Strategies of Communication and Culture Transfer in
	Central Europe (Department of French and Francophone Studies)
CIII-SI-0711-10-2122	TRANS - TRANSkulturelle Kommunikation und TRANSlation
	(Department of German Studies)
CIII-AT-0503-11-2122	Inter-American Studies (Department of Sociology)
CII-HU-1201-05-2122	German as a Foreign Language in Central and Eastern Europe: New
	Perspectives of Teacher Training (Department of German Studies)
CIII-R0-0814-09-2122	Red de Hispanistas de Europa Central (Department of Hispanic and Iberian Studies)
CIII-SI-0906-07-2122	Pedagogy and Andragogy in Central Europe (PACE)(Department of Pedagogy)
CIII-SI-0113-15-2122	ARHEOPED (Department of Archaeology)
CIII-CZ-0111-16-2122	GEOREGNET (Department of Geography)
CIII-AT-0037-17-2122	Slavic Philology and Its Cultural Contexts (Department of Croatian Studies)
CIII-HR-1603-01-2122	Sociology for Societies – Understanding socio-cultural changes in contemporary societies (Umbrella)(Department of Sociology)

**INCOMING STUDENTS IN THE FRAMEWORK OF THE BILATERAL AGREEMENTS AND OTHER MOBILITY PROGRAMMES** have to be nominated by their home institution. The nomination letter should be sent to the International Relations Office at least 10 weeks before the beginning of the mobility period.

Incoming students are required to send the following documents in English:

- 1. Completed and signed Application form for Incoming Student (the original);
- 2. Endorsement letter signed by the responsible person at the home University;
- 3. Transcript of records (for bachelor level: transcripts of all bachelor courses taken so far (the original); for master level: bachelor diploma and transcripts of both bachelor and master courses taken so far (the original); for doctoral level: bachelor and master diploma as well as transcripts of bachelor, master and doctoral courses taken so far (the original));
- 4. Learning Agreement with the proposed programme of study signed by the home institution (the original);
- 5. **Proof of sufficient language skills** in language of instruction (please read the language requirements in the part 3.3.);
- 6. One photo in colour (30x35 mm).

These documents have to be sent **at least 8 weeks before the beginning of the mobility period** to the following address:

Sveučilište u Zadru Ured za međunarodnu suradnju Mihovila Pavlinovića 1 23 000 Zadar, Croatia The scanned copy of the documents should be sent by e-mail to: <u>iro\_unizd@unizd.hr</u> at least 8 weeks before the beginning of the mobility period!

All the blank forms of the aforementioned documents can be found at the following web site: <a href="https://www.unizd.hr/eng/international-relations/documents-and-forms">https://www.unizd.hr/eng/international-relations/documents-and-forms</a>

After the International Relations Office has received your application the confirmation, an e-mail will be sent to the student with the instructions for further procedure.

#### 4.1.2. Admission procedures for degree-seeking students from abroad

The degree-seeking students from abroad have to contact the Office for Academic Recognition of Foreign Higher Education Qualifications in order to get information about the application procedure and tuition fees for the programme they want to study.

Contact person for the information:

Paola Bajlo Kalmeta Phone: +385(0)23 200 596 E-mail: pkalmeta@unizd.hr



### 4.2. Visa requirements and Residence permit

All the up-to-date information regarding visa requirements and residence permit can be found on the following website: <u>www.studyincroatia.hr/living-in-croatia</u>.

Visa requirements – Nationals of countries subject to the visa requirement also need to procure an entry visa for Croatia (Viza C). Information on countries subject to the visa requirement can be found on the web site of the Croatian Ministry of Foreign and European Affairs (www.mvep.hr). The visa application (Viza C) must be submitted to the diplomatic mission or consulate of the Republic of Croatia in the foreign national's home country. A list of missions and consulates is available on web site of the Croatian Ministry of Foreign and European Affairs.

Residence permit – According to the Croatian Law on foreigners, foreign nationals intending to study in Croatia must regulate their temporary residence for the purpose of studying if their period of stay in Croatia is longer than 90 days.

Where to submit residence permit application – International students coming from non-EEA countries can submit residence permit application in one of two ways:

- ▶ to the diplomatic mission or consulate of the Republic of Croatia in their home country or
- to the Central Police Station in Zadar (Address: Put Murvice 9, 23 000 Zadar) immediately upon their arrival in Croatia if they submit the proof of taking part in an exchange programme approved by the Ministry of Science, Education and Sports in Croatia (Erasmus+, CEEPUS, bilateral exchange, etc.) – recommended!

