Bhavyata Kalyan's Transformative Journey with Summer Abroad 2023 to France

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Today, we're featuring Bhavyata Kalyan, a remarkable second-year Biotechnology student at ESCOM, France. Bhavyata's adventure at a Summer School in France, focusing on the Formulation Chemistry of Cosmetics & Fragrances, is not just a story of academic pursuit but a testament to the power of opportunity and exploration that Seneca Global Learning and Engagement is committed to providing. Dive into Bhavyata's inspiring journey below.

I'm Bhavyata Kalyan, a second-year Biotechnology student. I learned about a Summer School in France on Formulation Chemistry of Cosmetics & Fragrances through Seneca. I have always been keen on learning new things, and this opportunity was too good to be missed.

The experience included lab work, lectures from companies like Dior, Chanel, and L'Oréal, among others, and cultural visits. Beyond the hands-on lab experience, where we made lipsticks, sunscreens, and lip balms, we also had the opportunity to form valuable connections in the high-end makeup industry, which would not have been possible without Seneca introducing us to this.

This knowledge about the cosmetic and fragrance industry, gained from my personal experience, sets me apart, and I will cherish this opportunity for life.

During this three-week school, I learned how easily I can adapt to my surroundings and socialize with people around me. Soon, everybody around me felt like family, and a part of me will always want to go back and relive this journey.

Everyday looked like this





Business trip to L'Oréal



Making customized lipstick



Business visit to Creapharm and making our own lip balm.



Food & wine with the participants and organisers.



Presentation about a cosmetic brand we created for a group activity.



I am profoundly grateful to Seneca for providing me with this opportunity and, especially, for the financial support. I could not have participated in this program without the financial support, and the funding made it possible for me.

Bhavyata Kalyan, Second-year Biotechnology student - ESCOM, France

Inspired by Bhavyata's story? This is just the beginning. At Seneca Global Learning and Engagement, we're dedicated to unlocking potential and opening doors to future innovators, thinkers, and leaders like you. If you're seeking to broaden your horizons through global learning opportunities, your next step starts here.

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