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Reporter: The membership of EU means bigger possibility for getting job abroad. To protect students in Poland from unemployment directly after the graduation, the school managers send them abroad for professional practices. The visits are organised, among others, within the framework of European Union's 'Leonardo da Vinci' and 'Socrates' programmes. We have meet four Polish students, who have been abroad

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Joanna, Bartek, Tomek, and Chris. They are eighteen years old students of high school of Housekeeping in Rzeszów, in Southeast Poland. To protect their students from unemployment directly after the graduation, the school managers send them abroad for professional practices. The visits are organised, among others, within the framework of European Union's 'Leonardo da Vinci' and 'Socrates' programmes.

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**Maria Kalinowska**

**Principal, High School of Housekeeping in Rzeszów**

*What is important is that in Europe there is a big labour market for qualified hotel personnel, cooks, chefs, and waiters. There is large demand for specialist in these professions, knowing their jobs, speaking foreign languages.*

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Joanna would like to work as a hotel receptionist. It will be her second practice abroad. This is why she painstakingly polishes her French language.

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**Joanna Machnicka**

**student, High School of Housekeeping in Rzeszów**

*My practice will consist in work in a restaurant. I hope that this time I will get to the same restaurant as before, as it was really cool there, nice atmosphere; we have been very well welcome by Frenchmen.*

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Though she was very impressed with what she saw in France, Joanna says that after its accession to the Union, Poland should keep individuality. She would like to transfer a few things to her own country.

1'18

**Joanna Machnicka**

**student, High School of Housekeeping in Rzeszów**

*What would I like to transfer to my country? Frenchmen are very accurate in their work, in every single detail; people in Poland sometimes are lacking in that.*

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Bartek has also participated in such practices.

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**Bartek Byczyński**  
**student, High School of Housekeeping in Rzeszów**

*We spent three weeks in Lyon area. I worked in the restaurant business; I learned how to serve deserts, dinner dishes. In the course of the practice, I specially liked the attitude of employers to their employees.*

1'59

Though his French was quite good, still there were some mishaps. Frenchmen reacted peacefully and friendly. The attitude of restaurant clients was also different.

2'07

**Bartek Byczyński**  
**student, High School of Housekeeping in Rzeszów**

*It happened that I broke dishes, gave to much spice to a meal, but clients were not angry with me, did not shout at me, just said, "these things happen", they were pretty tolerant.*

2'25

Although Bartek wants to be a hotelkeeper in future, in the school he learns how to prepare different delicacies and how to arrange the table. He is aware that his career opportunities at Rzeszów labour market are faint. So Bartek, and most of his schoolmates, believe that it will be much easier for them after Poland's accession to the Union.

Some of Bartek's colleagues already know that after graduation they will go abroad. Tomek will leave for France in June. He will work as waiter in a hotel. His salary will be more than a thousand Euros a month.

2'57

**Tomek Kudła**  
**student, High School of Housekeeping in Rzeszów**

*Any of us wants to set up a family, to keep it in the best material situation possible, to secure its future. Young people like us perceive Poland's accession to the Union as an opportunity, because this will allow us to work abroad. Students of our school, apart from the practices abroad, improve also their qualifications here, in Poland.*

3'24

**Krzysztof Bosek**  
**student, High School of Housekeeping in Rzeszów**

*During summer holiday, I passed the international bartenders' examination; the certificate is acknowledged in all EU countries; in future, I am going to work in Great Britain.*

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Joanna, Bartek, Tomek, and Chris would after graduation from their school like to work in hotels abroad, where jobs are easier to get. They believe this will make their start into real life much easier.