When to submit the residence permit application – Students submitting an application to the diplomatic mission or consulate of the Republic of Croatia in their home country should do so prior to their scheduled arrival in Croatia. The usual procedure can take three months or longer (including time needed for all the necessary documents to be translated

into Croatian). There is also a fast-track option for handling the application and students can request this at the diplomatic mission or consulate, in which case they pay a higher fee. Students submitting the application to the Central Police Station in Zadar should do so immediately upon entering Croatia, i.e. within 48 hours from the date of entering Croatia.

The temporary residence permit is usually granted for the duration of one year or for the duration of the academic semester. Along with the application form for the residence permit, students must submit the following application documents according to the category to which the student belongs:

## STUDENTS FROM THE EU/EEA COUNTRIES (EU COUNTRIES + NORWAY, ISLAND, LIECHTENSTEIN AND SWITZERLAND):

- 1. They are not obliged to register to the Police Station within 48 hours from entering Croatia.
- 2. If their stay in Croatia is longer than 90 days, they must apply for the residence permit for the purpose of studying or internship.
- 3. The students apply for the residence permit in the Police station in Zadar and they must present the following:
  - The confirmation issued by the University of Zadar which contains confirmation of enrolment, the purpose and the length of their stay in Zadar, proof of finances (at least 1.690,75 kunas per month) and the information on the health insurance (EHIC European Health Insurance Card).
  - The students have to fill in the Form 1B with the exact address of the apartment/flat in which they are staying.
  - Copy of the valid ID or passport (first page with the photo)
- 4. The procedure is free of charge and the students get the Confirmation of mobility.

## THIRD COUNTRIES NATIONALS WHO HAVE REGULATED THEIR RESIDENCE IN ONE OF THE EU/EEA COUNTRIES:

- 1. They are obliged to register to the Police Station within 48 hours from entering Croatia, personally or through the eVisitor system.
- 2. If their stay in Croatia is longer than 90 days, they must apply for the residence permit for the purpose of studying or internship.
- 3. The students apply for the residence permit in the Police station in Zadar and they must present the following:
  - The confirmation issued by the University of Zadar which contains confirmation of enrolment, the purpose and the length of their stay in Zadar, proof of finances (at least 1.690,75 kunas per month) and the information on the health insurance (EHIC European Health Insurance Card).
  - The students have to fill in the Form 1B with the exact address of the apartment/flat in which they are staying.
  - Copy of the valid ID or passport (first page with the photo)
- 4. The procedure is free of charge and the students get the Confirmation of mobility.

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- 1. They are obliged to register to the Police Station within 48 hours from entering Croatia, personally or through the eVisitor system.
- 2. If their stay in Croatia is longer than 90 days, they must apply for the residence permit for the purpose of studying or internship.

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- 3. The students apply for the residence permit in the Police station in Zadar and they must present the following:
  - The confirmation issued by the University of Zadar which contains confirmation of enrolment, the purpose and the length of their stay in Zadar, proof of finances (at least 1.690,75 kunas per month) and the information on the private health insurance.
  - Proof of possession of funds for return to the home country (at least 4.057,00 kunas)
  - The students have to fill in the Form 1A with the exact address of the apartment/flat in which they are staying.
  - Copy of the valid ID or passport (first page with the photo)
  - one photo (size 30 x 35 mm)
- They have to pay for the procedure, since they will get the Croatian ID card. The cost of issuing the Croatian ID card is 240,00 kunas + 70,00 kunas in stamp duty (can be bought at all newsstands) = 310,00 kunas.

For more information the student should visit the web page of the Croatian Ministry of the Interior: https://mup.gov.hr/en. Forget NBA, it's here where you'll find true fan(atic)s of the game. In fact, so much so that their motto is 'God may have created a man, but Zadar created basketball'. It's the number 1 sport, the pride of the city.

### 4.3. Medical insurance

All foreign students must have health insurance covered during their stay in Croatia. EU nationals must have their European Health Insurance Card. For all the others, in case Croatia has an agreement on social insurance with the country from which the students are coming, they can enjoy the health insurance provided by their own country. However, international agreements do not cover all the medical services, in which case the students will have to pay for them themselves.

Please check with the healthcare provider at home or visit: <u>http://www.studyincroatia.hr/</u> <u>living-in-croatia/health-care</u>.

Erasmus students staying temporarily in Croatia are exempted from paying the fee for compulsory health insurance in Croatia. They may use the international health insurance from their home country (European Health Insurance Card) or choose to be insured at the health insurance company of their choice. The Ministry of Science, Education and Sports also covers the health insurance expenses for all foreign nationals that receive grants from the Ministry, if it is foreseen by the conditions of the grant.

