

Long Term Volunteering

Those who say it cannot be done should not interrupt the people doing it.
(Chinese proverb)

Vacancies List

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Chapter 1

Africa

1.1 Nigeria

1.1.1 VWAN Nigeria

1.1.1.1 Agbowo Ikosi Community Farm Projects

Theme:	Others
Location	Agbowo Ikosi Town, Suburb of Lagos State
Duration:	Between 1 to 12 months
Application:	Applications are accepted throughout the seasons for the volunteer/s to participate. The project is on-going.
Vacancies	10
Languages:	
↪ Project:	English
↪ Local:	English

Project Description:

The major idea of this project is to create an opportunity for young people to acquire some skills on small scale farming. The poultry farm, rabbit and other pet animals will be supervised. The aim is to learn to grow one's own food, and possibly a bit extra to sell on the market. Cultural diversity is also exchanged.

The project serves as a means of support for the motherless and disabled homes located within the village. The products from the farm are partly consumed in those homes.

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Work: Cleaning, collecting and counting of eggs. Rabbits and some other an-

imals will be nursed. Regular cleaning of waste, transfer and replacement of animals.

Requirements: Bring some info of personal health material like how to brush teeth, washing hands, cutting nails, etc. Volunteers can also arrange cultural exchange, gardening, sport activities, making wall magazine, etc.

Food: The organization provides the local food materials and ingredients. Volunteers will do self-catering in a local kitchen together with local volunteers. The meal provided is general for all volunteers but optional meal is at volunteer's expense.

Accommodation: Volunteers will be accommodated in room - dormitories existing in the Farm. The farm camp is big and has accommodation facilities with all conveniences. Bathroom and toilet facilities are also available.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Kindly obtain your Health Insurance for appropriate months of stay before departure.

Fees: 200 EUR per month. Feeding, accommodation, orientation, administration, monitoring and other logistics planning

Visa: Please note: Business Visa should be obtained for 3 months but less than 6 months stay. If stay is more than 6 months, STR Visa should be collected before departure. Tourist Visa is only allowed for 1 month.

Others: Clean water is sometimes available through pipe-borne facilities but not always. But most often water is collected from borehole, streams, rivers or water tank. Volunteers usually boiled this water for safe drinking. Pick up is arranged by VWAN on arrival. The volunteer will be dropped off at the airport after the project.

1.1.1.2 Alba Home School Center for Children, Ibadan

Theme:	Socially disadvantaged
Location	G.R.A. Jericho, Ibadan, Oyo State
Duration:	one year
Application:	Application is accepted throughout the seasons for the volunteer/s to participate. The project is ongoing.
Vacancies	5
Languages:	
↪ Project:	English
↪ Local:	English

Project Description:

The project is an altruistic center where disadvantaged and mentally challenged children can learn to communicate with signs and sound. It is a welfare project

that provides the needed attention to these children requiring special care.

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Work: The volunteer will work with some experienced staff in the project. They will give assistance in counseling, entertainment, cultural events on various social occasions (games, courses of foreign languages, etc.). Volunteers can also arrange cultural exchange, gardening, sport activities, making wall magazine, etc.

Requirements: Bring some info of personal health: how to brush teeth, wash hands, cut nails, etc.

Volunteers with an affinity to communicate in signs are preferred.

Food: Local food materials and ingredients are provided. Volunteers will do self-catering in a local kitchen together with local volunteers. The meal provided is general for all volunteers. Additional (optional) meals are at the volunteer's expense.

Accommodation: Volunteers will be accommodated in a room (dormitories). The accommodation has facilities with all conveniences. Bathroom and toilet facilities are also available.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Kindly obtain your health insurance for the duration of your stay before departure.

Fees: 200 EUR per month. Feeding, accommodation, orientation, administration, monitoring and other logistics planning

Visa: Business visa should be obtained for 3 months but less than 6 months stay. If stay is more than 6 months, STR Visa should be collected before departure. Tourist Visa is only allowed for 1 month.

Others: Clean water is sometimes available through pipe-borne facilities but not always. Most often water is collected from boreholes, streams, rivers or water tanks. Volunteers usually boil this water for safe drinking. Pick up is arranged by VWAN on arrival. The volunteer will be dropped off at the airport after the project.

1.1.1.3 Children Welfare Centre

Theme:	Children, teenagers, elderly people
Location	Federal Capital Territory, Garki, Abuja
Duration:	One year
Application:	Applications are accepted throughout the seasons for the volunteer/s to participate. The project is on-going.
Vacancies	5
Languages:	
↪ Project:	English
↪ Local:	English

Project Description:

The project is a child care centre (i.e. children and motherless home) located at the extreme part of the suburb of the main city. The inmates are neglected or abandoned children that were left alone on the streets or highways, often because of the parents' incapacity or unwillingness to bring them up. This is often a direct result of early or unwanted pregnancy.

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Work: Assist the children in cleaning, washing and providing a comfortable environment for the children. Volunteers will give assistance in their social lives, distribution of food and tiding, organizing entertainment, cultural events and various social occasions (games, courses of foreign languages, etc.).

Requirements: Bring some info of personal health material like how to brush teeth, washing hands, cutting nails, etc. Volunteers can also arrange cultural exchange, gardening, sport activities, making wall magazine, etc.

Food: The organization provides the local food materials and ingredients. Volunteers will do self-catering in a local kitchen together with local volunteers. The meal provided is general for all volunteers but optional meal is at volunteer's expense.

Accommodation: Volunteers will be accommodated in a room - dormitories. The accommodation has facilities with all conveniences. Bathroom and toilet facilities are also available.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Kindly obtain your Health Insurance for appropriate months of stay before departure.

Fees: 200 EUR per month. Feeding, accommodation, orientation, administration, monitoring and other logistics planning

Visa: Please note: Business Visa should be obtained for 3 months but less than 6 months stay. If stay is more than 6 months, STR Visa should be collected

before departure. Tourist Visa is only allowed for 1 month.

Others: Clean water is sometimes available through pipe-borne facilities but not always. But most often water is collected from boreholes, streams, rivers or water tank. Volunteers usually boiled this water for safe drinking. Pick up is arranged by VWAN on arrival and to the Airport after project.

1.1.1.4 Compenatory Centre & Placement Homes

Theme:	Disabilities
Location	Coker Road, Ilupeju Estate, Lagos
Duration:	Between 1 and 12 months
Application:	Applications are accepted throughout the seasons for the volunteer/s to participate. The project is on-going.
Vacancies	5
Languages:	
↗ Project:	English
↗ Local:	English

Project Description:

The project is a special school where disadvantaged, mentally and physically challenged children learn to communicate with signs and sounds. It is a welfare project that provides the required attention to these children needing special care.

Notice: *This is an Africa WG project. Please contact the SCI branch or partner organisation in your country for further information.*

Work: Volunteer will work with experienced staff in the school. They will help to assist the children, organize entertainment, cultural events and various social events (games, courses of foreign languages, etc.).

Volunteers can also arrange cultural exchange, gardening, sport activities, making wall magazine, etc.

Requirements: Bring some info of personal health: how to brush teeth, wash hands, cut nails, etc.

Food: Local food materials and ingredients are provided. Volunteers will do self-catering in a local kitchen together with local volunteers. The meal provided is general for all volunteers. Additional (optional) meals are at the volunteer's expense.

Accommodation: Volunteers will be accommodated in a room (dormitories). The accommodation has facilities with all conveniences. Bathroom and toilet facilities are also available.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Kindly obtain your health insurance for the duration of your stay before departure.

Fees: 200 EUR per month. Feeding, accommodation, orientation, administration, monitoring and other logistics planning

Visa: Business visa should be obtained for 3 months but less than 6 months stay. If stay is more than 6 months, STR Visa should be collected before departure. Tourist Visa is only allowed for 1 month.

Others: Clean water is sometimes available through pipe-borne facilities but not always. Most often water is collected from boreholes, streams, rivers or water tanks. Volunteers usually boil this water for safe drinking. Pick up is arranged by VWAN on arrival. The volunteer will be dropped off at the airport after the project.

1.1.1.5 Eruwa Farm Agricultural Projects

Theme:	Others
Location	Eruwa Town, Ibarapa LGA, Oyo State
Duration:	Between 1 and 12 months - Start date between March and December
Application:	Applications are accepted throughout the seasons for the volunteer/s to participate. The project is on-going.
Vacancies	10
Languages:	
↪ Project:	English
↪ Local:	English

Project Description:

The major idea of this project “operation food basket” is to create the opportunity for young people to acquire some skills on small scale farming to allow them to grow their own food (and possibly extra food to sell on the market). Cultural diversity is also exchanged. Some weekends are designated to social activities. These include cultural nights, expositions, entertainments, dancing, drum in an open show, camp fire, display of cultural wears and foods. All volunteers and local youths in the communities are involved in those activities.

Notice: *This is an Africa WG project. Please contact the SCI branch or partner organisation in your country for further information.*

Work: The farmland is a large sparse one with varieties of crops. It has different layers of cropping built along ridges and cultivated bumps for growing varieties of seeds. The volunteers will be involved in bush clearing, planting,

watering, ploughing and harvesting. Cultivation of ridges and crop layers will be carried out.

Requirements: Bring some info of personal health: how to brush teeth, wash hands, cut nails, etc.

Food: Local food materials and ingredients are provided. Volunteers will do self-catering in a local kitchen together with local volunteers. The meal provided is general for all volunteers. Additional (optional) meals are at the volunteer's expense.

Accommodation: Volunteers will be accommodated in a room (dormitories). The accommodation has facilities with all conveniences. Bathroom and toilet facilities are also available.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Kindly obtain your health insurance for the duration of your stay before departure.

Fees: 200 EUR per month. Feeding, Accommodation, Orientation, Administration, Monitoring and other Logistics planning

Visa: Business visa should be obtained for 3 months but less than 6 months stay. If stay is more than 6 months, STR Visa should be collected before departure. Tourist Visa is only allowed for 1 month.

Others: *Clean water is sometimes available through pipe-borne facilities but not always. Most often water is collected from boreholes, streams, rivers or water tanks. Volunteers usually boil this water for safe drinking. *Project is organized together with a branch of an international NGO-YMCA in Nigeria: food for sustainable development in line with poverty alleviation programme of MDG goals. *Pick up is arranged by VWAN on arrival. The volunteer will be dropped off at the airport after the project.

1.1.1.6 Grace Social- Orphanage Home

Theme:	Children, teenagers, elderly people
Location	Agbowo Village, Suburb of Lagos State
Duration:	One year
Application:	Applications are accepted throughout the seasons for the volunteer/s to participate. The project is on-going.
Vacancies	5
Languages:	
↗ Project:	English
↗ Local:	English

Project Description:

The project is a child care centre (i.e. children and motherless home) located at

the extreme part of the suburb of main city. The inmates are abandoned children that were found on the streets or highways because their parents' could not bring them up. This is often a direct consequence of early or unwanted pregnancies.

Notice: *This is an Africa WG project. Please contact the SCI branch or partner organisation in your country for further information.*

Work: Assist the children in cleaning and washing. Provide a comfortable environment for the children. Volunteers will help with the distribution of food and tiding, as well as organizing entertainment, cultural events and various social occasions (games, courses of foreign languages, etc.).

Volunteers can also arrange cultural exchange, gardening, sport activities, making wall magazine, etc.

Requirements: Only female volunteers can join this project. Bring some info of personal health: how to brush teeth, wash hands, cut nails, etc.

Food: Local food materials and ingredients are provided. Volunteers will do self-catering in a local kitchen together with local volunteers. The meal provided is general for all volunteers. Additional (optional) meals are at the volunteer's expense.

Accommodation: Volunteers will be accommodated in a room (dormitories). The accommodation has facilities with all conveniences. Bathroom and toilet facilities are also available.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Kindly obtain your health insurance for the duration of your stay before departure.

Fees: 200 EUR per month. Feeding, accommodation, orientation, administration, monitoring and other logistics planning

Visa: Please note: business visa should be obtained for 3 months but less than 6 months stay. If stay is more than 6 months, STR Visa should be collected before departure. Tourist Visa is only allowed for 1 month.

Others: Clean water is sometimes available through pipe-borne facilities but not always. Most often water is collected from boreholes, streams, rivers or water tanks. Volunteers usually boil this water for safe drinking. Pick up is arranged by VWAN on arrival. The volunteer will be dropped off at the airport after the project.

1.1.1.7 Ijamido Children & Motherless Homes

Theme:	Children, teenagers, elderly people
Location	Ilo Awela Road, Sango, Ogun State
Duration:	Between 1 and 12 months
Application:	Applications are accepted throughout the seasons for the volunteer/s to participate. The project is on-going.
Vacancies	5
Languages:	
↗ Project:	English
↗ Local:	English

Project Description:

The home was founded in 1958 by Mrs Irene Willoughby, who recognized the need of a home for abandoned children. Now, the home is run by the first baby that was hosted in this home. There are about 150 children in the home, from newborn babies to university-attendants. Most of the children were found somewhere in the bush or on the road, abandoned by their parents (due to unwanted pregnancy or not being able to raise the child financially).

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Work: Volunteer has no fixed tasks but is free to find tasks for him/herself. In the morning he/she can take care of the babies, carry them around, change pampers, feed them and play with them. After the older children come back from school, he/she can help with homework (which is one of the major problems with the mass of over 100 children and just few staff), but also give extra lessons to smaller groups of children. In the afternoon he/she can arrange games, sports, and any other entertainment. He/she can also associate with the older inhabitants, that are the age of college-attendants.

Volunteers can also arrange cultural exchange, gardening, sport activities, making wall magazine, etc.

Requirements: Bring some info of personal health: how to brush teeth, wash hands, cut nails, etc.

Food: Local food materials and ingredients are provided. Volunteers will do self-catering in a local kitchen together with local volunteers. The meal provided is general for all volunteers. Additional (optional) meals are at the volunteer's expense.

Accommodation: Volunteers will be accommodated in a room (dormitories). The accommodation has facilities with all conveniences. Bathroom and toilet facilities are also available.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Kindly obtain your health insurance for the duration of your stay before departure.

Fees: 200 EUR per month. Feeding, accommodation, orientation, administration, monitoring and other logistics planning

Visa: Business visa should be obtained for 3 months but less than 6 months stay. If stay is more than 6 months, STR Visa should be collected before departure. Tourist Visa is only allowed for 1 month.

Others: Clean water is sometimes available through pipe-borne facilities but not always. Most often water is collected from boreholes, streams, rivers or water tanks. Volunteers usually boil this water for safe drinking. Pick up is arranged by VWAN on arrival. The volunteer will be dropped off at the airport after the project.

1.1.1.8 Little Children Centre

Theme:	Children, teenagers, elderly people
Location	Palmgrove, Lagos
Duration:	1 - 12 months
Application:	Applications are accepted throughout the seasons for the volunteer/s to participate. The project is on-going.
Vacancies	5
Languages:	
↔ Project:	English
↔ Local:	English

Project Description:

The project is a child care centre (i.e. children and motherless home) located in three different centres in Lagos. Most children were abandoned on the streets or highways, often because of the parents' incapacity to bring them up due to economic or social reasons. This is often a consequence of early or unwanted pregnancies.

Notice: *This is an Africa WG project. Please contact the SCI branch or partner organisation in your country for further information.*

Work: Assist the children in cleaning and washing. Provide a comfortable environment for the children. Volunteers will help with the distribution of food and tiding, as well as organizing entertainment, cultural events and various social occasions (games, courses of foreign languages, etc.).

Volunteers can also arrange cultural exchange, gardening, sport activities, making wall magazine, etc.

Requirements: Bring some info of personal health material like how to brush teeth, wash hands, cut nails, etc.

Food: Local food materials and ingredients are provided. Volunteers will do self-catering in a local kitchen together with local volunteers. The meal provided is general for all volunteers. Additional (optional) meals are at the volunteer's expense.

Accommodation: Volunteers will be accommodated in a room (dormitories). The accommodation has facilities with all conveniences. Bathroom and toilet facilities are also available.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Kindly obtain your health insurance for the duration of your stay before departure.

Fees: 200 EUR per month. Feeding, accommodation, orientation, administration, monitoring and other logistics planning

Visa: Please note: Business Visa should be obtained for 3 months but less than 6 months stay. If stay is more than 6 months, STR Visa should be collected before departure. Tourist Visa is only allowed for 1 month.

Others: Clean water is sometimes available through pipe-borne facilities but not always. Most often water is collected from boreholes, streams, rivers or water tanks. Volunteers usually boil this water for safe drinking. Pick up is arranged by VWAN on arrival. Volunteer will be dropped off at the Airport after the project.

1.1.1.9 Modupe Cole Child Care Centre

Theme:	Disabilities
Location	Lagos Mainland, AKoka
Duration:	Between 1 - 12 months
Application:	Applications are accepted throughout the seasons for the volunteer/s to participate. The project is on-going.
Vacancies	5
Languages:	
↪ Project:	English
↪ Local:	English

Project Description:

The home consists of a so-called bedridden Station, which houses both highly mentally and physically disabled people of all ages (smaller children to almost 50-year-olds). As the name indicates, they are not able to move around and spend most of the time in their beds, being fed and washed by staff. There are boys' and girls' hostels. They are split into those for mentally challenged (like

Down-Syndrome, Autism) and those for physically challenged (e.g. Spinal Bifida), who use wheelchairs.

