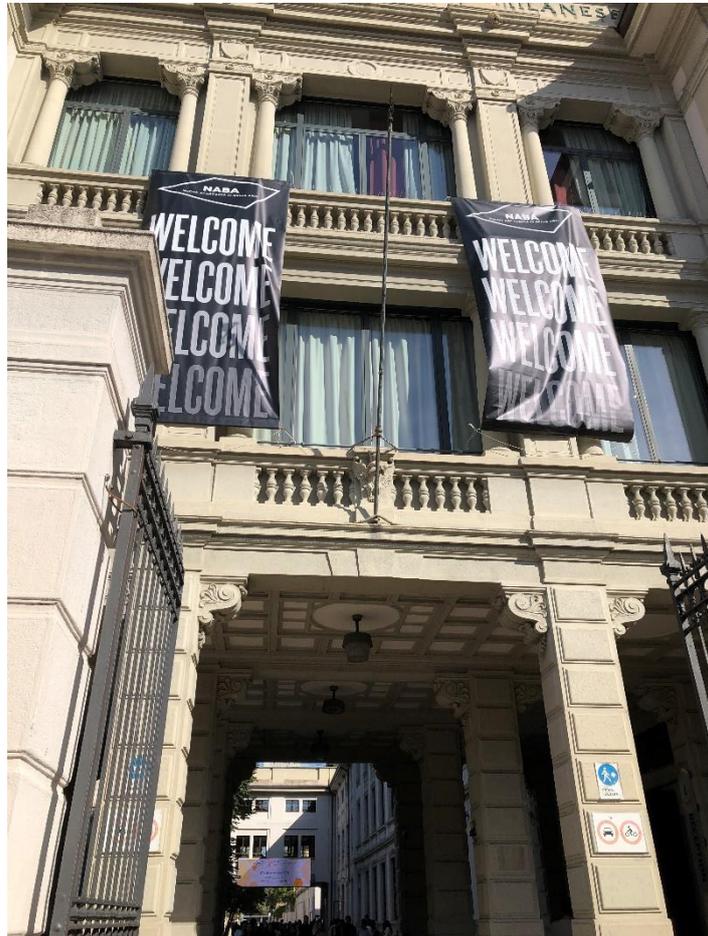
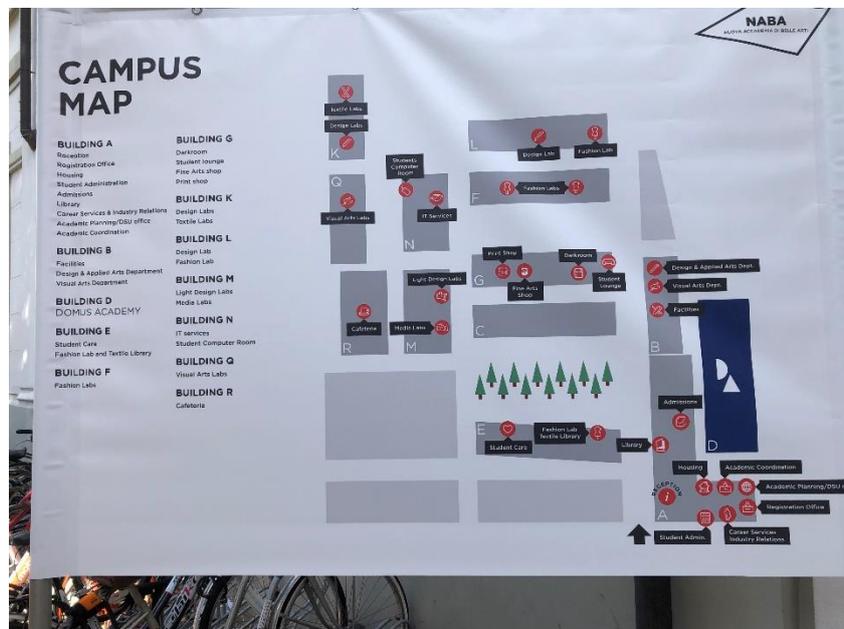


CAMPUS

NABA – Nuova Accademia di belle arti



I've been through 3 weeks in my host university so far and sometimes I still get lost on campus. Not because it is that huge, but because it has so many facilities and buildings. Most of the buildings are classrooms, labs, and offices, but we also have a cafeteria (with rooftop!), artshop with good discounts for NABA students and a printshop.



Cafeteria

Like in every place, there are advantages and disadvantages of the School.

Let's start with the good things:

They have different offices for different areas – for example Erasmus office, Registration office, International office and even a Housing office in order to help you to find an accommodation- so it is more easy to ask for help when you face with a problem. I haven't been here for too long, but I am pretty satisfied with their service so far, they try to help you as much as they can. As I already mentioned, they have every kind of labs – fashion lab, textile lab, design lab...- and the best is that there are free labs what you can book for a chosen period of time and use them for example for sewing. The cafeteria is pretty great as well, you can have lunch on a great price and they have a big variety of meals and coffes. I even like the coffe machines:

you can choose any type of coffe and add caremel/vaniglia flavours, sugar/chocolate sprinkles or biscuits for 1 or 2 euros. All together, the campus itself is incredible. On our orientation day we got a student card which you can pay with in the cafeteria and also gives you discounts there and in specified shops, restaurants, printshops etc. Among the bad things are that they don't have any sport facilities or discounts to gym, they don't have a dorm which is the worst of all, since you don't live together with other students and in general you can't be a part of the dorm life.

About the classes: Some of the them are really interesting and exciting, there are maybe one or two classes I don't like. The reason why I don't like those, because I have never done something like this before: our task is to make the pattern for a women jacket and sew it, but I have no experience with these things at all. My classmates are super nice and welcoming, but I'm not gonna lie, it's not easy to fit into them since most of them are here for the whole study program so they've already knew eachother for 1 year.

But I will not to give it up, I'm still working on having a friendship with them and I have my own Erasmus friends who study in the same university, but in a different course. With them, we always help each other.