### 4.4. Accommodation

International students are usually accommodated in student dormitory or in private apartments. The price of the accommodation in the student dormitory is 580,00 HRK for the first month and 500,00 HRK for each following month.

Student dormitory has 94 rooms, 18 of which triple and 76 double rooms and can accommodate 206 students. There are three kitchenettes, two TV rooms, large hall, classroom, computer cabinet, laundry and recreational hall. From 20 July to 31 August the Dormitory of the University of Zadar works as a hostel and it is closed for the students. There are 6 places booked for the incoming students at the address Ulica dr. Franje

Tuđmana 24d. Students can get the accommodation in the dormitory on first come, first served basis.

Registration has to be done by filling in the online application form. The link for the online application form will be sent along with the Acceptance Letter, i.e. after the Learning Agreement/Online Learning Agreement has been signed by all sides.

A much more reliable way of finding satisfactory accommodation is a private room or an apartment. Normally, students come to Zadar without a permanent place to live, however you shouldn't arrive without temporary accommodation. Therefore, we suggest hostels: https://www.airbnb.com/

https://www.facebook.com/hostelkolovare https://www.hicroatia.com/en/hostel/hi-hostel-zadar/

It is nowadays more common to rent a flat and share it with other students. This is usually more comfortable, since it allows the students more freedom and flexibility, especially in terms of timetables. The ESN Zadar members created a helpful Facebook group Be my roommate – Zadar where you can make a post and connect with exchange and local students that are looking for an apartment and/or room-mates. A much more reliable way of finding satisfactory accommodation is a private room or an apartment. Prices vary, but you can find a room for acc. 100 - 150 €, while the prices for apartments range between 200 and 400 € per month. You should clarify with your landlord what exactly are you paying for, some will also ask you for a deposit that will be returned if you do not damage the apartment/flat. Normally, rent prices do not include bills for household utilities or internet. It is important to point out several other remarks about renting an apartment. The average time spent by a student searching for an apartment is 2 months, so try to organize well in advance. It is generally more difficult to find an apartment in the spring/summer semester due to the beginning of the tourist season and the fact that many people rent their apartments to tourists rather than to students. It is important to discuss some issues with your landlord: heating system during winter, humidity in the apartment and the internet connection. If the apartment is heated by electricity, your electricity bill for the winter months could be considerably higher.

The best way to search for apartment/flat is to check different offers on the following web-portals. Some of the portals are only in Croatian, but they usually have photos of apartments and contact email so may send an inquiry:

www.njuskalo.hr\_ https://www.facebook.com/iznajmljivanje.stanova.zadar www.oglasnik.hr www.suncani-dom.hr https://www.crozilla-nekretnine.com/zadar/stanovi/najam http://erasmusu.com/en/erasmus-zadar

Please note that some of these agencies may charge a fee and that our office does not endorse any of these.

Some of these sites are only in Croatian language, but it is easy to manage with basic vocabulary or Google Translate.

Did you know that the defensive walls of Zadar together with 8 gates such as the Lion Gate testify to its turbulent past, full of conquering attempts, destruction and victories? Built almost half a millennium ago, the walls are a UNESCO World Heritage Site.



### 4.5. Student Buddy System

The Incoming Student Buddy System helps you in your arrival and stay in Zadar. "Buddies" are students of the University of Zadar who take the mentor role and assist the incoming students during their exchange period, doing it on a voluntary basis in their spare time.

They are expected to help the incoming students in the following ways:

- pick up students at the airport or bus station and bring them to their housing,
- help them to understand the layout of Zadar and get used to the new environment (local transport routes, bus connections, office hours, opening a bank account, etc.),
- help to integrate by organizing social events such as parties and cultural programmes,
- help them throughout the semester if problems should arise.

You should fill in the online application form at least two weeks before your arrival in Zadar: <u>https://esnzadar.broaddy.com/register/international</u>. We strongly recommend it to all the incoming students.



## 5. After the arrival

After the arrival, exchange students must attend the Welcome day organised by the International Relations Office where they will get the Exchange student's records sheet, X-card (if the exchange programme provides it) and the AAI account with the password for Internet access. The students will get the X-card and the AAI account only after getting the PIN or OIB (Personal Identification Number) which is obtained upon registration at the Police station or at the Tax Administration Office. Exchange student's record sheet contains student's personal information, list of the courses that will be attended, the ECTS credits and the grades that will be achieved after passing the exams. X-card is a student identification card and by presenting this card the student can enjoy the discount prices in student restaurant "Barbakan" and fast food restaurant "Citadela". According

to the decision of the Croatian Ministry of Science and Education, the X-cards are provided for the Erasmus+ and CEEPUS incoming students only.