Notice: *This is an Africa WG project. Please contact the SCI branch or partner organisation in your country for further information.*

Work: Volunteers are expected to provide the following services for the challenged and vulnerable children: * auxiliary training in special areas related to their own social work * assistance in moving physically challenged children around * distribution of food and other materials * organizing entertainment, cultural events and games, * courses of foreign languages, etc.) * helping the teachers in the school, e.g. paying special attention to one of the pupils or helping out during breakfast break.

Volunteers can also arrange cultural exchange, gardening, sport activities, making wall magazine, etc.

Requirements: Bring some info of personal health: material like how to brush teeth, wash hands, cut nails, etc.

Food: Local food materials and ingredients are provided. Volunteers will do self-catering in a local kitchen together with local volunteers. The meal provided is general for all volunteers. Additional (optional) meals are at the volunteer's expense.

Accommodation: Volunteers will be accommodated in a room (dormitories). The accommodation has facilities with all conveniences. Bathroom and toilet facilities are also available.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Kindly obtain your health insurance for the period of your stay before departure.

Fees: 200 EUR per month. Feeding, accommodation, orientation, administration, monitoring and other logistics planning

Visa: Please note: Business Visa should be obtained for 3 months but less than 6 months stay. If stay is more than 6 months, STR Visa should be collected before departure. Tourist Visa is only allowed for 1 month.

Others: Clean water is sometimes available through pipe-borne facilities but not always. Often water is collected from boreholes, streams, rivers or water tanks. Volunteers usually boil this water for safe drinking. Pick up is arranged by VWAN on arrival. The volunteer will be dropped off at the Airport after the project.

1.2 Togo

1.2.1 ASTOVOT Togo

1.2.1.1 Assistance Teacher of Primary and Secondary School

Theme:	North-South solidarity
Location	Kloto and Agou
Duration:	Volunteer should stay for at least one month. Project is open from January to September.
Application:	Decision within 2 weeks after application form is sent to us.
Vacancies	2
Languages:	
↗ Project:	French
↗ Local:	French

Project Description:

ASTOVOT, aware of the negative impact of lack of teachers and the great number of students on the results of examinations at the end of the year, supports the government efforts to provide students with better conditions of education . So, we initiate this type of project as a long term in order to: - Enable effective assistance of students in their studies; - Support the unwell understood chapters and complete the unfinished agenda, - Initiate with them a method of study for adequate preparation of exams, - Increase the success rate of students.

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Work: - The volunteer is placed in a school. S/he will do an internship with a teacher to get acquainted with the country's educational system and assist the teacher in its work. Then, S/he: - Prepares courses in collaboration with a teacher and organizes support classes in accordance with existing programs in the country for a better supervision of primary and secondary school students - Helps the teacher to correct copies of the students, - Guards students during the various assessments (written tests, homework table, final examinations) - Promotes extracurricular activities in clubs: drawing, drama, English, German, French and reading

The types of projects available are: French teacher English teacher ;German teacher ;Mathematics and Physical Sciences teacher Arts teacher ;Music teacher ;Professor of Sport; Support and assistance of blind people. The volunteer will also be responsible for extracurricular activities.

Requirements: - For primary school: specialized training is required. - For the

college, a Bachelors Degree or equivalent training is required. - For high school, a Masters Degree or equivalent training is required. - To support / guidance of the blind, the volunteer should have working knowledge of Braille or have the desire to work with the blind and learn Braille.

Food: Provided by ASTOVOT.

Accommodation: in hosting families

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Volunteer has to get his/her own insurance.

Fees: 290 EUR per month. Administrative costs, costs for food and accommodation.

Visa: You need a visa to Togo. Information is available at the Togo embassy or consulate in your country. It is possible to obtain a visa at the airport but we recommend that you get in your country to avoid administrative complications.

Others: If possible, bring some manuals, gadgets or any educational material.

1.2.1.2 Social and educational activities with children

Theme:	North-South solidarity
Location	Kpalimé
Duration:	Volunteer should stay for at least one month. Project is open from October to July.
Application:	Decision within two weeks after we received the application form.
Vacancies	5
Languages:	
↪ Project:	French
↪ Local:	French

Project Description:

ASTOVOT, in partnership with kindergartens and the center of ENVOL and VIVENDA, offers the volunteers the opportunity to get involved in educational activities. This allows to overcome the lack of teaching staff and introduce the children and staff to another culture (get the benefits of the cultural exchanges for a better education of the children). The volunteer can choose if he/she wants to work (i) in a kindergarten, (ii) with mentally challenged children at the ENVOL center, or (iii) with deaf and mute children at the VIVENDI center (please specify your preference in the application).

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Work: The volunteers will participate in all the activities of the center:

Helping teachers to supervise children during the various activities.

Working with children in the different workshops: modeling and fabrication of various objects, collage and drawing, games, chat, music and dance, stories and songs.

Creating arts and cultural activities.

Assisting teachers in their daily work with children.

It is also possible to develop a joint program with the teachers.

Volunteers are also invited to present typical cultural aspects of their country: songs, dances, games and more.

The working time is six hours (6) per day.

Requirements: This project is open to any volunteer who loves to listen and communicate patiently with the children. However, a qualified specialist such as psychologist, skilled educator, speech therapist, social worker, physiotherapist, a skilled teacher is highly desirable.

Food: Provided by ASTOVOT.

Accommodation: in hosting families

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Volunteer has to get his/her own insurance.

Fees: 290 EUR per month. Administrative costs, costs for food and accommodation.

Visa: You need a visa to Togo. Information is available at the Togo embassy or consulate in your country. It is possible to obtain a visa at the airport but we recommend that you get in your country to avoid administrative complications.

Others: If possible, bring some manuals, gadgets or any educational material.

1.2.1.3 Support to ASTOVOT coordination staff

Theme:	North-South solidarity
Location	Kpalimé
Duration:	Volunteer should stay for at least one month. Project is open from January to September.
Application:	Decision within 2 weeks after application form is sent to us.
Vacancies	2
Languages:	
↔ Project:	French
↔ Local:	French

Project Description:

In order to be more efficient in carrying out its activities, ASTOVOT coordination team is looking for people who want to bring further expertise to the

organization. We offer a team work in a diverse and rewarding associative workplace. This project aims at: promoting volunteering, creating and implementing new projects, supporting the coordination team in its daily tasks.

Notice: *This is an Africa WG project. Please contact the SCI branch or partner organisation in your country for further information.*

Work: Promote voluntary work in schools and among the rural population.

Develop community activities in rural areas.

Create innovative projects in rural areas.

Fundraising.

Administrative work for ASTOVOT organisation.

Follow up of mid-term and long term volunteering projects.

Support the coordination for the activity reports in French and English.

Implement new projects in school or outside of school.

Requirements: The volunteer must know how to manage several projects, work independently, be flexible about working days/hours. S/He must also have a great sense of communication in order to motivate and manage a group of volunteers, as well as writing skills for the fundraising. Knowledge of English, computer and basic accounting is desirable. Experience in international workcamps and volunteering, knowledge of international organizations' field will be helpful.

Food: Provided by ASTOVOT.

Accommodation: in hosting families

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Volunteer has to get his/her own insurance.

Fees: 290 EUR per month. Administrative costs, costs for food and accommodation.

Visa: You need a visa to Togo. Information is available at the Togo embassy or consulate in your country. It is possible to obtain a visa at the airport but we recommend that you get it in your country to avoid administrative complications.

Others: This project can be combined, if possible, with taking part in a second project, for example "Assistance to radio planet". If possible, bring some manuals, gadgets or any educational material.

1.2.1.4 Support to Computer Centers Staff

Theme:	North-South solidarity
Location	Kpalimé
Duration:	Volunteer should stay for at least one month. Project is open all the year.
Application:	Decision within 2 weeks after application form is sent to us.
Vacancies	5
Languages:	
↗ Project:	French
↗ Local:	French

Project Description:

This project is initiated in response to requests made by some computer centers of the city of Kpalimé. This program is a unique opportunity for any student who opted for a career in the field of IT. It allows you to discover the particularities of computing science in a developing country. You can experience the contrast between computer training in Western countries and the realities of training in developing countries. Objectives: The project aims at: - Strengthening human resource capacity in computer centers - Supporting trainers to improve their assistance to learners

Notice: *This is an Africa WG project. Please contact the SCI branch or partner organisation in your country for further information.*

Work: Volunteers will assist the training staff to supervise and assist people in learning, Assisting the trainers in the daily work with young people, Making a joint program with trainers

Requirements: Perfect command of computer sciences.

Food: Provided by ASTOVOT.

Accommodation: in hosting families

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Volunteer has to get his/her own insurance.

Fees: 290 EUR per month. Administrative costs, costs for food and accommodation.

Visa: You need a visa to Togo. Information is available at the Togo embassy or consulate in your country. It is possible to obtain a visa at the airport but we recommend that you get in your country to avoid administrative complications.

Others: If possible, bring some manuals, gadgets or any educational material.

1.2.1.5 Support to Health Centers Staff

Theme:	North-South solidarity
Location	Kloto, Agou and Danyi
Duration:	Volunteer should stay for at least one month. Project is open all the year.
Application:	Decision within 2 weeks after application form is sent to us.
Vacancies	5
Languages:	
↔ Project:	French
↔ Local:	French

Project Description:

This project was initiated in response to requests made by the directors of social health centers of Kpalimé, namely the health center “Solidarity”, the new health center of Zomayi. The project aims at: - Overcoming the lack of health staff, - Making the health centers benefit from external skills and know-how, - Providing international volunteers with a field of learning or enhancing skills in tropical medicine.

Notice: *This is an Africa WG project. Please contact the SCI branch or partner organisation in your country for further information.*

Work: Volunteer will help the staff to treat and assist patients. The centers have laboratories for analysis, health and maternity services where can work different bodies of medicine. Volunteer participates in: - Consultations of patients and pregnant women (prenatal) - Minor surgery for minor accidents - Weighing of children, - Vaccination, - Family planning sessions, - Biomedical Analysis

Requirements: Training in the health field is required. For specialists (midwives, nurses, laboratory assistant) in health or students who want to have the knowledge and skills in tropical medicine, this project is strongly indicated. Anyone wishing to do an internship, assist or serve as a caregiver may be admitted

Food: Provided by ASTOVOT.

Accommodation: Provided by ASTOVOT.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Volunteer has to get his/her own insurance.

Fees: 290 EUR per month. Administrative costs, costs for food and accommodation.

Visa: You need a visa to Togo. Information is available at the Togo embassy or consulate in your country. It is possible to obtain a visa at the airport but we recommend that you get in your country to avoid administrative complications.

Others: If possible, the volunteer can bring medical materials.

1.2.1.6 Support to Libraries Staff

Theme:	North-South solidarity
Location	Kpalimé; Agou Nyogbo, Tové Ati
Duration:	Volunteer should stay for at least one month. Project is open from January to September.
Application:	Decision within 2 weeks after application form is sent to us.
Vacancies	4
Languages:	
↗ Project:	French
↗ Local:	French

Project Description:

Reading helps to be open to cultures. Faced with the multiplicity and variety of information technology, most students are no more interested in reading and book culture. The project aims at supporting the library, encouraging students to be interested in reading and to develop interest in cultural activities such as drama, poetry, dance, etc. Various activities are organized: activities around albums, scientific activities, awareness campaign in schools, organizing games for children, reading contests with prizes, cultural events (theater, storytelling, African night followed by dancing .)

Notice: *This is an Africa WG project. Please contact the SCI branch or partner organisation in your country for further information.*

Work: Volunteers will be trained and work as a librarian in the library or come in support of local librarians, Run the library, manage the loan of books, Participating in awareness campaigns and cultural events designed to foster the love of reading in the target population.

Requirements: Motivation

Food: in hosting families

Accommodation: in hosting families

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Volunteer has to get his/her own insurance.

Fees: 290 EUR per month. Administrative costs, costs for food and accommodation.

Visa: You need a visa to Togo. Information is available at the Togo embassy or consulate in your country. It is possible to obtain a visa at the airport but we recommend that you get in your country to avoid administrative complications.

Others: If possible, bring some manuals, gadgets or any educational material.

1.2.1.7 Support to Radio Planète

Theme:	North-South solidarity
Location	Kpalimé
Duration:	Volunteer should stay for at least one month. Project is open from January to September.
Application:	Decision within 2 weeks after application form is sent to us.
Vacancies	2
Languages:	
↗ Project:	French
↗ Local:	French

Project Description:

The project of activities on the radio is held in Kpalimé at Radio Planet. Noting the rich intercultural debates and the thinking they bring to each one, we consider appropriate to share this exchange with radio listeners. Indeed, the debates allow people to question themselves, to think on the meaning of their behaviors and improvements that can be made.

Notice: *This is an Africa WG project. Please contact the SCI branch or partner organisation in your country for further information.*

Work: The volunteer will participate in the life of the radio at several levels: talk shows, variety shows, news, interviews and vox pops, etc.

Note : This project has very different hours from the others. The volunteer can choose his/her hours on the radio. Several programs are in Ewe (local language), the volunteer can not always participate. This project can be combined with the Project Support to ASTOVOT coordination Staff, which is 5 minutes from the radio.

Requirements: Motivation and spirit of tolerance

Food: Provided by ASTOVOT.

Accommodation: in hosting families

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Volunteer has to get his/her own insurance.

Fees: 290 EUR per month. Administrative costs, costs for food and accommodation.

Visa: You need a visa to Togo. Information is available at the Togo embassy or consulate in your country. It is possible to obtain a visa at the airport but we recommend that you get in your country to avoid administrative complications.

Others: If possible, bring some manuals, gadgets or any educational material.

1.2.1.8 Teaching Assistance at Vocational Centre

Theme:	North-South solidarity
Location	Kpalimé
Duration:	Volunteer should stay for at least one month. Project is open from January to September.
Application:	Decision within 2 weeks after application form is sent to us.
Vacancies	5
Languages:	
↗ Project:	French
↗ Local:	French

Project Description:

This project aims at adjusting the deficit of teaching and assistance personal and at getting young people in touch with another culture. The CRETFP is one of the first technical colleges in Togo. Its aim is to equip young adults with practical and professional skills in order to improve their access to the job market. The centre permits them to establish their own activities at the end of their education. There are two branches of vocation training: 1- Industrial branch or manual work. 2-Administration, office work, accounting, finance

Notice: *This is an Africa WG project. Please contact the SCI branch or partner organisation in your country for further information.*

Work: Industrial branch: Supporting the instructors and teachers in coaching the young people during their education and to work with them in the following areas: Welding, general mechanism, tinsmith and car painter, general electricity, car electricity, mason, carpenter, refrigeration and air conditioner. Administration or office work: Here, the volunteer assists the teachers in computer science or typing. N.B.: The volunteer will choose one area about which he feels comfortable.

Requirements: Motivation and basic experience in coaching, industrial sectors or manual work Training in industrial sectors or manual work is required. This project is opened to the specialists and the trainees (Welding, general mechanism, tinsmith and car painter, general electricity, car electricity, mason, carpenter, refrigeration and air conditioner and computer science)

Food: Provided by ASTOVOT.

Accommodation: In hosting families

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Volunteer has to get his/her own insurance.

Fees: 290 EUR per month. Administrative costs, costs for food and accommodation.

Visa: You need a visa to Togo. Information is available at the embassy or con-

sulate of Togo in your country. It is possible to obtain a visa at the airport but we recommend that you get in your country to avoid administrative complications.

Others: If possible, bring some manuals, gadgets or any educational material.

1.3 Uganda

1.3.1 UPA Uganda

1.3.1.1 Bamusuuta orphanage - UPA/MLTV/ 022

Theme:	Children, teenagers, elderly people
Location	Kyankwanzi District, Mulagi Sub county, Kiboga District.
Duration:	Volunteer should stay for at least one month.
Application:	Volunteer will get a decision about his/her application within 2 weeks.
Vacancies	5
Languages:	
↔ Project:	English
↔ Local:	English

Project Description:

Bamusuuta orphanage was founded in 1987 shortly after the 1980 -1986 civil war that claimed many lives in Uganda. It was started by Nanvubya Esteri. Challenged by the unpleasant and vulnerable situation of the orphaned children, this couple picked a vision to start an orphanage. To look after these children. Before even the war the couple was faced with an influx of 40 orphans of the war under the help of one Namukasa who asked and was accepted to take refugee in their home. The aim is to provide basic needs, care, education, skills, encouragement and support to orphaned children.

Notice: *This is an Africa WG project. Please contact the SCI branch or partner organisation in your country for further information.*

Work: -Giving care and showing love to the children -Playing with the children. -Helping in their gardens for food security -House work, preparing food, fetching water, doing dishes etc -Helping in the construction of a house for them

Requirements: Ready to work with orphaned and vulnerable children in rural setting Ready to play and help the orphans psycho social needs Be ready for a very fragile community (changing characters)

Food: Food is not provided by UPA.

Accommodation: The volunteer has to stay either in Kiboga town or stay with

the orphans in a very rural setting with a humble home.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Volunteer has to get his/her own insurance.

Fees: 500 EUR one time payment. Participants are required to pay a fee of 500 EUR on arrival for 1- 3 months and 50 EUR for each additional month. The fee covers pick up from the airport, on arrival training, accommodation, water, cooking gas, general UPA administration cost.

