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Hello everyone! I am Phurichaya Chutikanont from Thailand, you can me Fah as a nickname. I currently studying Electronics Engineering at KMITL and I was the only Thai student which got an opportunity to work at Institute Mihajlo Pupin as a trainee in this year.

First day I was there, IMP team asked me which part I interested. Actually, Telecommunication is not my exactly field and I thought I didn't have enough knowledge to work. But they said, everyone come to IMP to learn new things, they didn't expect knowledge from me that much as I thought. I heard that and I was 'Wow', I've never thought that the biggest and oldest institute from Southeast Europe would tell me like this. They impressed me a lot. And people in IMP are so really nice and kind. They help us, trainees at IMP, many things.

Another thing I need to recommend is FOOD! There's a canteen (or a restaurant) here, and there's a menu for every single day. Actually, we can't read Serbian, even we had a translator, we still had no idea about this. Then, it was kind of 'random dish' (or maybe I, from Asia, am not used to a western dish).

Some activities here is lovely, they tend to go to lunch together, someone will knock the door and they will wait each other to go to restaurant (or canteen) as a group. Another one is kind of little work out, they walk around the building (I'm not sure is it the garden or building) after the meal. They said, because they sit all the day while there're working and it's not healthy, so, it's kind of policy (I'm not sure about that, again) to walk around the building after having a meal.

IMP amaze and impress me so much. People, surrounding, working and anything! I need to thank Valentina Timcenko, the first one I met at IMP, she's so kind to me, I asked her many things about Belgrade.

Natalija Lukic and Vladimir Catic, they were my mentor for two months, they taught me and be kind to me even I start doing a LabView at the beginning. Many times, I didn't understand about the tasks, they would explain until everything's clear.

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Thank you, IMP. I got the good memories from there.

Love from Thailand

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