AAI account is the account of AAI@EduHr system which provides free wireless Internet access in the Student Dormitory and University facilities. If students' home country is connected to the pan-European roaming The University Library provides free access to desktop computers where you can check your e-mail or surf the Internet.

system Eduroam

(<u>www.eduroam.org</u>) or eduGAIN, the students can use the identity account they got in their home university. Otherwise, the student will get an AAI account upon arrival at the University of Zadar.

## 6. Useful information

### **6.1. Health care and medical assistance**

General health care services in Zadar can be accessed by selecting one of the primary health care physicians, whereas health care on other levels (e.g. hospital, specialist examinations) can be accessed by way of a reference document ("uputnica") issued by the selected general physician.

There is no university clinic centre in Zadar, but the student can choose any general physician. The list of general physicians in Zadar can be found at:

https://www.unizd.hr/Portals/27/docs/Lije%C4%8Dnici/LIJE%C4%8CNICI%200P%C4% 86E%20MEDICINE.pdf.

In very urgent cases the students can call the emergency service (phone: 194) or go directly to the emergency service clinic (Address: Ivana Mažuranića 28a, 23 000 Zadar). Pharmacies are called "Ijekarna" and on weekdays they are open all day long from 8 AM till 8 PM, while on Sundays and holidays the pharmacy Ljekarna Jadran at the address Put Murvice 2, 23000 Zadar, is open 24 hours.



For all additional information regarding health insurance, please contact the HZZO:

Croatian Institute for Health Insurance (HZZO) Margaretska 3, 10 000 Zagreb Phone: +385(0)1 4806 333 Fax: +385(0)1 4812 606 E-mail: <u>obvezno-osiguranje@hzzo-net.hr</u> Web address: www.hzzo-net.hr

Office of the Croatian Institute for Health Insurance (HZZO) in Zadar Šimuna Kožičića-Benje 2, 23 000 Zadar Phone: +385(0)23 208 900 Fax: +385(0)23 251 314

### 6.2. Embassies and consulates

For the list of the embassies and consulates please look at the web site: <u>http://www.mvep.hr/hr/predstavnistva/veleposlanstva-stranih-drzava-u-rh/</u> You can also contact Republic of Croatia Ministry of Foreign and European Affairs Phone: +385(0)1 4569 964 E-mail: mvep@mvep.hr

### 6.3. Currency, exchange rates, credit card services

The currency of Croatia is Kuna/HRK (1 Kuna = 100 lipas). There are coins of 1, 2, 5, 10, 20 and 50 lipas and 1, 2, 5 and 25 kunas and bills of 10, 20, 50, 100, 200, 500 and 1,000 kunas. Foreign currency can be exchanged in banks, exchange-offices, postal offices and in most tourist agencies and hotels.

Most restaurants and shops accept the leading credit cards (American Express, Visa, Diners, Eurocard-Mastercard). There are many ATMs in the city and foreign students have the possibility to open a bank account in Croatia.

### 6.4. Shops and groceries

Shops are generally located in the old part of the city (the peninsula), but there are also two shopping centres: City Galleria (address: Murvička 1, 23 000 Zadar) and Supernova (address: Ulica akcije Maslenica 1, 23 000 Zadar). WORKING HOURS IN ZADAR Shops: Monday to Friday 8 AM – 8 PM\* Saturday 8 AM – 1 PM Shopping centres: Monday to Sunday 8 AM – 9 PM Groceries: Monday to Saturday 8 AM – 8 PM Sundays 8 AM – 12 PM or 8 AM – 8 PM \*The majority of shops in the centre are closed between 12 PM and 4 PM.

### 6.5. Eating and drinking

Students can take meals at discount prices in the restaurant Barbacan and the fast food restaurant Citadela, located in the immediate vicinity of the "old campus" (address: Ruđera Boškovića 5). In order to be eligible for the discount prices, students must have

the X-card with them and show it to the cashier. The students get the X-card at the University of Zadar (Erasmus+ and CEEPUS students only).

There are many restaurants in Zadar where you can eat typical Croatian foods as well as meals from the Italian and international cuisine (<u>https://zadar.travel/lifestyle/</u><u>restaurants</u>). If you seek cheaper food, you can find it in pizzerias and fast-food restaurants. Faucet water is drinkable and of high quality.

