

**Applied Workshop in Hannover in Russian-German Intensive
Course within Strategic Partnership of Leibniz Universität
Hannover and Peter the Great St. Petersburg Polytechnic
University
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INTRODUCTION

Before arrival to Hanover we communicated with the German tandempartners. It's a good practice of German and Russian. The second part was visiting our tandem partner the Saint Petersburg. We walked with the German students. We visited all the interesting places of St. Petersburg. A week later we arrived in Hannover. In Hanover we walked in the city with our tandem- partners. They showed us Hanover from the other side, not how we tourists see it. And it was even more interesting than excursions, because we saw the real Hanover.



INTENSIVE GERMAN COURSE

In the morning we had wonderful lessons with Marina. She is an unusual teacher. We learned a lot about German and life in Germany. Very pleased that she speaks Russian and if you do not know something, she can explain in her native language. The atmosphere, lessons and guide helped us to feel us a part of snug country and university. This is good experience for us.



SIGHTSEEING

After lessons we had trips and excursions to city sights with Emir who is Leibniz University student. He showed us the town hall, The Royal gardens, Marienburg and university. Also we walked in the city with our tandem-partners. They showed us Hanover and it was more interesting than the usual excursions. The time which we spent with them was very productive and interesting.



On 2 September we went to Bremen and Hameln. The main square in Bremen was very beautiful and the atmosphere of the city was attractive too.



On 3 September we went in Marienburg with Emir.



On 4 September our TANDEM-partner Dominic and we went to Maschsee and had a nice walk there. On 7 September we went shopping in Hanover.

TO SUM UP

Our visit made us extremely motivated. We like to learn more about the country, culture and people. I am sure next visit will be even more interesting and attractive because I will be more prepared and conscious. To sum up, we would say that this program was really useful because we didn't only practiced our German, but we got a huge motivation not to stop learning it. Thanks to this program we found new friends from Germany, we became more motivated, open-minded, hardworking and we improved knowledge of German. We are grateful to the University of Leibniz for such an interesting program for Russian students.