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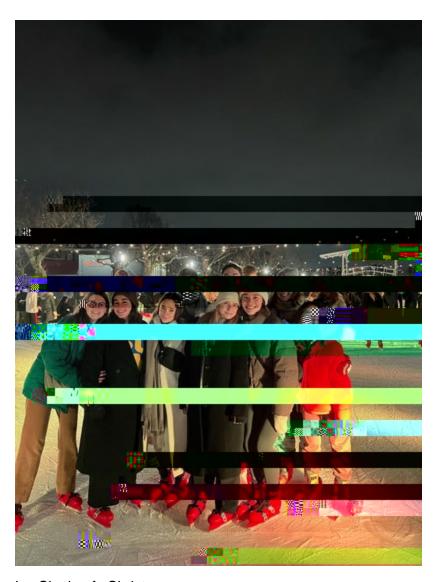
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saythat it's become easier for me to interact with my peers and socialize with new people. I've also learned how to find the balance between constantly socializing and taking time for myself to reenergize when I need some alone time. From an academic standpoiatchgote to learnmore about the European education system and was able to discover new interests during my studies that I plan to pursue once I return to Vancouver.

I would be lying if I said I didn't get cold feet a couple days before my flight but now my only regret is that I wish I had extended my stay when I had the chance. I understand that everyone has second thoughts about committing to living in a foreign country and rightfully so, it's a big decision. All the worries will disappear as soon as you set foot in Amsterdam because meet as many people as possible while on exchange since everyone offers a neething I wish I knew before coming on exchange is to cherish every single semester. There were tough times where lbfeety and homesick, but we give the it. 4 months may seem too long to be away from home, but it any gives ov it while you can!

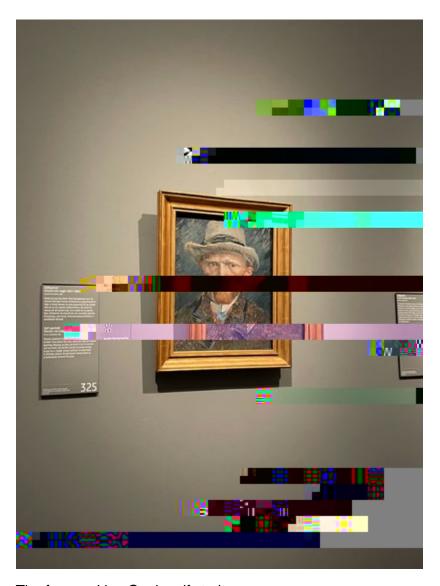


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