### **6.6. Entertainment and leisure**

Regarding free time that students like to use for entertainment and leisure, there is a lot of choice to suit different tastes in Zadar. Moreover, there are a lot of hidden secrets that are up to you to discover. Whether you prefer sitting by the sea in a nice café, enjoying the view, or various types of cultural events, dancing with friends in a club or a discotheque, you will always find something interesting "on the menu". There is a rich coffee culture in Zadar. No matter morning or evening, locals will find a few moments to sit down for a cup of coffee and catch up with the latest news. The same cafés turn into bars and clubs in the evening (especially on weekends), crowded with people dancing and singing. There are also a few clubs and discotheques. For more information on night life in Zadar visit: https://zadar.travel/lifestyle/nightlife-and-beach-bars.

Those who are interested in film and theatre can visit:

CineStar City Galleria, Murvička 1 Web: <u>www.blitz-cinestar.hr</u> All films are usually screened in their original language with Croatian subtitles.

HRVATSKO NARODNO KAZALIŠTE (Croatian National Theatre) Široka ulica 8 Web: <u>http://www.hnk-zadar.hr/</u>

KAZALIŠTE LUTAKA ZADAR (Puppet Theatre) Sokolska 1 Web: www.klz.hr

With its developed network of museums and galleries, Zadar rightly positions itself as an independent cultural centre of the Dalmatia region. The museums in Zadar are Narodni Muzej Zadar (People's Museum Zadar), The City Museum and the Ethnological Department, Stalna izložba crkvene umjetnosti (Permanent Exhibition of Sacral Art), Archaeological Did you know that the famous "Greeting to the Sun" represents a model of the solar system with patron saints' names inscribed? In addition to being a mini solar plant, the sound produced by the Sea Organ is based on the matrix of Dalmatian *klapa* songs.

Museum, Museum of Ancient Glass and Museum of Illusions.

The most important galleries in Zadar are Rector's Palace, Gradska Loža and Gradska Straža (The City Loggia and the City Watchtower) situated on the main city square.

### 6.7. Recreation and sport

Zadar offers lots of possibilities of being active in different kinds of sport and recreation. Besides the Centre for Gymnastics and Student Sports of the University there are several sport centres and associations in Zadar: <u>https://zadar.travel/explore/active-vacation</u>.

### 6.8. Telephone and postal services

City of Zadar installed the very first *smart city kiosk* in Croatia in more than 10 different locations. They enable free Wi-Fi network, as well as opportunity for citizens and tourists to purchase both parking tickets, pay bills, recharge their mobile phones, buy and fill up the card for public transport, buy sweets. It also contains a USB port.

If you would like to use a mobile phone, you can use the services of the three GSM networks in Croatia: Telemach (dial code 095), T-Mobile Croatia (dial code 098 or 099) and A1 (dial code 091). For foreign students is recommendable to use prepaid services:

Postal offices Working Hours Monday – Friday 7 AM – 8 PM Saturday 7 AM – 2 PM

Telemach (095), Simpa (098), Tomato (092) and A1(091). At the Welcome day organized by the International Relations Office of the University of Zadar, all the incoming students receive a free of charge SIM card for the prepaid service.

### **6.9. Internet access**

Besides the internet access in the Student Dormitory and University Library, the easiest way to get online in Zadar is usually at a cybercafé. Most of them are equipped to print out your documents as well as to upload your digital photos and burn them to a CD. The free wireless access is available at several points in the old city centre.

If you need an Internet Service Provider for your PC there are few options: T-com (<u>https://www.t.ht.hr/</u>) and Optima (<u>https://www.optima.hr/</u>) for ADSL internet access and Telemach (<u>https://telemach.hr/</u>), A1-Vodafone (<u>https://www.a1.hr/</u>) and T-mobile (<u>https://www.hrvatskitelekom.hr/</u>) that offer mobile broadband.



- The postal code of Zadar is HR 23000
- International telephone access code for Croatia is +385
- Area code for Zadar is 023 (when dialling form abroad, please omit the 0)
- Dialling code for international calls 00
- Toll-free telephone numbers start with 0800
- Telephone services at special prices start with N60



### 6.10. Electricity

Voltage 220 V, frequency 50 Hz

### 6.11. Public transport

Zadar public transport is run by Liburnija and it includes 10 lines.

The historic Old town is well connected with

other parts of the city. City buses operate every day between 5 AM and 12 PM.

