

Don't be too ambitious! Sometimes the simplest projects are the most interesting, and mine was very much based around the things I was doing on a daily/weekly basis, and it worked really well

Keep it manageable and enjoyable: I was so lucky to have the chance to use the project money in order to enhance aspects of my year abroad which I would have done anyway and which I found really fun, but by turning it into a project I got to devote longer to these things and reflect on them a lot more

Do budget and be organised: set yourself weekly/monthly goals, research the cost of things, and make plans so that you get everything done in the time.