

| Participant details | |
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| First name | Jagger |
| Last name | Haynes |
| Erasmus+ Mobility details | |
| Organisation name | Parco Museo Jalari |
| Mobility dates | 24.07.17 – 29.09.17 |
| Place of Mobility | Barcellona, Pozzo di Gotto Messina, Sicily/Italy |

Jagger's Testimonial:

"My experience during my Erasmus in Sicily was fascinating, especially since this was my first time travelling abroad as an adult. I was surprised in fact that even though Malta and Sicily are practically neighbours, our cultures differ to varying degrees, especially from a social aspect. In fact Sicilians have the tendency of making feel comfortable and talk to each other like they have known each other for years. This was one of the most endearing elements I loved about the experience, and unfortunately is a virtue which here in Malta we do not often share, as here even though we also tend to be welcome, when it comes to strangers, we favour keeping our distances.

When it came to the internship with Jalari Park Museum, I was responsible for various things, which ranged continually from back office, where I was responsible for tabulating a database into excel and maintain a contact list, to front office, where I was responsible for providing general support to visitors and help answer their queries and solve their issues. During my internship I was also responsible for introducing the park and all its contents to the visitors, which whilst doing this, I have spoken Italian for the most part and have as a result thoroughly improved my Italian exponentially.

One of the most experiences I have enjoyed there, was whilst there was the festival called "Espressivament", which lasted for three days from the 10th till the 13th of August. This was one of the most periods I have enjoyed whilst working with the organization, as it was something I had never seen, nor something I had expected. In fact the park was filled to the brim with various artists from Italy as well as other

from overseas, of whom were doing different spectacles, from aerobics, to music and even artisans who were selling their own products. During the festival my responsibilities became more tailored to the event, as I was now not only providing event related support to the visitors, but I was delegated as a Sales Promoter and was also asking people to sign in for the newsletter."