Visa: Needed, can be bought from the airport, the cost of a single entry visa is 50 USD.

Others: If you want to help a child in absolute need, who can appreciate even the least, this can be an opportunity. This is an orphanage in the very rural setting and a very good example of a project addressing a grass root need. Most orphans go to school hence are able to speak a few words in English.

1.3.1.2 Basajjansolo memorial training centre - UPA/MLTV05

Theme:	Children, teenagers, elderly people
Location	Luwero
Duration:	Volunteer should stay for at least one month.
Application:	volunteer will get a decision about his/her application within 2 weeks.
Vacancies	5
Languages:	
↪ Project:	English
↪ Local:	English

Project Description:

To empower young people especially HIV/AIDS and other disadvantaged orphans in Luwero District to create own jobs for self-reliance. To provide basic primary education to HIV/AIDS and other disadvantaged orphans/young people. To train HIV/AIDS and other disadvantages orphans in career skills capable of making them create and sustain own jobs. To sensitize young people on their rights to enable them make informed decisions in life.

Notice: *This is an Africa WG project. Please contact the SCI branch or partner organisation in your country for further information.*

Work: -Teach children of the ages 4-12 years in the subjects of Math and English. -Play games and sports with children. -Music, dance and drama. -Conduct home visit to homes of sponsored pupils. -Organize debates and quiz for pupils. -Help in school projects management and supervision ie Cow, -Piggery, Craft, school garden. -Assist teachers in preparing learning (visual) aides, home work cards

for pupils -Volunteer may also assist in School Administration and management on request. -Be part of the editing team for the school News letter -Co-ordinate with sponsors by preparing and submitting update reports on sponsored pupils to their respective sponsors. -Conduct Home visit to homes of sponsored pupils
Requirements: BACODA requires that a volunteer has an open mind and be creative. A self-driven and motivated volunteer, willing to work under minimum supervision. Having administration or management skills would be of an added advantage but not mandatory. A volunteer will be welcome to introduce any craftsmanship skills.

Food: Food is not provided by UPA.

Accommodation: UPA will organize accommodation with either a family or the volunteer will be given a room rented by UPA in Luwero.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Volunteer has to get his/her own insurance.

Fees: 500 EUR one time payment. Participants are required to pay a fee of 500 EUR on arrival for 1- 3 months and 50 EUR for each additional month. The fee covers pick up from the airport, on arrival training, accommodation, water, cooking gas, general UPA administration cost.

Visa: Needed, can be bought from the airport, the cost of a single entry visa is 50 USD.

Others: The placement requires volunteers that are highly motivated, creative and innovative. It is an interesting project and introduces you to a really local setting and early growing stages of children in Uganda. Most locals will speak basic English.

1.3.1.3 City view nursery and primary school - UPA/MLTV 08

Theme:	Children, teenagers, elderly people
Location	Kasubi, Kampala.
Duration:	Volunteer should stay for at least one month.
Application:	Volunteer will get a decision about his/her application within 2 weeks.
Vacancies	5
Languages:	
↪ Project:	English
↪ Local:	English

Project Description:

City View Nursery and Primary School is located in Kasubi, Kampala. The school targets the poorest students in the neighborhoods.

There are 40 children in the Nursery school and 50 students from Primary 1 Primary 6. The school really needs volunteer teachers as there are currently only

4 teachers for 7 classes.

Notice: *This is an Africa WG project. Please contact the SCI branch or partner organisation in your country for further information.*

Work: -Work with the rest of the staff to provide quality education to the children -Teaching children (English, Mathematics) -Play games and sports with children -Teach music, dance and drama -Other things you are good at and would like to do at the school or with the children

Requirements: -Independent and flexible. -Having skills in caring for children. -Command of good communication skills

Food: Food is not provided by UPA.

Accommodation: UPA Guesthouse

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Volunteer has to get his/her own insurance.

Fees: 500 EUR one time payment. Participants are required to pay a fee of 500 EUR on arrival for 1- 3 months and 50 EUR for each additional month. The fee covers pick up from the airport, on arrival training, accommodation, water, cooking gas, general UPA administration cost.

Visa: Needed, can be bought from the airport, the cost of a single entry visa is 50 USD.

Others: This is a rather new school for us. Therefore it will give an opportunity to the volunteer to engage in teaching, games and sports. The volunteer should have love for children. Communication with School staff is easy as most are educated.

1.3.1.4 Community action for development - UPA/LMTV 031

Theme:	Socially disadvantaged
Location	Kampala district
Duration:	Volunteer should stay for at least one month.
Application:	Volunteer will get a decision about his/her application within 2 weeks.
Vacancies	5
Languages:	
↔ Project:	English
↔ Local:	English

Project Description:

-Provide support in form of Income Generating Project to People living with HIV/AIDS. -Promote Behavior Change Communication through enter-education, (sports, music, games & drama). -To train youth and young married couples in

HIV prevention. -Train life skills. -Provisional of vocational skills to vulnerable children and the youth. -HIV Counseling and testing. -Support orphans and other vulnerable children and their households. -Advocacy. -Preventive and referral for health services. -Child counseling, childparent communication. -Campaigns on sanitation and environment.

Notice: *This is an Africa WG project. Please contact the SCI branch or partner organisation in your country for further information.*

Work: -Social support to HIV/AIDS orphans and other vulnerable children and adults living with HIV. -Collect data concerning OVC status and their access to different services. -Join in home visits -Office work related to organization development and programming. -Volunteers can also spend time while participating in health talk, talk shows, and dialogues, schools where orphans & vulnerable children receive education. -Participate in organizing recreational activities, retreats for children and youth. -Participate in youth community camps (YCC) for community projects. -Prepare and submit reports on activities they have been involved in. -Participate in campaigns on sanitation and environment. -Participate in planning and implementation of youth entrepreneurship skills development initiatives through community participation. -Participate in activities of other ongoing projects. -Participate in programme meetings. -Participate in Monitoring and Evaluation of projects.

Requirements: -Emotionally strong - able to associate freely with people of different vulnerability including those living with HIV etc. -Self-driven - can perform duties with minimal supervision. -Innovative/creative. -Understanding - even when it requires extra time should be able to appreciate the environment or cause.

Food: Food is not provided by UPA.

Accommodation: CAD will appropriately arrange for the volunteer accommodation in liaison with UPA. Note: CAD has also got the volunteer host families that are community based.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Volunteer has to get his/her own insurance.

Fees: 500 EUR one time payment. Participants are required to pay a fee of 500 EUR on arrival for 1- 3 months and 50 EUR for each additional month. The fee covers pick up from the airport, on arrival training, accommodation, water, cooking gas, general UPA administration cost.

Visa: Needed, can be bought from the airport, the cost of a single entry visa is 50 USD.

Others: Mobilizing communities, appreciate the need to adopt, needed change from some bad cultural practices will require a volunteer who is not judgmental but with a high listening, analyzing, and neutral handling of issues. The placement can be an interesting one because it will introduce someone to the different cultural interpretations to the society.

1.3.1.5 Ebenezer nurse and primary school - UPA/MLTV/010

Theme:	Children, teenagers, elderly people
Location	BWEYOGGERERE, 1 h from Kampala.
Duration:	Volunteer should stay for at least one month.
Application:	volunteer will get a decision about his/her application within 2 weeks.
Vacancies	2
Languages:	
↪ Project:	English
↪ Local:	English

Project Description:

The school was established in 1995. Since then it has recruited 13 teachers and there are about 315 pupils from the age of 3-13 years. The school is non-governmental institution and has no funder. Aim is to educate the community and give the volunteer an experience feel of the education system in Uganda.

Notice: *This is an Africa WG project. Please contact the SCI branch or partner organisation in your country for further information.*

Work: -Teach children of the age 4-12 years -Participate in games, swimming -Participate in music, dance and drama -Educative trips -Mainly to teach English and Music -Play games with children. -Music, dance and drama

Requirements: -Experience in teaching desirable but not necessary -Affinity to children -Adaptable to local teaching culture in Uganda -English speaking.

Food: Food is not provided by UPA.

Accommodation: UPA Guest house in Nansana. It is a driving distance and takes 1 hour to get there from UPA guest house. It costs about 6000 ug. shillings to and from. Alternatively, a host family can be organized near the project.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Volunteer has to get his/her own insurance.

Fees: 500 EUR one time payment. Participants are required to pay a fee of 500 EUR on arrival for 1- 3 months and 50 EUR for each additional month. The fee covers pick up from the airport, on arrival training, accommodation, water, cooking gas, general UPA administration cost.

Visa: Needed, can be bought from the airport, the cost of a single entry visa is 50 USD.

Others: A volunteer will teach and also be able to engage in other volunteer projects since teaching will be for only 3 hours, or specific days agreed at the project. Most of the children at the age of 7-12 will be able to speak English.

The teachers at the school speak English. Holiday: December-February , April-May and August-September

1.3.1.6 Green valley nursery & primary school - MLTV/012

Theme:	Children, teenagers, elderly people
Location	Kiganda
Duration:	Volunteer should stay for at least one month.
Application:	volunteer will get a decision about his/her application within 2 weeks.
Vacancies	2
Languages:	
↗ Project:	English
↗ Local:	English

Project Description:

Green Valley Nursery & Primary school was established in May 1992 as a Nursery school. Today it has grown to a fully fledged primary school. The school was licensed on 22nd Jan 1997 and there after got official registration 08th Nov 2001 with Registration No. PPS/G/39 and a UNEB center No.008293. With an enrollment of 205 learners aged 4 - 13, Green Valley Nursery & Primary school is a non-government institution running without Government support.

Aim is to improve literacy through providing quality education to children

Notice: *This is an Africa WG project. Please contact the SCI branch or partner organisation in your country for further information.*

Work: -Play games with the children -Helping pupils practice spoken English -Share good practices on how schools run in own countries -Assist teachers to develop learning AIDS for pupils -Teach pupils English, Mathematics, science and any other desired subject -Play, sing and dance with children. -Conduct talks, open discussions to introduce and expose pupils to cultural diversity and ways of living.

Requirements: Applying volunteers should have: -A desire to share/teach the children -Affinity to children. -Appreciative of and open to experience cultural diversity and a different way of life and education system.

Food: Food is not provided by UPA.

Accommodation: The volunteer shall be offered a host family in the home of the school proprietor.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Volunteer has to get his/her own insurance.

Fees: 500 EUR one time payment. Participants are required to pay a fee of 500

EUR on arrival for 1- 3 months and 50 EUR for each additional month. The fee covers pick up from the airport, on arrival training, accommodation, water, cooking gas, general UPA administration cost.

Visa: Needed, can be bought from the airport, the cost of a single entry visa is 50 USD.

Others: This school is a new project partner, but has an open and welcoming proprietor whose character is quite promising in handling/ working with volunteers. It has a potential to fulfill the interests of her clients. We recommend a pilot volunteer, who will give way many others in future. Most of the children of the age 4-13 will be able to speak and understand English. All teachers speak English. Volunteers should also be aware of the school vacations that normally take place.

1.3.1.7 Gulu branch - UPA/LMTV/025

Theme:	North-South solidarity
Location	Gulu, Northern Uganda
Duration:	Volunteer should stay for at least one month.
Application:	Volunteer will get a decision about his/her application within 2 weeks.
Vacancies	2
Languages:	
↔ Project:	English
↔ Local:	English

Project Description:

Volunteer will work hand in hand with the branch board members and branch volunteers to strengthen the present program on promoting national cohesions and peace amongst the youth in the local communities, and initiate new activities. The MTV is expected to work 3+ days a week with Gulu Branch. It is possible to combine Gulu Branch with another placement. Gulu Branch is liaising with a number of interesting institutions like, Gulu Youth center, World Vision, Save the Children Uganda, Diocese of Northern Uganda, local organizations and schools, etc that could serve as a second placement.

Notice: *This is an Africa WG project. Please contact the SCI branch or partner organisation in your country for further information.*

Work: -Conduct, outreaches and school visits. -Form debating clubs in schools and youth clubs in the communities to aid the continuation of activities in the community. -Build the capacity of the local volunteers and branch board in the area of leadership. -Organize, plan and conduct training on life skills. -Support

the local volunteers working on the project -Design and plan for activities within the schools and communities. -Developing monitoring tools -Plan, design and initiate new activities. -Identify ways of fundraising / new Partners

Requirements: Preferable, the MTV should have knowledge on training skills and experience working with the youth in different capacities and other related information on youth and leadership. The MTV must be self reliant, self motivating and able to motivate the local volunteers at the branch.

Food: Food is not provided by UPA.

Accommodation: Attached to a UPA Gulu volunteer home.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Volunteer has to get his/her own insurance.

Fees: 500 EUR one time payment. Participants are required to pay a fee of 500 EUR on arrival for 1- 3 months and 50 EUR for each additional month. The fee covers pick up from the airport, on arrival training, accommodation, water, cooking gas, general UPA administration cost.

Visa: Needed, can be bought from the airport, the cost of a single entry visa is 50 USD.

Others: With peace now returned to Northern Uganda, UPA Gulu branch is expanding its activities and it is in a position to host an MTV in line with the activities mentioned above. It is a good placement for volunteers that want to engage in activities that bring the youth together. The mode of communication will be in English with the help of a translator while carrying out all activities and other interactions.

1.3.1.8 Home care Nsambya - UPA/MLTV 02

Theme:	Socially disadvantaged
Location	Nsambya
Duration:	Volunteer should stay for at least one month.
Application:	volunteer will get a decision about his/her application within 2 weeks.
Vacancies	5
Languages:	
↪ Project:	English
↪ Local:	English

Project Description:

The project aims at bringing medical, nursing, psycho-social counseling and pastoral care to many poor people living with AIDS. To relieve their anxiety and suffering thus prolong and give meaning to their lives. Activities: Outreach clinics, Behavior Change programs, Paediatric Counselling, Income Generating Activities, Youth forum for the youth, Pastoral care services, Education for life

programs, AIDS sensitization programs and involvement of client volunteers in the program.

Notice: *This is an Africa WG project. Please contact the SCI branch or partner organisation in your country for further information.*

Work: Home visits to people living with HIV/AIDS, Counseling, Treatment of patients, Campaigns against HIV/AIDS, Sessions for children living with HIV/AIDS.

Requirements: Willing to work long hours and on Weekends. Willing to play and interact with children including those living with HIV/AIDS. Emotional strong. The volunteer will experience people in all stages of HIV/AIDS which can be emotional challenging. Volunteers with medical background or profession are a priority.

Food: Food is not provided by UPA.

Accommodation: UPA Guesthouse in Nansana.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Volunteer has to get his/her own insurance.

Fees: 500 EUR one time payment. Participants are required to pay a fee of 500 EUR on arrival for 1- 3 months and 50 EUR for each additional month. The fee covers pick up from the airport, on arrival training, accommodation, water, cooking gas, general UPA administration cost.

Visa: Needed, can be bought from the airport, the cost of a single entry visa is 50 USD.

Others: Placement that will help volunteers learn and understand the effects of HIV/AIDS. The placement also requires a volunteer ready to tolerate the burden of congested traffic jam through Kampala mainly during the rush hours.

1.3.1.9 Hope rehab. & outreach organisation - MLTV/032

Theme:	Socially disadvantaged
Location	Kampala district.
Duration:	Volunteer should stay for at least one month.
Application:	volunteer will get a decision about his/her application within 2 weeks.
Vacancies	2
Languages:	
↗ Project:	English
↗ Local:	English

Project Description:

Empower single mothers, Youth, parents, and other Vulnerable Children in order

to access their rights for basic needs including health, Education, Food, Shelter etc. Improving the livelihoods and status of vulnerable Children through raising awareness of their rights. To encourage and lobby for girl child education. To create awareness to parents and guardians to prevent children from suffering various diseases. To provide guidance and counseling to children with disabilities, abandoned children, sexually abused, street children and drug addicts.

Notice: *This is an Africa WG project. Please contact the SCI branch or partner organisation in your country for further information.*

Work: -Conduct home visits -Sensitization on HIV/AIDS -Feeding those who are bed ridden -Writing articles, photos and filming -Conduct adult education sessions on child health, nutrition, pregnancies with women groups -Distributing seeds and other necessities to OVCs and families. -Assist in article writing, photos and filming

Requirements: Volunteers applying for this project should be open, flexible and ready to adjust:- -Social and able to adjust -Emotionally strong because he/she may come across persons living in absolute poverty or the sick which situation can be challenging -Kind and considerate -Ability to work with children from poor back ground -Ability to work and visit people in the slums -Able to work in the village setting

Food: Food is not provided by UPA.

Accommodation: Accommodation will be at UPA Guest house.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Volunteer has to get his/her own insurance.

Fees: 500 EUR one time payment. Participants are required to pay a fee of 500 EUR on arrival for 1- 3 months and 50 EUR for each additional month. The fee covers pick up from the airport, on arrival training, accommodation, water, cooking gas, general UPA administration cost.

Visa: Needed, can be bought from the airport, the cost of a single entry visa is 50 USD.

Others: It is a very new and young organization. Volunteers applying for this project should be highly motivated and must command a very high level of self-drive to be able to meet the challenges and to create own tasks at times English is possible but being sure it is not very fluent. One must be very flexible to listening.

