In the framework of my STSM, I spent two months in the group of prof. Johannes V. Swinnen at KU Leuven in Belgium. I'm very happy with my choice, and I think I found my place. I had a chance to learn a lot, from mouse models to mass spectrometry imaging. Within my project, I investigated changes in blood, liver, and pancreas lipid composition caused by pancreatic cancer in immunocompetent and immunodeficient mice. My project's results may help in finding a suitable animal model for oncolipidomics-based research. In my free time, I enjoyed visiting beautiful Flemish cities and sampling Flemish food, particularly the excellent chocolates, fries, and beer! My STSM was a fantastic adventure.







