

# International Student Exchange Programme

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## Review

**Julia Beyer, Germany, Jaixng Hexing Garment Co., Ltd. (China)**

I must admit I was not informed about the wool Industry, before the internship started. I did not know how wool was produced, except from the lessons of Mr. Geringswald from the LDT Fashion Academy. But to see, as many possibilities gives to process wool is very interesting. With wool you can have so many different qualities, depending upon kind of processing method



**Adriana Estrada Ochoa, Columbia, Fibratex S.A., (Uruguay)**

Being at Fibratex in Uruguay has been a very interesting experience for me. Even if we belong to the same hemisphere, we have different culture which can be noted mainly in our language even if it is Spanish. This, in fact, is sometimes an issue to discuss due to the different meanings a word can have. Business can not be done due to a wrong interpretation, therefore, here is where you need to be openmind Regarding the textile sector, I had found Uruguay with many difficulties, all mills are doing their best to keep business on the way but it has become not easy at all.



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**Alexandra d'Archangelo**, Canada, Messe-Frankfurt, (France)

I am very grateful to the ISEP program for the opportunity to come to Paris, France. My traineeship at Texworld has given me insight into the world of textile fairs as well as the presence of international wool exhibitors at this worldwide fabrics rendez-vous.

As a Canadian fashion student, the opportunity to come to Paris - the capital of fashion - has been invaluable! My ISEP traineeship placement at Texworld allows me to put into practice my current academic program, my past experience and my interests - a perfect fit!



**Min Dang**, China, CSIRO, (Australia)

It is a very valuable experience to bring knowledge from books into practice, feel and learn from the diversity in academic and cultural field.

**Amit Jadhav**, India, Ningbo Youngor Woollen Dyeing & Finishing Co. Ltd (China)

Here I got the opportunity to bridge the gap between theoretical knowledge and practical knowledge regarding wool textiles. Also my confidence is increased regarding wool textiles. And I will not hesitate to choose my career in wool pipeline industry.



**Peter Cain**, Australia, Zegna Baruffa Lane Borgosesia, (Italy)

The placement will be of immense value to my future professional career. There has been an enormous development in my understanding of the skills and aptitude needed to be successful in the wool processing industry. My future ambition is to use this to benefit Australian wool growers, by strengthening our industry as a whole, however I believe the skills I have gained can also be applied in other raw commodity and processing industries.



**Jun Jin**, China, Deakin University, (Australia)

My traineeship here is beneficial. The study is about the relationship of grease content and wool staple strength. And there are 3 parts of the study.

1. Measurement of Fibre diameter
2. Measurement of Grease content
3. Staple strength testing

The experiment is on-going.



**Renata Jagiello**, Poland, Xinlong Holding (Group) Co. Ltd (China)

I'm grateful, that the ISEP enabled me to have a traineeship in China. I feel very satisfied being here, because I can observe producing group of textile which I'm interested in. The company has a broad assortment of skincare and medical products. I also have chance to acquaint myself with interesting ideas how to use wool to skincare products (like facial mask and massage pad). Additionally I can collect information for my M.A. Thesis. I'm writing about management and Quality Control and this company is excellent example. In the 19<sup>th</sup> of September I'm going to Shanghai on CINTE Techtextile China. I think it can be very good experience in my future professional life.

**Laurent Verbrugge**, Belgium, The Suedwolle GmbH & Co. KG (China)

It was an unforgettable experience to follow a traineeship in Suedwolle, a well-known worsted wool spinner. Thanks to the company, I could get my first practical skills in spinning as well as in dyeing of wool. The people of Suedwolle showed me how special and interesting the wool fibre is. I hope this is only the start of a great career in the wool industry.



**Terhi Kuusisto**, Finland, AKSU Company (Turkey)

My tasks were to research northern markets and upholstery textiles at the export and marketing department and after that, a possible upholstery collection at the design department. I have now spent a month here, so have only seen the beginning. I am on my way to start finishing my study and waiting to see what can I learn from the design department.