1.3.1.10 Kampala school for physically handicapped - MLTV09

Theme:	Children, teenagers, elderly people
Location	Kampala
Duration:	Volunteer should stay for at least one month.
Application:	Volunteer will get a decision about his/her application within 2 weeks.
Vacancies	5
Languages:	
↗ Project:	English
↗ Local:	English

Project Description:

The school aims at educating, rehabilitating and equipping physically handicapped children for self-reliance and development. It gives co-curricular activities like sports, music, dance and drama, spiritual fellowship and education tours.

It also offers vocational subjects like tailoring, screen printing, craft, tie and dye and computer training to all the children that can not continue with further education.

It has a teaching staff of 13 five of whom are trained in special needs education with 2 of them disabled old students of the same school.

Notice: *This is an Africa WG project. Please contact the SCI branch or partner organisation in your country for further information.*

Work: -To educate, rehabilitate and equip physically handicapped children for self-reliance and development. -Teaching children -Care and assisting children in and outside classrooms -Training children in vocational subjects, games and sports and music, dance and drama. -Assist in social and physical development of the children through offering occupational and physiotherapy exercises -Work with the rest of the staff to provide the above to the children in this school

Requirements: -Emotionally strong. The volunteer work on this project requires a person who has close feeling for children with special needs. -Having skills in caring for children with special needs or occupational and physiotherapy skills carries an added advantage. -Command of good communication skills -Ability to work with children with disabilities or special needs.

Food: Food is not provided by UPA.

Accommodation: UPA Guest house in Nansana.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Volunteer has to get his/her own insurance.

Fees: 500 EUR one time payment. Participants are required to pay a fee of 500 EUR on arrival for 1- 3 months and 50 EUR for each additional month. The fee covers pick up from the airport, on arrival training, accommodation, water,

cooking gas, general UPA administration cost.

Visa: Needed, can be bought from the airport, the cost of a single entry visa is 50 USD.

Others: The placement can be an interesting one because it will offer a volunteer the opportunity to assist and support people who are really in need and will highly appreciate. A volunteer should also carry an affectionate heart full of love, care and sympathy for children with special needs, command zeal committed to seeing these children live a happy life too.

Communication with school staff and of the children is easy as most are educated.

1.3.1.11 Kawempe youth development association - LMTV 027

Theme:	Children, teenagers, elderly people
Location	Kampala
Duration:	Volunteer should stay for at least one month.
Application:	Volunteer will get a decision about his/her application within 2 weeks.
Vacancies	5
Languages:	
↪ Project:	English
↪ Local:	English

Project Description:

Kawempe Youth Development Association is a Non- Governmental Organisation whose vision is to provide an appropriate framework for enabling the youth to develop social, economic, and cultural skills in order to enhance their participation in the overall development process and improve their quality of life.

To empower Children and youth with life and vocational skills, especially those out of school so that they can live better lives able to sustain themselves.

Notice: *This is an Africa WG project. Please contact the SCI branch or partner organisation in your country for further information.*

Work: -Social support to HIV/AIDS orphans and other vulnerable children. -Join in home visits to positive living children or other vulnerable children to assist in food preparation, cleaning (hygiene) basic medical care and counseling. -Office work related to organisation development and programming. -Move within the slum communities of Kawempe division and the rural areas of Wakiso, to care givers of orphans. -Volunteers can also spend time working within the studios, ie participating in health talk, talk shows, dialogues, schools -where our orphans receive education from and offices of the agencies which support the work of the Project. -Participate in organizing recreational activities, retreats

for children. -Music dance and drama -Physical therapy for mentally retarded children

Requirements: -Emotionally strong. -The volunteer should be ready to interact with marginalized, vulnerable and neglected positive and negative children at drop-in centres, inside and outside slums and villages. -Ability to work with children and youth.

Food: Food is not provided by UPA.

Accommodation: A volunteer may live in UPA Guest house or KYDA may provide accommodation for the volunteer in a host family with one of our community based volunteers who are carefully selected.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Volunteer has to get his/her own insurance.

Fees: 500 EUR one time payment. Participants are required to pay a fee of 500 EUR on arrival for 1- 3 months and 50 EUR for each additional month. The fee covers pick up from the airport, on arrival training, accommodation, water, cooking gas, general UPA administration cost.

Visa: Needed, can be bought from the airport, the cost of a single entry visa is 50 USD.

Others: Working with marginalized, youth and children may call for a volunteer ready to experience irritating and challenging situations. However, a volunteer shall be required to carry a very open heart that can accommodate these situations. There is no guarantee that you will have activities clearly planned and arranged for you. A volunteer should be highly motivated to create own tasks, activities at times.

1.3.1.12 Kikooba branch - UPA/MLTV 024

Theme:	North-South solidarity
Location	Kiboga
Duration:	Volunteer should stay for at least one month.
Application:	Volunteer will get a decision about his/her application within 2 weeks.
Vacancies	5
Languages:	
↪ Project:	English
↪ Local:	English

Project Description:

Kikooba Branch is one of the oldest branches of the organization. It runs a primary school that teaches more than 200 children of 5-10 years To promote education of the disadvantaged and alleviate poverty. The branch wants volunteers to teach at a local primary school in the area. There is an adult literacy

programme at the branch that is soon to take off. Volunteers are therefore needed to teach the adults in the area

Notice: *This is an Africa WG project. Please contact the SCI branch or partner organisation in your country for further information.*

Work: -Teach at a local primary school with pupils of age 5-10 years -Mainly to teach Maths and English in school for children aged 5-12 years -Train children in games and sports with children. -Music, dance and drama

Requirements: The volunteer should be ready to live in a rural area without electric power and running water but a stream. The volunteer will spend a lot of time for domestic living (cooking, fetching water, and cleaning for themselves). The volunteer should be prepared to live in very basic and therefore no luxury of any kind.

Food: Food is not provided by UPA.

Accommodation: A volunteer will be hosted by a family where he/she will be given own room.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Volunteer has to get his/her own insurance.

Fees: 500 EUR one time payment. Participants are required to pay a fee of 500 EUR on arrival for 1- 3 months and 50 EUR for each additional month. The fee covers pick up from the airport, on arrival training, accommodation, water, cooking gas, general UPA administration cost.

Visa: Needed, can be bought from the airport, the cost of a single entry visa is 50 USD.

Others: Kikooba is a good placement for volunteers that wish to live in a rural way. It is in a remote area with not much entertainment. Very few people can speak English. The few will help translate for the volunteer when communicating with those that do not speak it.

1.3.1.13 Kingdom winners children orphanage school LMTV019

Theme:	Children, teenagers, elderly people
Location	Katikara Kibale District in Western Uganda
Duration:	Volunteer should stay for at least one month.
Application:	Volunteer will get a decision about his/her application within 2 weeks.
Vacancies	2
Languages:	
↪ Project:	English
↪ Local:	English

Project Description:

Kingdom Winners Children Orphanage is a home looking after children who lost their parents and those abandoned and HIV positive children. The home was started by pastor William Turyamureba (Founder) and Pr. Elisaph Mukiga and other people who felt touched when he shared with them the need. Kingdom Winners Children is a home to over 100 children aged 2-13 years. The aim is to give the children basic care and support the abandoned and give them a chance to develop into responsible citizens of Uganda.

Notice: *This is an Africa WG project. Please contact the SCI branch or partner organisation in your country for further information.*

Work: -Care for orphans -Nutritional support -Counseling -Prevention work in communities, schools and work places. -Volunteers may also be involved in treatment of patients if they have medical capacity.

Requirements: Should be innovative with games and different things to do with the children.

Food: Food is not provided by UPA.

Accommodation: Host family

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Volunteer has to get his/her own insurance.

Fees: 500 EUR one time payment. Participants are required to pay a fee of 500 EUR on arrival for 1- 3 months and 50 EUR for each additional month. The fee covers pick up from the airport, on arrival training, accommodation, water, cooking gas, general UPA administration cost.

Visa: Needed, can be bought from the airport, the cost of a single entry visa is 50 USD.

Others: The project is completely new and could be challenging but will be ideal to those volunteers who would like to orient themselves to a really local setting and early growing stages of children in Uganda especially orphans. Children understand basic English. Most locals speak Lunyoro, lukiga and Luganda.

1.3.1.14 Kiyita family alliance for development - MLTV 026

Theme:	Socially disadvantaged
Location	Nansana, Wakiso district.
Duration:	Volunteer should stay for at least one month.
Application:	Volunteer will get a decision about his/her application within 2 weeks.
Vacancies	5
Languages:	
↪ Project:	English
↪ Local:	English

Project Description:

Kiyita is a registered indigenous, community based non governmental organisation with its headquarters in Nansana - Wakiso District. In light of the growing incidence of HIV/AIDS and its adverse socio-economic impact, the need for establishing of a proactive community led initiative to mitigate the socio-economic impact of AIDS was fore seen and Kiyita Family Alliance for Development was initiated. To contribute to HIV/AIDS treatment, home based care and support to People living with HIV/AIDS. -Community HIV/AIDS care, support and services. -Support to Orphan and Vulnerable children.

Notice: *This is an Africa WG project. Please contact the SCI branch or partner organisation in your country for further information.*

Work: -Visiting families and explain the importance of using contraceptives. -To be part in drawing fundraising avenues/plan to raise money for community activities -To raise awareness about health, education and sanitation

Requirements: -Must be self-reliant, self-motivating and able to motivate the local volunteers. -Patience and able to work using few resources and basic facilities

Food: Food is not provided by UPA.

Accommodation: Volunteer may opt to stay at UPA Guest house or KIFAD offers to host them in a home of their Executive member.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Volunteer has to get his/her own insurance.

Fees: 500 EUR one time payment. Participants are required to pay a fee of 500 EUR on arrival for 1- 3 months and 50 EUR for each additional month. The fee covers pick up from the airport, on arrival training, accommodation, water, cooking gas, general UPA administration cost.

Visa: Needed, can be bought from the airport, the cost of a single entry visa is 50 USD.

Others: KIFAD is a small organisation but may be an interesting organisation to work with. It reflects a grass-root organisation that strives to do a lot in the meagre available resources.

It is one organisation that can provide a very good learning environment to volunteers because of its commitment to networking with several Civil Society organisations.

Over the years, the project has grown and is starting to specialize and will now prefer volunteers with a particular qualification.

1.3.1.15 Living life in abundance rehab. centre - MLTV/029

Theme:	Socially disadvantaged
Location	Nansana
Duration:	Volunteer should stay for at least one month.
Application:	Volunteer will get a decision about his/her application within 2 weeks.
Vacancies	2
Languages:	
↪ Project:	English
↪ Local:	English

Project Description:

To create awareness of the debilitating effects of drugs and substance abuse in our communities.

To provide holistic healing and rehabilitation services to individuals, Families/communities with drugs/substance Abuse challenges.

To provide a supportive environment especially for school dropouts, unemployed youth and the most underprivileged vulnerable households through life skills training and women empowerment.

To gather, evaluate, implement and share best practice for ensuring lives free from drugs/substance abuse by critically assessing protective factors against risk factors.

Notice: *This is an Africa WG project. Please contact the SCI branch or partner organisation in your country for further information.*

Work: -Social Support to Vulnerable Children -Participate in the family programme; be part of family visits, identification of a problem through questions and answers. -Counsel individuals, groups, families, or communities regarding issues including substance abuse, physical abuse, rehabilitation, social adjustment and child care -Participate in assigned outreaches which can be schools, communities around, slum area households and places like streets and ghettos. -Get involved in classes. -Be part of our rehabilitation of BODY,MIND & SOUL programme -Participate in recreation activities such as music & Drama and sports activities. -Office work related to organization development and programming. -AN OPPORTUNITY to design an activity/programme if in line with our vision to include on timetable once approved by our programme manager. -Be part and parcel of induction session for new volunteers and new members for a better positioning and to fully understand organization values.

Requirements: -Must possess strong interpersonal skills. -More than ready to interact with soft and hard character children. -Enthusiastic about learning and teaching. -Flexible and Dynamic. -Must have a high level of personal integrity.

-Creative/Resourceful at problem solving -Able to work with communities of special cases.

Food: Food is not provided by UPA.

Accommodation: LLIARC may provide accommodation with assured maximum facilitation by the host family or the Volunteer can stay at the UPA Guest-house.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Volunteer has to get his/her own insurance.

Fees: 500 EUR one time payment. Participants are required to pay a fee of 500 EUR on arrival for 1- 3 months and 50 EUR for each additional month. The fee covers pick up from the airport, on arrival training, accommodation, water, cooking gas, general UPA administration cost.

Visa: Needed, can be bought from the airport, the cost of a single entry visa is 50 USD.

Others: Being a rehabilitation project this makes the placement a unique and interesting one because it will introduce someone to issues like substance abuse, child labour etc. A volunteer should be Highly motivated with a clear understanding of the different cultural context.

1.3.1.16 Love ministry - UPA/LMTV/021

Theme:	Children, teenagers, elderly people
Location	Kampala
Duration:	Volunteer should stay for at least one month.
Application:	volunteer will get a decision about his/her application within 2 weeks.
Vacancies	2
Languages:	
↪ Project:	English
↪ Local:	English

Project Description:

This organization was formed with an aim of restoring hope among the lives of the disadvantaged children in the community, through the provision of basic needs in life. Aims are: -To increase awareness on prevention of HIV/AIDS, and Malaria Control among the Children. -To increase awareness on Sexual Reproductive Health Care and -Rights among the Youths. -To network and support Orphans and disadvantaged Children in areas of Education and Health. -To establish a Youths/Children's Center to offer Library, -Secretarial Services and Computer Training.

Notice: This is an Africa WG project. Please contact the SCI branch or partner

organisation in your country for further information.

Work: -Social Support to HIV/AIDS Orphans and other Vulnerable Children.
 -Join in Home visits to positive living Children or other -Vulnerable Children to assist in Food preparation, Hygiene, -Based Medical Care and Counseling.
 -Office work related to organization development and programming. -Volunteers can also get involved in class teaching activities i.e. Art work, P.E and English.
 -Participate in organizing recreational activities, retreats for Children etc. -Music Dance and Drama.

Requirements: -Emotionally strong. -Ready to interact with the marginalized Vulnerable and neglected positive and negative Children especially abandoned and street children -Ability to work with Children and Youths.

Food: Food is not provided by UPA.

Accommodation: UPA Guest House in Nansana or Love ministry may provide accommodation for the volunteer in a host family with one of our community based volunteers who are carefully selected.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Volunteer has to get his/her own insurance.

Fees: 500 EUR one time payment. Participants are required to pay a fee of 500 EUR on arrival for 1- 3 months and 50 EUR for each additional month. The fee covers pick up from the airport, on arrival training, accommodation, water, cooking gas, general UPA administration cost.

Visa: Needed, can be bought from the airport, the cost of a single entry visa is 50 USD.

Others: Communication at the Organization will be English and Luganda If you have love for children, love ministry is definitely good placement for you. It is a project for orphaned children which will give exposure to the volunteer about the real life of orphans in Uganda.

1.3.1.17 Luby community primary school Mengo - UPA/LMTV06

Theme:	Children, teenagers, elderly people
Location	Kampala
Duration:	Volunteer should stay for at least one month.
Application:	volunteer will get a decision about his/her application within 2 weeks.
Vacancies	5
Languages:	
↪ Project:	English
↪ Local:	English

Project Description:

To provide quality level of education to both the orphans and the disadvantaged Children. Teach children of the age of 3-13 years in the subjects of English, Mathematics, and Nutritional Science. Play games with children for example football, netball, volleyball and drama. Share with children about Geography, History, Sociology, Educational system and the development strategies of your country.

Notice: *This is an Africa WG project. Please contact the SCI branch or partner organisation in your country for further information.*

Work: -To teach mainly Mathematics, English and Nutritional Science. -Play games/ drama with the children. -Share with children about Geography, History, Sociology, Educational system and the development strategies of your country.

Requirements: -Experience in teaching desirable but not necessary, -Have Love for Children, -Adaptable to the local teaching culture in Uganda, -Not expected to smoke cigarettes, drink alcohol at school.

Food: Food is not provided by UPA.

Accommodation: UPA Guesthouse in Nansana.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Volunteer has to get his/her own insurance.

Fees: 500 EUR one time payment. Participants are required to pay a fee of 500 EUR on arrival for 1- 3 months and 50 EUR for each additional month. The fee covers pick up from the airport, on arrival training, accommodation, water, cooking gas, general UPA administration cost.

Visa: Needed, can be bought from the airport, the cost of a single entry visa is 50 USD.

Others: Lubya Community Infant school is a new project for UPA. We are also looking forward for what it will offer for the volunteers. One with a big heart and will to face new challenges/situations and a strong commitment to lay a foundation for others shall be most welcome and encouraged to apply. The School official mode of Communication is English and Pupils understand it.

1.3.1.18 Makerere west valley primary school - UPA/LMTV 016

Theme:	Children, teenagers, elderly people
Location	Kampala
Duration:	Volunteer should stay for at least one month.
Application:	Volunteer will get a decision about his/her application within 2 weeks.
Vacancies	5
Languages:	
↪ Project:	English
↪ Local:	English

Project Description:

To enable children of low income earners and other disadvantaged children to access quality education. To help other residents in the area to avoid traveling to distant school, thus minimizing expenditure and risks on the way To produce good citizens by putting emphasis on moral upbringing To produce citizens with practical skills by encouraging vocational training as well as games and sports Teaching children of the age 4-12 subjects of: -Mathematics -English -Sports -Music, Dance and Drama -Gardening

Notice: *This is an Africa WG project. Please contact the SCI branch or partner organisation in your country for further information.*

Work: -To facilitate children with knowledge of English language and mathematics -To share the games and sports skills with children in different aspects of life. -To give children vocational training in different aspects of life.