Main Bus Terminal Zadar/ Information and ticket office:

Adress: Ante Starčevića 1 Phone: +385(0)60305305 +385(0)60350350

Web: https://www.liburnija-zadar.hr/ in a bus

Ticket sales:

- in ticket offices (situated) within the bus station)
- at all news stands situated near the bus stops

10.00 kunas one-way ticket

16.00 kunas two-way ticket

At the Welcome day organized by the International Relations Office of the University of Zadar, all the incoming students receive a written confirmation that needs to be presented at the central bus station. It enables the incoming students to get free bus ticket in the city and to purchase bus tickets for other destinations in Croatia at reduced price. For the city transport, the students have to pay 20,00 kunas and bring along one photo.

The city map including bus routes can be found on the last page of the International Student Guide or at the following web site: http://www.liburnija-zadar.hr/karta/index.php.

Look out for cars and respect people around you. Follow local traffic laws

#### Rent-a-hike

Students, locals and tourists can rent a bike at one of six locations in Zadar. Two of the locations are in front of the University of Zadar's buildings. Registration is straightforward and fast; users can register by completing the form on www.nextbike.hr or via the mobile application - Android, iPhone, and Windows Phone. It also possible to register directly at any of the Nextbike terminals at any time of day.

#### Rent-a-F-Scooter

Students can also rent e-scooters at one of four locations in Zadar, one of the locations is in front of the University of Zadar. Registration is available online https://www.dash.city/ or via the mobile application for Android and iPhone.

Bike (cycle) lanes are not available throughout the city. Due to this fact, cyclists use the road and ought to be careful around other forms of transportation and pedestrians.

#### Important note for pedestrians:

Many local cyclists ride their bikes in the pedestrian zone, so you should be extra careful while walking. Unfortunately, the same for the users of scooters.

Price:

Besides many taxi companies that offer

cheap services in Zadar and that can be reached at the following phone numbers:

you can also use the Uber platform to

- +385 (0)23 494 494 - +385 (0)91 262 26 21

-+385(0)23414414

get around the city.

TAXI

How to reach the peninsula from the mainland or vice versa? Take a "barkarijol" boat ride, a tradition dating back all the way to the 14<sup>th</sup> century.

### **6.12. Local radio station**



Radio 057 - frequency 91 Mhz FM Donat FM - frequency 97,2 Mhz FM Croatian Radio Zadar - frequencies 101,8 Mhz FM, 103 Mhz FM, 105,9 Mhz FM Novi radio - frequency 89,3 Mhz FM



## 7. Useful phone numbers, addresses & links



### 7.1. Contact list of departments, units and offices of the University of Zadar

#### RECTOR'S OFFICE

Mihovila Pavlinovića 1 23000 Zadar, Croatia Phone: +385(0)23 200 534, +385(0)23 200 619 Fax: +385(0)23 200 605 E-mail: <u>rektorat@unizd.hr</u>

#### OFFICE FOR ACADEMIC RECOGNITION OF FOREIGN HIGHER EDUCATION OUALIFICATIONS

Mihovila Pavlinovića 1 23000 Zadar, Croatia Phone: +385(0)23 200 596 Fax: +385(0)23 316 882 E-mail: pkalmeta@unizd.hr

#### RESEARCH OFFICE

Mihovila Pavlinovića 1 23000 Zadar, Croatia Phone: +385(0)23 200 740 Fax: +385(0)23 316 882 E-mail: znanost@unizd.hr

#### INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS OFFICE

Mihovila Pavlinovića 1 23000 Zadar, Croatia Phone: +385(0)23 200 642, +385(0)23 200 588, +385(0)23 200 787 Fax: +385(0)23 316 882 E-mail: iro\_unizd@unizd.hr

#### QUALITY ASSURANCE OFFICE

Mihovila Pavlinovića 1 23000 Zadar, Croatia Phone: +385(0)23 200 621 E-mail: kvaliteta@unizd.hr

#### OFFICE FOR UNDERGRADUATE AND GRADUATE STUDIES

Ruđera Boškovića 5 23000 Zadar, Croatia Phone: +385(0)23 200 620 E-mail: <u>referada@unizd.hr</u>

#### UNIVERSITY LIBRARY

Obala kralja Petra Krešimira IV., No. 2 23000 Zadar, Croatia Phone: +385(0)23 200 566 E-mail: knjiznica@unizd.hr

