

Participant details	
First name	Alison Pearl
Last name	Lang
Erasmus+ Mobility details	
Organisation name	Impact Solutions
Mobility dates	03.07.17 – 29.09.17
Place of Mobility	Falkirk, UK

Alison's Testimonial:

"The aim of this mobility was to work on projects within a plastic testing facility, focusing on the physical properties of the polymer (awaiting full placement duties).

While working at Impact Solutions I gained a significant insight in the chosen field, working alongside highly skilled and dedicated staff. I gained experience as a Polymer Lab Assistant and overseen how a professional company runs on a day to day basis.

My Erasmus+ placement took place at Impact Solutions, a polymer based testing company in Scotland. I spent three months as an intern at the company and during the experience I gained tremendous knowledge about polymers and the industry. I had the opportunity to be involved in research and development and I assisted in innovating new products and testing techniques. I also enjoyed being involved in a couple of projects that aimed to develop new methods to help with separating mixed plastic waste so that the material can be reused. The projects were an opportunity to apply the theory that I have learned to the problems presented to me, while also allowing me to challenge myself and advance within my field of study. I have become more committed to achieving my BSc in Chemical Technology and having a successful career within the chemical industry."