Requirements: -Ability to adapt to local ways of living and interact freely with the population -Innovative and knowledge of social work and administration

Food: Food is not provided by UPA.

Accommodation: At UPA guesthouse or a host family.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Volunteer has to get his/her own insurance.

Fees: 500 EUR one time payment. Participants are required to pay a fee of 500 EUR on arrival for 1- 3 months and 50 EUR for each additional month. The fee covers pick up from the airport, on arrival training, accommodation, water, cooking gas, general UPA administration cost.

Visa: Needed, can be bought from the airport, the cost of a single entry visa is 50 USD.

Others: A Volunteer can teach and also be able to engage in other projects since the teaching will be for only 3 hours on specific days agreed at the start of the project. The school is close to slum areas and it really have pupils from very poor families. School buildings are also poor. The need for help here is enormous.

Note: All volunteers choosing school project should remember to consider the school holidays. Schools are closed in AprilMay, August to September and December to early February

1.3.1.19 Mengo youth development link (MYDEL) - MLTV/020

Theme:	Children, teenagers, elderly people
Location	Kampala
Duration:	Volunteer should stay for at least one month.
Application:	volunteer will get a decision about his/her application within 2 weeks.
Vacancies	5
Languages:	
↗ Project:	English
↗ Local:	English

Project Description:

Following an early intervention approach, MYDEL decided to focus their programs on the most vulnerable children and youths from the slum community, most of whom being school dropouts and orphans. MYDELs mission is the empowerment of this target group through education, sensitization and skills development to contribute to a sustainable poverty reduction among these marginalized communities. Our major aim is to achieve a sustainable improvement of marginalised communities in Uganda.

Notice: *This is an Africa WG project. Please contact the SCI branch or partner organisation in your country for further information.*

Work: -Teaching -Counseling and psychosocial support, -Vocational training, -Soccer program, -Music, dance and drama -community and home visits

Requirements: MYDEL requires volunteers with social work skills but we also accept other professional for new initiatives in the organization for better service delivery.

Food: Food is not provided by UPA.

Accommodation: UPA Guest house in Nansana.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Volunteer has to get his/her own insurance.

Fees: 500 EUR one time payment. Participants are required to pay a fee of 500 EUR on arrival for 1- 3 months and 50 EUR for each additional month. The fee covers pick up from the airport, on arrival training, accommodation, water, cooking gas, general UPA administration cost.

Visa: Needed, can be bought from the airport, the cost of a single entry visa is

50 USD.

Others: The placement at MYDEL can be interesting since it offers a volunteer an opportunity to be fully engaged in different activities ranging from children to community projects. It requires a volunteer who loves children and flexible. Most of the children can communicate in English; otherwise, translation is also possible.

1.3.1.20 Muyonjo senior school - UPA/MLTV 013

Theme:	Children, teenagers, elderly people
Location	Wakiso District 8 kms from Kampala
Duration:	Volunteer should stay for at least one month.
Application:	Volunteer will get a decision about his/her application within 2 weeks.
Vacancies	5
Languages:	
↔ Project:	English
↔ Local:	English

Project Description:

The school aims at availing all inclusive and appropriate education to generate a productive and self reliant population. Currently, the school conducts a vocational subject in information technology. (computer)- Ongoing.

The school has an enrollment of 200 students between 13 -18 years of age. It is also an Ordinary and Advanced level School. -To avail students with skills -Maximum utilization of the students time at school avoiding idleness and disorder ness.

Notice: *This is an Africa WG project. Please contact the SCI branch or partner organisation in your country for further information.*

Work: -Formal classroom teaching to students -Care and assisting students in and outside classrooms -Training children in computer, games and sports and music, dance and drama. -Work with the rest of the staff to provide the above to the students in this school

Requirements: -Emotionally strong. The volunteer work on this school requires a person who has close feeling for students. -Having skills in computer or information technology is an added advantage. -Teach students in languages (French and Germany). -Command of good communication in English

Food: Food is not provided by UPA.

Accommodation: Volunteers to this project shall stay at UPA guest house in Nansana or any other special arrangement as may be organized by the School administration.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Volunteer has to get his/her own insurance.

Fees: 500 EUR one time payment. Participants are required to pay a fee of 500 EUR on arrival for 1- 3 months and 50 EUR for each additional month. The fee covers pick up from the airport, on arrival training, accommodation, water, cooking gas, general UPA administration cost.

Visa: Needed, can be bought from the airport, the cost of a single entry visa is 50 USD.

Others: The placement can be an opportunity to introduce a volunteer to Ugandas education systems. It will also be an opportunity to promote ones culture through language teaching. One with skills in training students in sports e.g. foot and hand ball and other sports is one easy way to win lasting friendship.

Everything today is put together on computer therefore training students in computer skills greatly helps them link with the outside world and empowers them.

1.3.1.21 Reach out Mbuya (UPA/MLTV 01)

Theme:	Socially disadvantaged
Location	Mbuya, Kampala
Duration:	Volunteer should stay for at least one month.
Application:	Volunteer will get a decision about his/her application within 2 weeks.
Vacancies	5
Languages:	
↔ Project:	English
↔ Local:	English

Project Description:

This is a faith based organization under our Lady of Africa church Mbuya, Kampala. It started in May 2001 with 14 clients but now cares for over 2223 clients and 999 are receiving free ARVs. it has a catchment area population of 60,000 To provide medical care, social, spiritual and emotional support to poor people in Mbuya parish living with HIV/AIDS.

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Work: The medical department provides medical care; prophylaxis, ART, treatment of TB and other opportunistic infections. Through the World Food Programme, Mbuya provides nutritional support to the clients who need it. Follow ups are also done for the clients in their homes and counseling of clients during their treatment. Mbuya also supports children of its clients by providing them

school fees. Volunteers will be giving nutritional support, counseling, prevention work in communities, schools and workplace. Volunteers may also be involved in treatment of patients if they have a medical background. The volunteers are required to be at the office at 08.00 and work will finish at 17.00. However during reach outs to clients volunteers may work longer hours.

Requirements: Mbuya requires that a volunteer has medical background. This could be as a nurse, Doctor, or any other related field. Mbuya is a place that will give a person with medical background good experience and exposure to different conditions in Africa regarding the fight against HIV/AIDS.

Food: Food is not provided by UPA.

Accommodation: UPA Guest house in Nansana, Kampala.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Volunteer has to get his/her own insurance.

Fees: 500 EUR one time payment. Participants are required to pay a fee of 500 EUR on arrival for 1- 3 months and 50 EUR for each additional month. The fee covers pick up from the airport, on arrival training, accommodation, water, cooking gas, general UPA administration cost.

Visa: Needed, can be bought from the airport, the cost of a single entry visa is 50 USD.

Others: The clients hardly speak English; however a translator will be at hand to help volunteers without the command of the local language.

1.3.1.22 Rockbase primary school Namungoona - UPA/LMTV014

Theme:	Children, teenagers, elderly people
Location	Kampala
Duration:	Volunteer should stay for at least one month.
Application:	Volunteer will get a decision about his/her application within 2 weeks.
Vacancies	5
Languages:	
↪ Project:	English
↪ Local:	English

Project Description:

The school was established in 1998 from Nursery to Primary three. Over the years, the school has grown to a fully fledged primary school. Registered with the Ministry of education. -To enable children of low income earners and other disadvantaged children to access quality education. -To help other residents in the area to avoid traveling to distant school. Thus minimizing expenditure and risks on the way -To produce good citizens by putting emphasis on moral upbringing -To produce citizens with practical skills by encouraging vocational training as

well as games and sports

Notice: *This is an Africa WG project. Please contact the SCI branch or partner organisation in your country for further information.*

Work: -To encourage children practice their spoken English -To share games and sports skills with children in different aspects of life. -To give children vocational training in different aspects of life.

Requirements: -Ability to adapt to local ways of living and interact freely with the population -Innovative and knowledge of social work and administration

Food: Food is not provided by UPA.

Accommodation: UPA Guest house, Nansana.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Volunteer has to get his/her own insurance.

Fees: 500 EUR one time payment. Participants are required to pay a fee of 500 EUR on arrival for 1- 3 months and 50 EUR for each additional month. The fee covers pick up from the airport, on arrival training, accommodation, water, cooking gas, general UPA administration cost.

Visa: Needed, can be bought from the airport, the cost of a single entry visa is 50 USD.

Others: A volunteer can teach and also be able to engage in other volunteer projects since the teaching will be for only 3 hours on specific days agreed at the start of the project. Note: All volunteers choosing school project should always remember to consider the school holidays when the schools are closed in April, August September and December to Early February.

1.3.1.23 Save women and child aid - UPA/MLTV/033

Theme:	Socially disadvantaged
Location	Northern Division Mbale district, 1 kilometer on Soroti Road.
Duration:	Volunteer should stay for at least one month.
Application:	Volunteer will get a decision about his/her application within 2 weeks.
Vacancies	2
Languages:	
↪ Project:	English
↪ Local:	English

Project Description:

WCA is a non governmental organization established with an aim of assisting mothers/ widows by providing education and assistance in the care of their chil-

dren. SWCA members decided to come up with seven (7) programs as follows:- Girl child education support HIV/ AIDS prevention Child right protection Enteric disease prevention/ sanitation Orphanage home Family planning I.G.A like poultry keeping, piglet and crop production And thus raising concern to support orphans and vulnerable children (OVC) in order to improve the standard of living to achieve their purposeful future.

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Work: -Parent training/ meeting -Programs to improve quality of education like scholastic materials and sponsorships -Workshops, home to home counseling, radio talk show and prison visitation about children rights -Ensuring care for orphans and vulnerable children in the community by providing medical treatment, food (nutrition) and clothing.

Requirements: -Social and able to adjust -Emotionally strong because he/she may come across persons living in absolute poverty or the sick which situation can be challenging -Kind and considerate -Ability to work with children from poor back ground

Food: Food is not provided by UPA.

Accommodation: in Mbale town

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Volunteer has to get his/her own insurance.

Fees: 500 EUR one time payment. Participants are required to pay a fee of 500 EUR on arrival for 1- 3 months and 50 EUR for each additional month. The fee covers pick up from the airport, on arrival training, accommodation, water, cooking gas, general UPA administration cost.

Visa: Needed, can be bought from the airport, the cost of a single entry visa is 50 USD.

Others: –

1.3.1.24 Star of the sea nursery & primary schools-LMTV 018

Theme:	Children, teenagers, elderly people
Location	Jonam County, Nebbi District, West Nile region.
Duration:	Volunteer should stay for at least one month.
Application:	Volunteer will get a decision about his/her application within 2 weeks.
Vacancies	2
Languages:	
↗ Project:	English
↗ Local:	English

Project Description:

The School's current staffing stands at 4 trained teachers, one licensed teacher and 2 Support Staff. The aims are: -to promote Education in the rural Community. -To give priority to the disadvantage in the Community. -Increase the number of teachers in the School. -Contribute to the development of the Community based Social Services. -Promote and exchange Cultures in order to create friendship and mutual understanding. -Encouraging the youth as dynamic age group to take leading roles in development.

Notice: *This is an Africa WG project. Please contact the SCI branch or partner organisation in your country for further information.*

Work: Classroom teaching. -Plays in the School Compound with play tools. -Singing songs and plays. -Country side guided walk with the School teachers and Pupils to destinations of Cultural interests. -Organized competition functions amongst pupils.

Requirements: -Open minded, ready to interact, contribute and willingness to share experiences. -Flexible to live in modest circumstances. -Ability and flexibility to eat local foods. -Skilled in teaching is required.

Food: Food is not provided by UPA.

Accommodation: UPA Packwach branch will carefully organize a host family for the volunteer.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Volunteer has to get his/her own insurance.

Fees: 500 EUR one time payment. Participants are required to pay a fee of 500 EUR on arrival for 1- 3 months and 50 EUR for each additional month. The fee covers pick up from the airport, on arrival training, accommodation, water, cooking gas, general UPA administration cost.

Visa: Needed, can be bought from the airport, the cost of a single entry visa is 50 USD.

Others: This school is a new project partner, therefore we recommend a pilot volunteer, who is highly motivated, has strong love for children and above all its opportunity to enjoy the Pearl of Africas beauty in terms if lakes, landscape and national parks. The People found in North Western Uganda are multitribal and the main tribes found along the River Nile are the Jonam (Luo). The major languages Spoken are Luo/Alur/Jonam with also a big percentage of people speaking English language very well.

1.3.1.25 Step By step primary school - UPA/MLTV 07

Theme:	Children, teenagers, elderly people
Location	Nansana, Kampala
Duration:	Volunteer should stay for at least one month.
Application:	volunteer will get a decision about his/her application within 2 weeks.
Vacancies	6
Languages:	
↪ Project:	English
↪ Local:	English

Project Description:

Improve literacy and give the volunteer a feel of the education system in Uganda. Teach children of the age 4-12 years, Play games with children for example sports.

***Notice:** This is an Africa WG project. Please contact the SCI branch or partner organisation in your country for further information.*

Work: -Mainly to teach Maths and English -Play games and sports with children. -Music, dance and drama

Requirements: -Experience in teaching desirable but not necessary -Affinity to children -Adaptable to local teaching culture in Uganda

Food: Food is not provided by UPA.

Accommodation: UPA guest house in Nansana.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Volunteer has to get his/her own insurance.

Fees: 500 EUR one time payment. Participants are required to pay a fee of 500 EUR on arrival for 1- 3 months and 50 EUR for each additional month. The fee covers pick up from the airport, on arrival training, accommodation, water, cooking gas, general UPA administration cost.

Visa: Needed, can be bought from the airport, the cost of a single entry visa is 50 USD.

Others: Holiday: December-February , April-May and August-September.

A volunteer will teach and also be able to engage in other volunteer projects since teaching will be for only 3 hours, or specific days agreed at the project. Most of the children at the age of 7-12 will be able to speak English. The teachers at the school speak English.

1.3.1.26 Sweethome babies day care and nursery- UPA/MLTV/04

Theme:	Children, teenagers, elderly people
Location	Nansana, Kampala
Duration:	Volunteer should stay for at least one month.
Application:	volunteer will get a decision about his/her application within 2 weeks.
Vacancies	4
Languages:	
↪ Project:	English
↪ Local:	English

Project Description:

To prepare children to excel as young leaders of tomorrow. Activities consist of: Early childhood teaching, Phonic reading, Day care services, Sports activities, Language developments skills, Reading and writing skills, Music, Dance and Drama, Art and Craft, Guidance and counseling to families, Potty and toilet training.

Notice: *This is an Africa WG project. Please contact the SCI branch or partner organisation in your country for further information.*

Work: Teach children of the ages 3months to 6 years in all Early Childhood learning areas and development skills. Play games with children for example sports, Teach pupils art and craft.

Requirements: -Independent -Creative -Good knowledge of social work and administration -Interest in all types Children. -Being an early childhood educator, will be of great advantage.

Food: Food is not provided by UPA.

Accommodation: Accommodation will be at the UPA guest house in Nansana or maybe hosted directly at the project.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Volunteer has to get his/her own insurance.

Fees: 500 EUR one time payment. Participants are required to pay a fee of 500 EUR on arrival for 1- 3 months and 50 EUR for each additional month. The fee covers pick up from the airport, on arrival training, accommodation, water, cooking gas, general UPA administration cost.

Visa: Needed, can be bought from the airport, the cost of a single entry visa is 50 USD.

Others: The project is completely new and could be challenging but will be ideal to those volunteers who would like to orient themselves with the growing stages and steps of a Ugandan child. Volunteers with the courage to be pioneers and pave way for others are encouraged to apply. Communication with especially kids maybe challenging, but a volunteer should be ready to succeed with the help

of translation by their project partners.

1.3.1.27 Trust future Uganda - UPA/LMTV/017

Theme:	Children, teenagers, elderly people
Location	Nansana, Kampala
Duration:	Volunteer should stay for at least one month.
Application:	volunteer will get a decision about his/her application within 2 weeks.
Vacancies	2
Languages:	
↪ Project:	English
↪ Local:	English

Project Description:

Trust Future Uganda's Vision is to bring about positive mandates for transformation among the Youths/Children for a better prosperous future. -To increase awareness on Sexual Reproductive Health Care and Rights among the communities. -To network and support Orphans and disadvantaged Children in areas of Education and Health. -To establish a Youths/Children's Center to offer Library, Secretarial Services and Computer Training.

Notice: *This is an Africa WG project. Please contact the SCI branch or partner organisation in your country for further information.*

Work: -Social Support to HIV/AIDS Orphans and other Vulnerable Children. -Join in Home visits to positive living Children or other -Vulnerable Children to assist in Food preparation, Hygiene, -Based Medical Care and Counseling. -Office work related to organization development and programming. -Volunteers can also get involved in class teaching activities i.e. Art work, P.E and English. -Participate in organizing recreational activities, retreats for Children etc. -Music Dance and Drama.

Requirements: -Emotionally strong. -Ready to interact with the marginalized Vulnerable and neglected positive and negative Children. -Ability to work with Children and Youths. -Able to work with communities of special cases.

Food: Food is not provided by UPA.