#### STUDENT COUNSELING CENTRE

Trg kneza Višeslava 9 23000 Zadar, Croatia Web: <u>www.unizd.hr/savjetovaliste</u> Toll-free phone: 0800 200 199 Fax: +385(0)23 300 942 E-mail: <u>savjetovaliste@gmail.com</u>

#### OFFICE FOR POSTGRADUATE STUDIES

Ruđera Boškovića 5 23000 Zadar, Croatia Phone: +385(0)23 200 533 Fax: +385(0)23 200 595 E-mail: pds@unizd.hr

#### STUDENT DORMITORY

Ulica dr. Franje Tuđmana 24d 23000 Zadar, Croatia Phone: +385(0)23 315 471, +385(0)23 203 000 Fax: +385(0)23 302 640 E-mail: studentski.dom@unizd.hr

#### CENTRE FOR GYMNASTICS AND STUDENT SPORTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ZADAR

Trg kneza Višeslava 9 23000 Zadar, Croatia Web:<u>https://www.unizd.hr/</u> <u>sastavnice/centar-za-tjelovjezbu-i-</u> <u>studentski-sport</u> Phone: +385(0)23 200 818 E-mail: <u>kineziologija@unizd.hr</u>

### 7.2. Important telephone numbers

112	National Protection and Rescue
	Directorate
192	Police department
193	Fire-department
194	Paramedics
1987	Road assistance
11888	Information about telephone
	numbers in Croatia

# E

General information Bus Station Train Station Airport Jadrolinija Taxi

### 7.3. Some important links



ESN

STUDY IN CROATIA PORTAL

MINISTRY OF EDUCATION AND SCIENCE AGENCY FOR MOBILITY AND EU PROGRAMMES MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AND EUROPEAN AFFAIRS SCHOLARSHIPS DATABASE OF THE INSTITUTE FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF EDUCATION

THE INSTITUTE FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF EDUCATION

www.esn.org www.studyincroatia.hr www.mzo.hr www.mobilnost.hr www.mvep.hr

www.stipendije.info www.iro.hr





## 8. Basic vocabulary

Yes	Da 🦳
No	Ne A-
Hi!	Bog!
Bye!	Doviđenja!
See you!	Vidimo se!
Excuse me!	Oprostite!
Sorry!	Oprosti!
Thank you!	Hvala!
Please	molim vas
Good morning!	Dobro jutro!
Good afternoon!	Dobar dan!
Good evening!	Dobra večer!
Good night!	Laku noć!
What is your name?	Kako se zovete? / Kako se zoveš?
Where do you come from?	Odakle ste? / Odakle si?
How are you?	Kako ste? / Kako si?

### FOOD AND DRINK

Breakfast	
Lunch	
Dinner	
Bread	
Butter	
Sugar	
Salt	
lce-cream	
Cake	
Coffee	
Теа	
Milk	
Juice	
Water	







### SHOPPING

Entrance Exit Open Closed Pharmacy Do you have...? How much is it? Expensive Cheap Size ulaz izlaz otvoreno zatvoreno ljekarna Imate li...? Koliko košta? skup jeftin veličina

### **UNIVERSITY LIFE**

University Department Higher education University study course Undergraduate study Graduate study Postgraduate study Professional study course Students' office Rector's office International relations office Book Exam Lecture Library

sveučilište odjel visoko obrazovanje sveučilišni studij preddiplomski studij diplomski studij poslijediplomski studij stručni studij referada rektorat ured za međunarodnu suradnju knjiga ispit predavanje knjižnica



### **TRAVELLING AROUND**

Bus stop Departure Arrival One-way ticket Two-way ticket Question Where can I find...? Street Square Building Direction autobusna postaja odlazak dolazak karta u jednom smjeru povratna karta pitanje Gdje se nalazi ... ? ulica trg zgrada smjer



### **ASKING QUESTIONS**

Who?	Tko?
What?	Što?
Where?	Gdje?
Why?	Zašto?
How?	Kako?
When?	Kada?



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# I SEPERATE WASTE,

### PAPER WASTE CONTAINERS

#### Throw:

newspapers, magazines, pamphlets, catalogues, letters, books, cardboard, paper bags

#### **DO NOT throw:**

cartons, plastic bags, tissues, laminated paper, used tissues, serviettes and nappies, paper plates and cups, photographs, stickers, damp or rotten paper or cardboard, dirty paper

> Look for the blue container on green islands and public areas or the blue bag

### PLASTIC WASTE CONTAINERS

#### Throw:

empty bottles, oil and vinegar bottles, fabric softener, shampoo and hair conditioner bottles, PVC packaging of food products (bottles, cups, boxes, bags, cellophane, coasters, cartons), plastic caps and lids, plastic cutlery, straws, CD and DVD boxes, protective plastic packaging or foils, plastic toys (that do not contain other materials)