Accommodation: A Volunteer may live in UPA Guest House or TFU may provide accommodation for the volunteer in a host family with one of our community

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Volunteer has to get his/her own insurance.

Fees: 500 EUR one time payment. Participants are required to pay a fee of 500 EUR on arrival for 1- 3 months and 50 EUR for each additional month. The

fee covers pick up from the airport, on arrival training, accommodation, water, cooking gas, general UPA administration cost.

Visa: Needed, can be bought from the airport, the cost of a single entry visa is 50 USD.

Others: Communication at the Organization will be in English. and Luganda Working with children as well as communities makes TFU a good placement which will introduce the volunteer to Ugandas education and healthy system. The volunteer should be highly motivated with an open mind.

1.3.1.28 Uganda Martyrs Hospital Lubaga (UPA/LMTV/03)

Theme:	North-South solidarity
Location	Kampala
Duration:	Volunteer should stay for at least one month.
Application:	Volunteer should stay for at least one month.
Vacancies	5
Languages:	
↔ Project:	English
↔ Local:	English

Project Description:

The hospital is a Private-non-for profit general hospital faith based, Catholic. Activities: Nursing activities, Website and support of IT department, Involvement in staff and patient questionnaire analysis and quality control in general, Store management, Outreach clinics, Behavior Change programs, Income Generating Activities, Pastoral care services, Education for life programs, AIDS sensitization programs and involvement of client volunteers in the program.

Notice: *This is an Africa WG project. Please contact the SCI branch or partner organisation in your country for further information.*

Work: Can be very different tasks and can be attached to: Principal Nursing Officer: nursing field, quality control, feedback analysis Pharmacy: support store management PRO (Public Relation Officer): website and IT communication related issues Public Health: Home visits to people living with HIV/AIDS, Campaigns against HIV/AIDS, school health programs Social Worker: workshops, counseling, home visits Workshop: if technical skills - supervision of construction activities.

Requirements: Willing to work long hours and on Weekends. Willing to be open to a culturally diverse environment Emotional strength, patience and the capacity not to judge precociously Volunteers with medical background or profession are a priority. Especially if interested in quality improvement activities.

But also interest and skills in IT and modern technology is an advantage. Administrative skills (store management etc.) are also interesting.

Food: Food is not provided by UPA.

Accommodation: not easy in hospital compound because it is usually full; alternative could be a very budget accommodation across the road: Uganda Catholic Social Training Centre. To be discussed each time with UPA!

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Volunteer has to get his/her own insurance.

Fees: 500 EUR one time payment. Participants are required to pay a fee of 500 EUR on arrival for 1- 3 months and 50 EUR for each additional month. The fee covers pick up from the airport, on arrival training, accommodation, water, cooking gas, general UPA administration cost.

Visa: Needed, can be bought from the airport, the cost of a single entry visa is 50 USD.

Others: This is a new project that can give a volunteer experience in different fields.

1.3.1.29 Unique nursery and primary school - UPA/LMTV 015

Theme:	Children, teenagers, elderly people
Location	Luwero
Duration:	Volunteer should stay for at least one month.
Application:	volunteer will get a decision about his/her application within 2 weeks.
Vacancies	2
Languages:	
↪ Project:	English
↪ Local:	English

Project Description:

The School currently it has 08 teachers and 144 pupils from the age of 3-14 years. The School is Non-Governmental institution without financiers catering majorly for the orphans and disadvantaged children. To provide quality level of education to both the orphans and the disadvantaged Children Teach children of the age of 3-14 years in the subjects of English, Mathematics, and Nutritional Science. Play games with children for example football, netball, volleyball and drama Sharing knowledge Educational system and the development strategies of your country.

Notice: *This is an Africa WG project. Please contact the SCI branch or partner organisation in your country for further information.*

Work: -To assist in teaching mainly Mathematics, English and Nutritional Sci-

ence -Play games/ drama with the children -Share with children about Geography, History, Sociology, -Educational system and the development strategies of your country.

Requirements: -Have Love for Children -Adaptable to the local teaching culture in Uganda -Not expected to smoke cigarettes, drink alcohol and wines at school

Food: Food is not provided by UPA.

Accommodation: Can be organized in host families with either one of the parents or school staff.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Volunteer has to get his/her own insurance.

Fees: 500 EUR one time payment. Participants are required to pay a fee of 500 EUR on arrival for 1- 3 months and 50 EUR for each additional month. The fee covers pick up from the airport, on arrival training, accommodation, water, cooking gas, general UPA administration cost.

Visa: Needed, can be bought from the airport, the cost of a single entry visa is 50 USD.

Others: Unique is really a unique school. It offers the volunteer an opportunity to witness a real starting school in Uganda. Everything is still in the start and it would be nice for a motivated volunteer interested to see through the process. The School official mode of Communication is English and Pupils understand it.

1.3.1.30 UPA exchange/secretariat - UPA/MLTV 023

Theme:	North-South solidarity
Location	Nansana
Duration:	Volunteer should stay for at least one month.
Application:	Volunteer will get a decision about his/her application within 2 weeks.
Vacancies	2
Languages:	
↪ Project:	English
↪ Local:	English

Project Description:

UPA is looking for an experienced volunteer to help facilitate and develop the MTV programme.

The activities in the MLTV programme can be summarised as: Communication with sending organisations, match placements with MLTVs, introduction of MLTVs to UPA, Uganda and host places, communication with MLTVs, conduct weekly Guesthouse meetings, monitoring of wellbeing of MLTVs, monitor placement and work, evaluation of MLTV placement. Locate new MLTV placements

and improve the programme framework, updating UPA website, improving on UPAs database, assisting UPA staff, visiting branches etc.

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Work: -To participate in the daily running of the programme -Participate in the preparation/orientation of incoming volunteers. -To participate in making first contacts, appraising new and potential MLTV projects. -Participate in drawing up and/ or revising profiles for MLTV projects -Draw strategies for improving the LMTV programme. -Participate in designing and organizing evaluations for LMTVs. -Explore the possibilities of MLTV placements with UPA Branches. -To continuously update the MLTV guidebook -Create new contacts to other international sending organisations -To identify ways for fundraising -Publish a monthly online newsletter and Printed newsletter every six months on UPA activities and the general International volunteer programme. Note : All the above should be accomplished in close collaboration with other members of UPA staff.

Requirements: Demonstration of prior experience from international volunteer programmes and/or work camps Creative and full of good ideas Very good intercultural communication skills and able to deal with different ethnic groups Patience and able to work using few resources and basic facilities Willing to travel extensively with local buses and be accommodated locally Willing to work with UPA for a minimum of 6 months.

Food: Food is not provided by UPA.

Accommodation: UPA Guesthouse.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Volunteer has to get his/her own insurance.

Fees: 500 EUR one time payment. Participants are required to pay a fee of 500 EUR on arrival for 1- 3 months and 50 EUR for each additional month. The fee covers pick up from the airport, on arrival training, accommodation, water, cooking gas, general UPA administration cost.

Visa: Needed, can be bought from the airport, the cost of a single entry visa is 50 USD.

Others: The volunteer will work at the UPA secretariat. The secretariat consists of 3 staff, and local volunteers. The facilities are basic, the computers overworked, power is on and off and the internet is up and down. The volunteer will work under the supervision of UPA Staff. A volunteer with skills in website management stand a better advantage to be recruited.

1.3.1.31 Wisdom orphaned nursery & primary school MLTV011

Theme:	Children, teenagers, elderly people
Location	Wamala, Kampala
Duration:	Volunteer should stay for at least one month.
Application:	volunteer will get a decision about his/her application within 2 weeks.
Vacancies	5
Languages:	
↪ Project:	English
↪ Local:	English

Project Description:

Wisdom Orphaned Nursery and Primary School is a private school licensed by the Ministry of Education and Sports. This school is found in Wakiso District in the central region of the Republic of Uganda. It was founded in 2006 to help the increasing number of orphans and vulnerable children in the region after a wide series of consultations. The project was started to mainly access HIV/AIDS orphans with education. Providing education, food, shelter, clothing and medical care to Ugandan orphaned and vulnerable children, to nature their mental, physical, emotional growth and well being.

Notice: *This is an Africa WG project. Please contact the SCI branch or partner organisation in your country for further information.*

Work: -Education mostly pre-primary and primary -Co-curricular activities -Leadership skills training/administration -The work of the volunteer will be mainly administrative. -He/She will be required to liaise with the head teacher and other staff members to ensure smooth running of the schools programs -Other tasks shall include supervising activities implementation and any other duties as may be assigned to him/her by the executive Board.

Requirements: -Emotionally strong. The volunteer work requires a person with patience and enthusiasm to innovate and create new ideas. -Attachment to help the needy children carries an added advantage -Command of good communication skills -Flexibility in working with young ones mostly those aged between 4 years and 12 years. -Ability to accept constructive criticism, welcome dialogue and accommodate challenges in an infant growing organization.

Food: Food is not provided by UPA.

Accommodation: UPA Guest house, Nansana.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Volunteer has to get his/her own insurance.

Fees: 500 EUR one time payment. Participants are required to pay a fee of 500 EUR on arrival for 1- 3 months and 50 EUR for each additional month. The fee covers pick up from the airport, on arrival training, accommodation, water,

cooking gas, general UPA administration cost.

Visa: Needed, can be bought from the airport, the cost of a single entry visa is 50 USD.

Others: Communication with the school staff is easy because most of them use English. However communication with other members of the community may not be as easy but possibilities for translation are abundant.

1.3.1.32 Women caring & counseling center KIREKA - LMTV030

Theme:	Sexuality and gender
Location	Kiganda
Duration:	Volunteer should stay for at least one month.
Application:	Volunteer will get a decision about his/her application within 2 weeks.
Vacancies	2
Languages:	
↪ Project:	English
↪ Local:	English

Project Description:

Women Caring Counseling Centre (WCCC) is a Non-Movement Organization founded by a handful of women in 1996 and it was fully registered as an NGO in 1998 under registration number S5914/2448 To support women, Children and Youths suffering with HIV/AIDS and other related diseases. To Counsel, Educate, Sensitize and Empower women on factors affecting them such as HIV/AIDS, Family health. Drug and alcohol abuse, unwanted pregnancy, social and family matters

Notice: *This is an Africa WG project. Please contact the SCI branch or partner organisation in your country for further information.*

Work: -Counseling of clients -Health education and sensitization -Working with other counselors in dealing with HIV/AIDS clients -Out-reach services

Requirements: -A volunteer with counseling skills -The volunteer should be kind and ready to listen, emotionally strong and to give advice if necessary

Food: Food is not provided by UPA.

Accommodation: Accommodation is with a host family at the project

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Volunteer has to get his/her own insurance.

Fees: 500 EUR one time payment. Participants are required to pay a fee of 500 EUR on arrival for 1- 3 months and 50 EUR for each additional month. The fee covers pick up from the airport, on arrival training, accommodation, water,

cooking gas, general UPA administration cost.

Visa: Needed, can be bought from the airport, the cost of a single entry visa is 50 USD.

Others: Volunteers should not expect any activities at this project in the month of December. All activities are closed then. All counselors are able to communicate in English but some clients need translators (already in place).

1.3.1.33 Youth and women's effort fighting aids - MLTV/028

Theme:	Socially disadvantaged
Location	Kazo, Kampala
Duration:	Volunteer should stay for at least one month.
Application:	volunteer will get a decision about his/her application within 2 weeks.
Vacancies	5
Languages:	
↪ Project:	English
↪ Local:	English

Project Description:

To mitigate the impact of HIV/AIDS for people living with, and affected by it. Advocating health rights and empowering youth and women with the aim of enabling people living with HIV/AIDS to become self reliant. To mitigate the effects of HIV/AIDS in the community. To provide basic primary education to orphans and vulnerable children. To provide training in business, literacy, nutrition and parenting to people living with, and affected by, HIV/AIDS in Kazo Central To sensitize the community about HIV/AIDS, focusing on ways to prevent the spread of the virus.

Notice: *This is an Africa WG project. Please contact the SCI branch or partner organisation in your country for further information.*

Work: -Teach children at nursery stage in mathematics, English, science, reading, writing, arts and crafts and practical skills. -Play games and sports with children. -Teach adults literacy, business skills, nutrition and basic healthcare. -Music, dance and drama. -Psycho-social support to people living with HIV/AIDS -HIV/AIDS counselling and prevention work in communities, schools and workplaces -Assist teachers in preparing lesson plans and administering exams -Assist in school administration and management -Prepare and submit updates on the education centre to the community -Conduct home visits to vulnerable children where necessary

Requirements: UYWEFA requires that a volunteer has an open mind and be

creative. A self-driven and motivated volunteer, willing to work under minimum supervision. Having administration or management skills would be of an added advantage but not mandatory.

Food: Food is not provided by UPA.

Accommodation: UPA or UYWEFA will organize accommodation with a host family or a rented room.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Volunteer has to get his/her own insurance.

Fees: 500 EUR one time payment. Participants are required to pay a fee of 500 EUR on arrival for 1- 3 months and 50 EUR for each additional month. The fee covers pick up from the airport, on arrival training, accommodation, water, cooking gas, general UPA administration cost.

Visa: Needed, can be bought from the airport, the cost of a single entry visa is 50 USD.

Others: The placement requires volunteers that are highly motivated and innovative. It is an interesting project and introduces you to the challenges of a peri urban community in a really local setting. It is possible to communicate in English or through translations by project partners in case of families without good English communication skills.

Chapter 2

Asia

2.1 Indonesia

2.1.0.34 Assisting Teaching at Dian Nuswantoro University

Theme:	Children, teenagers, elderly people
Location	Semarang City, Central Java
Start:	2014-01-06
End:	2014-03-06
Application deadline:	2013-11-04
Decision date:	2013-11-11
Vacancies	1
Languages:	
↗ Project:	English
↗ Local:	Malay, Indonesian

Project Description:

Organized together with UDINUS (Universitas Dian Nuswantoro), the volunteer will assist the English lecturer in the class. The students need to practice their English. The political and economical condition of Indonesia makes it difficult for the university to hire native speakers. Also it is quite difficult to invite native speakers due to the travel ban from some English speaking countries. Hence, the project is looking for volunteers with good English skills.

Work: Assist during English classes at the university, mainly during conversation classes. Run and manage the English conversation club.

Requirements: Fluent in English both oral and written. Cheerful, patient and highly motivated. Having teaching experience is a clear advantage. Willing to learn Bahasa Indonesia and English teaching methods in a fun and interesting way.

Food: Buy your own food in food stalls around the university/boarding house.

The provided pocket money should be sufficient to cover the basic daily meals.

Accommodation: Provided by the university (either with a host family or in a boarding house).

Pocket money: 600000 IDR per month

Insurance: Health insurance should be organized by the volunteer. IIWC will not cover any insurance.

Fees: None

Visa: Volunteer can get a socio-culture visa index 211 for 60 days. It can be extended twice (each extension for 30 days) in Indonesia. Costs related to visa (each extension: 300000 IDR) have to be covered by the volunteer.

Others: If a volunteer stays more than 4 months, he/she needs to renew the visa abroad every 120 days. All cost related to extend and or renew the visa have to be covered by the volunteers.

2.1.0.35 IKIP PGRI Semarang

Theme:	Children, teenagers, elderly people
Location	Semarang city
Start:	2013-09-01
End:	2013-11-30
Application deadline:	2013-07-22
Decision date:	2013-07-26
Vacancies	1
Languages:	
↪ Project:	English
↪ Local:	Malay, Indonesian

Project Description:

Organized together with IKIP PGRI, the volunteer will assist the English lecturer in the class. The students need to practice their English. Since the political and economical situation of Indonesia makes it difficult for universities to hire native speakers, they partially rely on international volunteers. Also it is quite difficult to invite the native speakers due to the travel ban from some English speaking countries.

Work: * Assist lecturers for the English courses at the university.

* Run and manage the English conversation club

Requirements: * Letter of recommendation about previous teaching of English is an asset.

* University background, cheerful, patient and highly motivated

* familiar with confidence building techniques

Food: Buy food in food stalls around the university/boarding house. The pro-

vided pocket money should be sufficient to cover the costs for basic daily meals.

Accommodation: Boarding house provided by university

Pocket money: 600000 IDR per month

Insurance: Health insurance should be organized by the volunteer. IIWC will not cover any insurance.

Fees: None

Visa: Volunteer can get a socio-culture visa index 211 for 60 days. It can be extended twice (each extension for 30 days). Visa invitation letter will provided by IIWC. Costs related to visa (extension: 300000 IDR) have to be covered by the volunteer.

Others: If a volunteer stays more than 4 months, he/she needs to renew the visa abroad every 120 days. All cost related to extend and or renew the visa should be bear by the volunteers.

2.1.0.36 Mangkang Environment Project

Theme:	Environment
Location	Mangkang, Semarang City, Central java
Start:	2013-08-19
End:	2013-10-18
Application deadline:	2013-07-01
Decision date:	2013-07-03
Vacancies	2
Languages:	
↪ Project:	English
↪ Local:	Malay, Indonesian

Project Description:

Preserving natural diversity and seashore from abrasion. The main reason for abrasion are the lack of mangrove and the occurrence of too strong waves from the ocean. This project is organized by IIWC to answer the need of preserving the coastal side of North Java Sea in Mangkang Semarang.

Work: * Planting mangrove at coastal/green belt in muddy habitat, organizing environmental educational activities with local schools, planning and running a campaign about environmental issues.

* Raising awareness of the mangrove issue in some universities and organizing weekend workcamps for mangrove planting and education

* Raising awareness among the local community

* Contributing to and joining the workcamp in Mangkang

Requirements: High motivation, patient, prepared to cope with Indonesia's basic sanitation and muddy streets!

Food: Cook by yourself, provided by host family or buy food in food stalls.

Accommodation: Volunteer house

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Health insurance should be organized by the volunteer. IIWC will not cover any insurance.

Fees: 150 EUR per month. Meals, accommodation, administration, orientation, monitoring & evaluation, police letter.

Visa: Volunteer can get a socio-culture visa index 211 for 60 days. It can be extended twice (each extension for 30 days). Visa invitation letter will be provided by IIWC. Costs related to visa (extension: 300000 IDR) have to be covered by the volunteer.

Others: If a volunteer stays more than 4 months, he/she needs to renew the visa abroad every 120 days.

2.1.0.37 Maria Regina School

Theme:	Children, teenagers, elderly people
Location	Semarang City
Start:	2013-08-01
End:	2013-12-20
Application deadline:	2013-07-01
Decision date:	2013-07-08
Vacancies	1
Languages:	
↪ Project:	English
↪ Local:	Malay, Indonesian

Project Description:

Maria Regina School was established by a foundation named Yayasan Melania. The school is located in a friendly ecological environment on Jl. Palm 2 No. 1 Palm Hill Estate, Papandayan, Semarang. The school is set up for toddler, pre-k, kindergarten, primary, and junior high school. Maria Regina School is a Catholic national plus school which promotes English in the daily learning process. The basic education of Maria Regina School is in line with the Catholic values which cover three core values: Carita, Veritas, and Insignis which means Charity, Truth, and Excellence.

Work: Volunteer will assist teacher at Kindergarten classes and extracurricular activities. Each class contains 10-13 children around 4-6 years old. Organize event to have activities with orphanage or street children. For assisting at primary and junior high school, Volunteer will assist teacher at primary and junior high school classes and extracurricular activities. Each class contains 10-13 chil-

dren around 6-12 years old for primary school and 11-13 years old for Junior High School. Organize event to have activities with orphanage or street children.

Requirements: * good in English, cheerful, patient and high motivation.

* familiar with confidence building techniques

* volunteer needs to be able to adapt to and switch between 2 different environments (fancy and homely).

Food: provided by school or you can cook by yourself

Accommodation: boarding house

Pocket money: 600000 IDR per month

Insurance: health insurance should be organized by the volunteer. IIWC will not cover any insurance.

Fees: None

Visa: Volunteer can get a socio-culture visa index 211 for 60 days. It can be extended twice (each extension for 30 days). Visa invitation letter will provided by IIWC. Costs related to visa (extension: 300000 IDR) is covered by the school.

Others: If the volunteer stays more than 4 months, he/she needs to renew the visa abroad every 120 days.

2.1.0.38 MTs Nurul Huda Moslem Junior High School

Theme:	Children, teenagers, elderly people
Location	Demak Regency
Start:	2013-08-19
End:	2013-10-18
Application deadline:	2013-07-01
Decision date:	2013-07-05
Vacancies	1
Languages:	
↔ Project:	English
↔ Local:	Malay, Indonesian

Project Description:

MTs Nurul Huda is one of Islamic schools located in the Demak Regency. This school is not a government school, although there is some support from government. However, the remainder of the fees has to be paid by the students. Although, this is a kind of private school, almost all the students there are from poor families. So, actually the school fee paid by the students is not very high.

Work: Teaching English and organizing additional supporting activities for school subjects.

Requirements: Good control of the English language.

There will be an introduction about decent behaviour to help the volunteer to

adjust to the Moslem norms in schools.

Food: with the host family or you can cook by yourself

Accommodation: Boarding house in Indonesian family with simple bedding, shared kitchen and bathroom. Please note that the Indonesian life style is very modest compared to the European or American way.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Health insurance should be organized by the volunteer. IIWC will not cover any insurance.

Fees: 150 EUR per month. Meals, accommodation, administration, orientation, monitoring & evaluation, police letter.

Visa: Volunteer can get a socio-culture visa index 211 for 60 days. It can be extended twice (each extension for 30 days). Visa invitation letter will provided by IIWC. Costs related to visa (extension: 300000 IDR) have to be covered by the volunteer.

Others: If a volunteer stays more than 4 months, he/she needs to renew the visa abroad every 120 days. The related costs have to be covered by the volunteer.

2.1.0.39 SD Muhammadiyah Semoya Brebah

Theme:	Children, teenagers, elderly people
Location	Sleman Regency, Yogyakarta
Start:	2013-09-01
End:	2013-11-30
Application deadline:	2013-07-08
Decision date:	2013-07-15
Vacancies	1
Languages:	
↗ Project:	English
↗ Local:	Malay, Indonesian

Project Description:

SD Muhammadiyah Semoya Brebah (Muhammadiyah Semoya Brebah Elementary School) is a private Islamic elementary school. The school would like to increase the activity of international volunteers. The spirit and motivation brought by volunteers are expected to raise the motivation of the students to study more for their future. There is a need to have international experiences for the students as well as the teachers to increase their knowledge and soft skills in term of non-formal education approaches combined with the formal education at school.

Work: Volunteer will assist teachers during English classes for 3rd, 4th and 5th grade. Furthermore, he/she will be involved in English classes for teachers and staff. The volunteer is expected to spend as much time as possible with local

people for cultural exchange.

Requirements: * Good English. Letter of recommendation about teaching English classes is preferable.

* Volunteer has to be cheerful, patient and highly motivated.

* familiar with confidence building techniques

Food: provided by the host family or cooking by yourself

Accommodation: Host family

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Health insurance should be organized by the volunteer. IIWC will not cover any insurance.

Fees: 150 EUR per month. Meals, accommodation, administration, orientation, monitoring&evaluation, police letter

Visa: Volunteer can get a socio-culture visa index 211 for 60 days. It can be extended twice (each extension for 30 days). Visa invitation letter will provided by IIWC. Costs related to visa (extension: 375000 IDR) have to be covered by the volunteer.

Others: If a volunteer stays more than 4 months, he/she needs to renew the visa abroad every 120 days.

2.2 Japan

2.2.1 SCI Japan

2.2.1.1 Free Kids Village

Theme:	Environment
Location	Takato, Nagano: 200km west of Tokyo, 500km far from Fukushima
Start:	2013-09-16
End:	2013-11-30
Application deadline:	2013-07-20
Decision date:	2013-07-21
Vacancies	1
Languages:	
↪ Project:	Japanese
↪ Local:	Japanese

Project Description:

A unique community in a rural village in the mountains, 200 km west of Tokyo and 500km away from Fukushima Nuclear Power Plant. It was established by Ms Takako Iwatani in 2004. Over 20 people including disturbed children,

teenagers on probation and relocated kids from Fukushima lead a self-sustained, environmentally-friendly life.

The first SCI workcamp was held there in August 2009.

Work: * Organic farming: weeding in the rice and vegetable fields, cutting thatch, making non-tilled soil, etc.

* Daily housekeeping work

Requirements: * Motivated to learn organic farming and to live a big family-like environment.

* Interested in an environmentally sustainable life-style and children.

Food: Mostly vegetarian food is provided.

Accommodation: A 100-year-old big farm house. Sometimes LTV has to share a room with a volunteer from WWOOF.

Pocket money: 10000 JPY per month

Insurance: SCI Insurance

Fees: None

Visa: Basically, only 3 months' tourist visa is possible. However, English, Irish, German, Swiss, Austrian and Mexican are probably able to extend the visa for another 3 months according to the bilateral agreements between the governments.

Others: Volunteer gets 2 free roundtrips by bus between Tokyo and the project.

2.2.1.2 Kanazawa Farm

Theme:	Environment
Location	Yaita, Tochigi (150 km east of Tokyo, 100 km from Fukushima)
Start:	2014-03-10
End:	2014-06-05
Application deadline:	2014-01-10
Decision date:	2014-01-11
Vacancies	1
Languages:	
↪ Project:	Japanese
↪ Local:	Japanese

Project Description:

Kanazawa Farm is a private organic farm in a rural area, 150km east of Tokyo and only 100km away from the Fukushima Nuclear Power Plant. Ms. Kanazawa grows rice, vegetables and chickens for eggs. She is inviting volunteers to help her with farming and day-to-day house-keeping work.

Work: The volunteer helps at the farm. S/he is also expected to coordinate

weekend workcamps.

The volunteer gets a day off per week plus extra 5 days off during her/his service.

Requirements: Speak basic Japanese or motivated to learn to communicate with Ms. Kanazawa as she does not speak English. Interested in organic farming and fond of animals.

Food: Eat with Ms. Kanazawa

Accommodation: An old farm house, sometimes with a volunteer from WWOOF.

Pocket money: 10000 JPY per month

Insurance: SCI Insurance

Fees: None

Visa: Basically, only 3 months' tourist visa is possible. However, English, Irish, German, Swiss, Austrian and Mexican volunteers are probably able to extend the visa for another 3 months according to the bilateral agreements between the governments.

Others: The life is very frugal and simple at the farm, in contrast to the affluent and materialistic Japanese society.

The volunteer gets two roundtrips by local train between Tokyo and Yaita.

2.3 Thailand

2.3.1 DALAA Thailand

2.3.1.1 Baan Kok Rieng Agricultural Learning Center

Theme:	Environment
Location	Kok Rieng, Klong Hoy Krong district, SONGKHLA province, SOUTH THAILAND
Duration:	The minimum period of staying is two months. The project is open all year around.
Application:	You will get an answer within 2 weeks after the application.
Vacancies	6
Languages:	
↪ Project:	English
↪ Local:	Other

Project Description:

Two community members in Kok Rieng village took the initiative to turn their land properties into an Agriculture Learning Center. Since last year, They have been laboriously growing variety of vegetables, rice and local seasonal fruits. The main purpose for this effort is to try to create a learning center functioning sort

of as a working model for the surrounding community members, especially for the new generation, to grow healthy organic non-chemically induced rice, vegetables, fruits as well as breeding up animals like chickens, and fisheries without harming the nature.

Work: The volunteers should be able to handle physical hard work, expecting that there will be some construction work involved. Normally, in the morning, you will start working in the vegetable farm from around 7 a.m. until 3 or 4 in the afternoon. However, there'll be few hours break during the hottest time of the day. Everyday work will involve nurturing vegetables plants and fruit trees, collecting vegetables for your own consumption, feeding animals, growing seeds or nursing young plants. At the end of the day, or you can take the opportunity together with our project hosts and coordinator to further learning the local language and as for the sharing exchange, teaching them English. Some children may come to your house for a visit. You may also take the chance to gather with them working on for some useful activities, such as gardening small plants and herbs, picking up rubbish, cleaning the house compound, whatever that can help enhance the relationship with the locals.

Requirements: * Being able to do routine tasks and handling physical work outdoor * Having experience working on farm or agriculture project will be preferable * Being able to take care of farm animals * Being able to handle language barrier and living with non-English speakers * Flexible with tasks and time * Being able to manage your own cooking, cleaning and other daily tasks * Good health condition * Loving to share cultural differences and enjoying conversation with the project hosts

Food: Meals will be prepared and cooked by yourselves at the work site and at home. What provided are ingredients mainly from your own garden while some other ingredients can be purchased at small grocery shops in the village.

Accommodation: You'll stay in a local style lifted one storey wooden house, which is surrounded by a small natural fruit orchards. The bathroom and toilet are separated from the main house. It is the common local rural Thai style with no hot shower.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Volunteers are responsible for their own insurance.

Fees: 200 EUR per month. The fee will be used for living expenses (food, transport, gas, water, electricity) and materials used in projects/activities. Some part of the fee will be used to support Thai volunteers and our organization.

Visa: Participants should ask for a visa Non-Immigrant-type. DaLaa will provide an invitation letter and a paper stating that DaLaa is an officially registered NGO.

Others: –

2.3.1.2 Kok Payom fishermen village

Theme:	Environment
Location	Kok Payom village, La Ngoo district, Satun province (south of Thailand)
Duration:	Minimum 2 months all year around.
Application:	Volunteer will get a decision about his/her application within 2 or 3 weeks.
Vacancies	6
Languages:	
↗ Project:	English
↗ Local:	Other

Project Description:

Kok Payom is a small fishermen's village with a population of about 600 villagers. The village is next to a big river and because it is only 10 km from the Adaman sea. It is a very peaceful location surrounded by an area of mangrove forest. There is a strong community with many families having lived in the village for over 100 years. They really want to conserve their traditional way of life even if there are a lots of pressure and conditioning coming from the city. The villagers want to be actors to preserve their life style, the nature for the next Kok payom generation.

Work: Join a strong local fisherman community. Join them to raise awareness toward environment and self-sufficiency. DaLaa is joining activities in Kok Payom since 2009. To be a part of the future, we started a new project there in 2011. Creation of an alternative school (Klong toh Lem Academy) in the mangrove forest near Kok Payom. This green school aims that the human being can live in harmony with nature. Every Sunday, we go to the Academy with children of the village. The children can learn ancestral way of life in Kok Payom from the villagers. How we can live in concordance with the nature. To be independent, self-sufficient, a lots of fruits trees, vegetable, spice were planted.

The volunteer can possibly do the following activities: - Teach at the local school - Organize nature trips with children - Plant young seedlings in the mangrove forests - Cultivate more seedlings in the nursery - Organize fun and enjoyable activities to the village children

Requirements: This project is for volunteers who: -respect and are willing to understand other cultures and backgrounds -are open-minded and flexible -love nature and like enjoying all its benefits -love children -love organizing fun activities for kids -are willing to live together and work together with the local community and the other volunteers -are willing to adapt and enjoy simple conditions of living, Thai style -do not mind having little privacy -like doing physical work

Food: Volunteers usually eat at school for lunch (when they are teaching them).

For dinner, volunteer cook by themselves. Sometime villagers come and join to have dinner together. We are in fisherman village so a lot of fish and of course rice

Accommodation: You will stay in our Environment House, dormitory style with the other volunteers. Most of the time volunteers should be in Sala, the meeting, eating and teaching place of the village. The shower and toilets are really basic and typical style.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Participant is responsible for their own insurance. Volunteers should take an insurance from their own country.

Fees: 205 EUR per month. Accommodation, food, transport during the project, materials and partly for our organization

Visa: We provide invitation letter to get NON-IMMIGRANT visa.

Others: Meeting point: Hat Yai (from Bangkok you can choose to travel by plane, bus or train).

2.3.1.3 Roywan Pan Pba Alternative School

Theme:	Environment
Location	Kuan Mai Bong, Cha Huat district, Nakorn Sritammarat Province, South Thailand
Duration:	minimum 2 months, all year around
Application:	volunteer will get a decision about his/her application within 2 or 3 weeks
Vacancies	6
Languages:	
↪ Project:	English
↪ Local:	Other

Project Description:

This Alternative School was started from nothing but motivation and solidarity in March 2011 by the initiatives of a local environmental activist Pi Ju along with endless support of Kuan Mai Bong villagers and the work of the pilot international volunteers from Finland, Denmark, Germany and Thailand. The main aim shared with the local community of Kuan May Bong is to make the next generation (local kids) be able to stay self-sufficient in their environment and to respect it as a vital part of their life.

Work: Build and run this alternative school together with local and international volunteers. Volunteers also dedicate themselves for community work when there's need.

In the clearing around the school, volunteers will grow their own fruit, vegetables,

raise chickens, ducks, pigs and fish (agricultural self-sufficiency). On week-ends, the kids gather at the school to do activities with the volunteers. A group of children (between 10 and 30) come every week-end to spend time at the school. The volunteers decide together how the school days are spent. The opportunities are endless: teaching different subjects such as basic English, art, agriculture, games... The kids vary in age, it can be from 7 to 20. This is never a problem.

Requirements: This project is strongly recommended to people coming with motivation to be surrounded by nature, loving the tranquility and able to stay away from “civilization” because there are only few opportunities for a trip to a town. Volunteers should bear in mind that they are going to work in a team, everything will be shared, and responsibility is taken equally. Above all, full involvement in community matters is a must.

Food: Budget for food is provided. The host will take care of it which includes cooking for you and you can help assist the cooking task. You will have a chance to learn how to cook Thai style. Don’t worry, not all Thai food is really spicy.

Accommodation: Basic accommodation in the school area. Huts for 2 people to be shared, simple living conditions. Plus, toilet/bathroom is a really typical, shared Thai style. Volunteers will also have the opportunity to stay with a host family during their stay.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Participant is responsible for his/her own insurance.

Fees: 205 EUR per month. Accommodation, food, transport during the project, materials and partly for our organisation

Visa: We provide invitation letter to get a NON-IMMIGRANT visa.

Others: –

2.3.1.4 Thung Mor kindergarten

Theme:	Children, teenagers, elderly people
Location	Thung Mor village, Sadao district, SONGKHLA province
Start:	2013-06-01
End:	2013-09-30
Application:	You will get an answer within 2 weeks of the application.
Vacancies	2
Languages:	
↔ Project:	English
↔ Local:	Other

Project Description:

You will join the work and daily community life of a motivated kindergarten

teacher (named P Oy) of a South Thailand small village. You're expected to stay for a period of 2 to 4 months.