#### **DO NOT throw:**

motor oil, pesticide and insecticide packaging, wallpaper, styrofoam, sponges, toothbrushes, cables (power, internet), umbrellas, sports balls, lighters

> ook for the yellow container on green islands. and public areas or the yellow bag

# **BECAUSE I LOVE ZADAR!**

### GLASS WASTE CONTAINERS

**Throw:** empty glass bottles of all colours, without caps

#### DO NOT throw:

porcelain and ceramic crockery, lightbulbs, fluorescent pipes, automotive glass, mirrors, crystal and optic glass reinforced glass, laboratory glass, glass wool

Look for the marked containers located on green islands

### **BIODEGRADABLE WASTE CONTAINERS**

#### Throw:

kitchen waste (fruit and vegetable peel, eggshells, coffee dregs, teabags, bread, leafy vegetables), garden or green waste, cotton, hair and body hair

#### **DO NOT throw:**

remains of cooked fruit and vegetables, bones, meat, fish, ashes, vacuum cleaner dust, dairy products, oils and fats painted and lacquered wooden waste, clothing and cigarettes, nappies, remains of litterbox sand

Look for the brown container next to the containers for mixed municipal waste

### Student experiences

Some of the 2015/2016 Erasmus+ students created short videos showing the impact that the mobility period spent abroad has on student life, meeting new friends and learning about different cultures. The videos are available at <u>https://www.youtube.com/channel/</u> <u>UCVLtZufwUknx0L7ThlHUAJg/videos</u>

Oskar Tomasq Gieburowski, Andrqej Frycq Modrqewski, Krakow University, Poland (summer semester 2016/2017)

Treally found a Croatian brother's heart in me, Twoke them in my everyday coffees like a Croatian fisherman in Gadar. It's amaging when you find your second home on earth. When people you've never met before, become your family and offer the best rewards. When everything is in your thoughts and something, is watching over your adventive. When the journey becomes life and life a never ending tavel story and will be in your heart forever and you get to see how much you you now you've get see it to believe it!

Bahar Bostan, Gazi University, Turkey (winter semester 2017/2018)

Why choose Zadar? There are millions of reasons to choose Zadar but for me the most important one is the climate. Even though I did my Erasmus in winter term, it was like summer and this was the biggest chance for us because we could travel all around Croatia that has many natural beauties like waterfalls, forests, mountains. After seeing all those beauties I understood that Zadar is the best place for me. Walking around seaside taking fresh air made me feel perfect. Drinking coffee (as Croats do :D) and watching the sunset was our daily routine with my friends.

I am really happy that I chose Zadar and I will keep this lovely city in my heart forever.

## Alessandro Spirandelli, University of Padua, Italy (summer semester 2019/2020)

These 5 months have been one of the best experiences of my life. Zadar fis a wonderful city with very welcoming and always nice people. I never felt like a stranger, even during the quarantine. At the beginning we were told that we would find a second family... well it's true! I was lucky enough to find wonderful people who made my experience unforgettable. I will carry these people and this city forever in my heart. Melanie Strutzmann, University of Klagenfurt, Austria (summer semester 2019/2020)

My Erasmus semester in Zadar was an amazing and unforgettable experience, which unfortunately lasted only a month as the COVID-19 pandemic started in April 2020 However, the opportunity to study at university by the sea and to experience Croatian lifestyle helped me forget the ongoing pandemic and created beautiful memories. After embarking on this wonderful adventure of Erasmus semester, I strongly encourage young students to study abroad, especially in Zadar because of the chance to gain broader perspective on different cultures, but more importantly on their future job career. I am thankful for every moment spent in Zadar and at university and I look forward to coming back!

> Rafał Cikacz, The General Tadeusz Kościuszko Military Academy Of Land Forces In Wrocław, Poland (summer semester 2016/2017)

I was asked to say something about my life on Erasmus in few sentences. It's really hard to keep it short, because during these 5 months so many things happened. When I think about my Erasmus experience now after one year I don't remember the struggles that I had. I remember only the huge positive impact that Erasmus+ programme and people from all over the world made on me. Erasmus is great - I believe we can agree. But student exchange in Zadar is on a totally another level. The atmosphere, the beauty of the place, ESN volunteers that are strongly involved in exchange students community - this and many, many more is what you're going to find if you decide to špend your Erasmus exchange in Zadar. You won't regret it.