Aims of project - To support Thung Mor Sub-district Kindergarten - To exchange experience with one another between volunteers and the Thai kindergarteners for the benefit of kids' learning process - To build good relationship between volunteers and local people - To be a part of the village community - To let kids be familiar with volunteers and learn in international/multi-cultural atmosphere

Work: Your main role at the kindergarten is to assist alongside the kindergarteners in all kids' daily routine and help organize creative activities and teaching tools that enhance kids educational foundation; materials are available at the kindergarten. In addition, apart from the kindergarten work, in the evening, you can give non-formal English classes to villagers.

Requirements: - respect and are willing to understand other cultures and backgrounds - are open-minded and flexible - love to be with young kids and enthusiastic in organizing learning activities for kids and adults - are willing to live and work together with the Thai kindergarteners - are willing to adapt and enjoy simple conditions of living, Thai style - are willing to accept gaps during the day, having much free time may cause boredom - do not mind having little privacy

Food: Budget for food is provided. The host will take care of it which includes cooking for you and you can help assist the cooking task. You will have a chance to learn how to cook a Thai-style, and don't worry not all Thai food is really spicy.

Accommodation: You are going to live with P Oy, our hostess of this project, in her house which is in a small village.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Volunteers are responsible for their own insurance.

Fees: 200 EUR per month. The fee will be used for living expenses (gas, water, electricity, food) and materials used in projects/activities. Some part of the fee will be used to support Thai volunteers and our organization.

Visa: DaLaa will provide the association's official registration paper and a request letter to obtain a non-immigrant visa at a Thai embassy or consulate in your country.

Others: Note that volunteers have to stay for at least two months of service.

Chapter 3

Europe

3.1 Czech Republic

3.1.1 INEX-SDA Czech Republic

3.1.1.1 Organic Farming - Ashram Yoga Centre (SDA MTV 01)

Theme:	Environment
Location	small Moravian village Strilky in an old castle with large park, orchard, vegetable and herbal garden
Duration:	min. 2 months and max. 3 months within the period of 01/04 - 30/11 2013
Application:	Age: 20+
Vacancies	3
Languages:	
↪ Project:	English
↪ Local:	Czech

Project Description:

The project is focused on organic farming. The farm uses environment friendly practices, support biodiversity and protect the landscape. We do not use synthetic fertilisers and chemical substances. Fruits and vegetables produced in our garden are used in our ashram kitchen. The goal of the project is to enable young people to learn about healthier and sustainable way of farming (and living), give them opportunity to live in the countryside and motivate them for living a more natural life. The project gives a chance to spend some time in the spiritual environment of the Ashram and practise yoga

Work: Volunteers will help mainly in the vegetable garden, in the orchard and in the kitchen. You will experience the whole process of making food from the beginning (growing of vegetables and other products in the field) until the end

(processing in the kitchen). The volunteers will work 7 hours per day, 5 days per week. Two days will be free, depending on agreement. Be prepared for sometimes demanding work outside (weather changes, sun).

Leisure time: After work and at the weekends, volunteers will have the opportunity to go for walks, visit sights or make trips to the surrounding countryside. In the Chriby hills it is possible to see ruins of the old Strilky castle and ruins of Cimburk castle (near Korycany), where some cultural events take place. The town Kromeriz with historical monuments on the UNESCO list is 25 km far away. Brno, the second biggest city in the Czech Republic, is accessible within 1h by bus.

Requirements: 1 Flexibility, responsibility, sociability, patience and maturity 2 Interest in working in the garden, desire to gain experience; experience with gardening is an advantage 3 Good physical condition 4 Letter of motivation 5 Medical statement 6 Good English 7 Acceptance of our spiritual environment and vegetarian lifestyle 8 Interest in yoga is an advantage 9 No drugs, alcohol, smoking, no meat and eggs consumption in ashram. You should wear proper clothes. In spring/autumn warm clothes needed.

Food: The meals are provided in the castle. The food is lacto-vegetarian only (often Indian type).

Accommodation: In a room (usually multiple-bed room) in the castle or in a building opposite the castle.

Pocket money: 50 EUR per month

Insurance: basic insurance (responsibility and accidents) is provided, but volunteers should have an additional insurance on his/her own

Fees: None

Visa: –

Others: Study part: A possibility to take part in international seminars of yoga at the place. Note: There are rules that need to be followed: no drugs, no alcohol and smoking, no meat and eggs consumption in the ashram area. You should wear proper clothes (not too short skirts or too plunging neckline). For the first half of May, second half of September, October and November you will need warm clothes.

A special motivation letter to be sent with the application.

3.2 Great Britain

3.2.1 IVS GB

3.2.1.1 Camphill School Aberdeen

Theme:	Disabilities
Location	Aberdeen, Scotland
Start:	2013-08-04
End:	2014-08-31
Application:	Applicant needs to complete a specific application form obtained from IVS.
Vacancies	1
Languages:	
↗ Project:	English
↗ Local:	English

Project Description:

We provide residential, day care and respite accommodation to approximately 88 children and young adults with a wide variety of special needs. Care, education, therapy and creative activities are integrated. Relationships and social interaction, based on mutual care and respect, promote health development and resilience along with physical and emotional wellbeing.

Our children and young adults belong to a house community. Each house community varies in size and accommodates approximately 5/10 children/young adults and 10/12 senior co-workers and volunteers.

Work: Your major responsibility at all times is to the child/young adult in your care, whether in the classroom or the house. The task is to care for and to educate each child/young adult to the fullest extent possible. As a new co-worker you will be helped by more experienced colleagues to learn how to establish a successful relationship with the child/young adult, how to gauge what expectations to have for the individual, and how to develop each person's potential to the fullest extent possible, so that maximum independence and self-reliance are achieved. Think of it this way: you are setting out on a personal learning experience while helping the person in your care to themselves embark on a similar voyage of discovery. Their needs are paramount at all times.

Requirements: We would like someone interested in social issues, willing to learn, flexible 'can do attitude' and be able to communicate in English.

Food: Food is provided

Accommodation: We provide living accommodation and full board. Volunteers will have their own bedroom but all other accommodation is shared.

Pocket money: 160 GBP per month

Insurance: Basic insurance through SCI. Separate travel insurance will be required

Fees: None

Visa: Camphill School will issue a certificate of sponsorship for anyone living outside the EEU and who require an entry visa. Details of how to this are given to each volunteer by Camphill School. IVS will help with the visa process

Others: GBP200 is provided towards the cost of your journey home. Over a period of 12 month you will have 6 weeks annual leave. Interviews will be via the telephone or skype. Training/courses provided - Core training on arrival, Foundation Year Programme, BA (Hons) Social Pedagogy. Further information available through IVS.

3.2.1.2 Camphill Village Trust, Newton Dee Village

Theme:	Disabilities
Location	Aberdeen, Scotland
Start:	2013-06-02
End:	2013-12-31
Application:	An interview will be arranged after references have been checked
Vacancies	2
Languages:	
↔ Project:	English
↔ Local:	English

Project Description:

Newton Dee Community is one of 11 centres established in England and Scotland by the Camphill Village Trust to provide home life, meaningful work, opportunities for personal growth, friendship, social interaction, education, training and cultural and spiritual inspiration for adults with learning disabilities and other special needs.

Work: Helping out whenever needed in houses, workshops, farms and gardens. Co-workers work to enable those with special needs to fulfil their potential. That means providing support at home, at work in our gardens, farms and craft workshops, and by involvement in our social, cultural and educational activities. The work isn't simply care. The individuals with special needs who live in our Community are able to do much for themselves. The role of co-workers is as enablers. Co-workers create an environment that helps those with special needs to accomplish much in their lives, which might otherwise be difficult or impossible. One day off per week, 21 days holiday if staying for one year

Requirements: Somebody who would be willing to involve themselves with all

aspects of life. Willingness to learn, openness to other spiritual ways. Should speak English well enough to hold a conversation.

Food: Healthy organic (most of the time). Three meals a day, eating together as in a family.

Accommodation: Depending on the house, in a single room

Pocket money: 130 GBP per month

Insurance: LTV would be covered by SCI for the duration of their stay. However they would need to provide their own separate travel insurance

Fees: None

Visa: IVS will issue a certificate of sponsorship for anyone living outside the EEU and who requires an entry visa. Details of how to do this are given to each volunteer by IVS.

Others: Applicants need to complete a specific application form, please ask for a copy from IVS. Interviews will be held by Skype. Cultural factor to be considered - anthroposophical background, the volunteer would require openness to experience this. The duration of the position would be for one year. Age Limit: 18-40 years old. Training offered: first aid, moving and handling, first year foundation course

3.2.1.3 Corbenic Camphill Community

Theme:	Disabilities
Location	Dunkeld, Scotland
Start:	2013-08-04
End:	2014-08-31
Application:	Decision will be made two weeks after date of skype interview
Vacancies	5
Languages:	
↪ Project:	English
↪ Local:	English

Project Description:

The volunteer will be caring for and working alongside adults with learning disabilities. This is a community for adults with learning disabilities consisting of five households and a variety of workshops.

Work: Living and sharing house with adults with learning disabilities. Helping with personal care, housework, preparing meals etc, working in one of our workshops; garden, estate, farm, craft, candles, bakery and woodwork. Working 49 hours, with one day off per week then one long weekend in three.

Requirements: We are looking for male volunteers who are able to share liv-

ing spaces, flexible in working times and who speaks good English, interested in people, willing to learn and who takes the initiative.

Food: The volunteers would eat in the house with the other volunteers and residents. Organic food where possible, own bakery provides bread. Eating together in the households.

Accommodation: The volunteers would stay in the community and might be required to share a room, however most have their own room.

Pocket money: 140 GBP per month

Insurance: Volunteers will be covered by SCI insurance throughout duration of stay. However they would need their own separate travel insurance.

Fees: None

Visa: Corbenic or IVS will issue a certificate of sponsorship for anyone living outside the EEU and who requires an entry visa.

Others: The successful volunteer will be required to supply two references (forms supplied). A police check is also required. Volunteer will need to complete a Corbenic application form and supply a photograph.

The Community celebrates Christian festivals so volunteers would need to be willing to accompany residents in celebration or church visits.

Interviews will be held via Skype.

Introductory training courses are offered in various subjects.

3.2.1.4 Simeon Care for the Elderly

Theme:	Children, teenagers, elderly people
Location	Aberdeen, Scotland
Start:	2013-03-31
End:	2013-12-31
Application:	Applicants will be interviewed by telephone or skype
Vacancies	6
Languages:	
↗ Project:	English
↗ Local:	English

Project Description:

Simeon provides a home, care and companionship to 17 elderly frail people. We live together as a loving, caring family and help to make the last years of life rich, joyful and rewarding, both for those of us who care and those of us who are cared for.

Ours is a unique model of old age care. We are part of the Camphill movement and the first care home of its kind in the world. Our wish is that others are inspired by our approach to create homes for ageing people that bring peace,happiness

and fulfillment.

Work: About 46 hours/week in flexible shifts. Two consecutive days off per week. You live and work in the community providing personal care and support to elderly residents, sharing all activities of daily living, joining in the care and upkeep of the houses and gardens.

Requirements: Some previous experience of care or social work with vulnerable people is desirable, but not essential as we will provide training and guidance. It is essential to have a good grasp of the English language. You should be willing to learn and accept instruction and be ready to share your gifts and talents. We are looking for people with a compassionate and caring nature, with a desire to help in practical everyday tasks that will make people feel comfortable.

Food: We normally eat together, family style, for three meals a day with the residents. The main midday meal is prepared by our cook. During your time off foods (including snacks and ingredients from the larder) is available.

Accommodation: You will have your own furnished room and shared bathroom facilities. You will be provided with towels and linen and will be able to do your own laundry as well as make use of the kitchen and communal spaces.

Pocket money: 150 GBP per month

Insurance: Covered under SCI for the duration of your stay, but not for travel

Fees: None

Visa: IVS will issue a certificate of sponsorship for anyone living outside the EEU and who requires an entry visa. Simeon is registered with UK Border Agency and is able to issue certificates of sponsorship.

Others: There are opportunities to meet and do things with the volunteers living and working in nearby Camphill centres.

Simeon trains all volunteers using a nationally recognised Induction in Social Care programme within the first three months of joining Simeon. This includes training in first aid, manual handling, infection control, food safety, and fire safety. In addition we offer foundation talks on Camphill and Anthroposophy and related subjects.

3.2.1.5 The Edinburgh Cyrenians

Theme:	Socially disadvantaged
Location	Edinburgh, Scotland
Start:	2013-11-04
End:	2014-08-31
Application:	The Cyrenians want two volunteers starting in November, one to work on the Farm and one to work in the City.
Vacancies	2
Languages:	
↗ Project:	English
↗ Local:	English

Project Description:

Cyrenians has two residential communities. Each community has up to eight residents aged 16-30, who come to live in the communities as a result of being homeless. Volunteers are peer mentors to the community residents. Volunteers and residents live within our community facility. It's hard work and very challenging, but a memorable experience.

Work: Volunteers are peer mentors to the community residents and do not substitute the work of paid staff. Volunteers and residents live within our community facility and manage the day-to-day domestic tasks and decisions within the building, which is their home. The process of being involved in decision-making empowers residents and helps to develop their confidence, skills and abilities. We endeavour to create equality between community members (residents and volunteers), but volunteers must note that the young men and women who come to live here come as a result of their need for support. Volunteer support for a resident may include: * Accompanying a resident to the job centre * Helping a residents to cook a meal for the whole community * Acting as a sounding board for a problem or difficult situation * Offering mature and calm guidance

Requirements: Because the project is working with vulnerable people, there are very specific criteria. Interested volunteers will get the full information upon request. Age range for volunteers 16-30.

Food: Provided

Accommodation: All accommodation and food costs are met by Cyrenians.

Pocket money: 30 GBP per week

Insurance: yes

Fees: None

Visa: UK Border Control requires that people living outside the EEU require a visa. IVS GB will provide sponsorship letter/certificate.

Others: As the post involves working with vulnerable young people, volunteers will need to obtain a letter or certificate of approval to confirm that they are fit

to work with young people. Acquisition of this form of approval will vary from country to country. Holiday allowance at the three-month stage and contribution towards travel expenses to the community when you first arrive.

3.3 Ireland

3.3.1 VSI Ireland

3.3.1.1 Glebe House

Theme:	Children, teenagers, elderly people
Location	Strangford, Co Down, Northern Ireland
Start:	2013-07-12
End:	2013-08-31
Application:	The volunteer will get a decision about his/her application within 2 weeks.
Vacancies	4
Languages:	
↗ Project:	English
↗ Local:	English

Project Description:

Since 1975 children, young people and adults have been coming to Glebe House for a week, two weeks, a weekend, or a day, to live, play, work and learn together. We have been working for a peaceful, fair, inclusive society that respects and cherishes each person's humanity, dignity, aspirations, ideas and needs. One where each person can determine and re-create her or his own identity, rather than conform to sectarian, national, ethnic or social stereotypes, myths or stigmas. Our visitors come mostly from Northern Ireland, but also from other parts of the Irish Republic and further afield.

Work: Volunteers will work closely with children and young people on our Summer residential programme. The volunteers are needed to assist with the Glebe House summer community relations programme and the volunteers will be fully involved in every aspect of it. They will be organising and joining in games sessions, going on trips out, taking part in and running activities. The volunteers will also share responsibilities for childcare, supervision and the associated routines of running the childrens residential holidays. The volunteers will not be expected to take part in all of the residentials and will be allocated time off as necessary. The volunteers do not need to have any previous experience but do need to be well motivated and willing to learn, they should have the ability to cope well under the sometimes hectic and very busy programmes that Glebe

House provides.

Requirements: We are looking for volunteers who will be available for the 2 month period, but will consider volunteers for shorter periods during the summer. All volunteers must 18 years or over and be able to speak English to an acceptable degree. Because of UK border restrictions, we can only accept volunteers from EU states.

Food: Food for volunteers is provided. Some meals are prepared for groups and volunteers, at other times volunteers will have access to the shared kitchen in the main house at Glebe.

Accommodation: Accommodation is provided in the main house.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Insurance provided

Fees: None

Visa: Because of UK border restrictions, we can only accept volunteers from EU states.

Others: All volunteers will receive training and out of pocket expenses. A police check and references will be requested after we receive your application(do not send in advance).

3.4 Spain

3.4.1 SCI Catalonia

3.4.1.1 Placement Officer for SCI Catalonia

Theme:	Others
Location	Barcelona, Spain
Start:	2014-01-15
End:	2014-09-15
Application deadline:	2013-08-15
Decision date:	2013-09-10
Vacancies	1
Languages:	
↪ Project:	Spanish
↪ Local:	Spanish

Project Description:

SCI-Catalunya is an organization that works to promote peace and social justice, with an international perspective. We are a quite small but very active and dynamic organization: we organize around 10 local workcamps and we send and support around 200 local volunteers to other projects abroad. We also select and prepare volunteers for medium and long term volunteering projects, for In-

ternational Youth Exchanges or seminars and trainings. Last but not least, we coordinate various groups of local volunteers and we arrange awareness raising actions in the areas of our influence.

Notice: *This is a European Voluntary Service (EVS) project. Restrictive rules concerning the age and country of residence of the participants apply. Please contact an SCI branch, group or partner organisation in your country for further information.*

Work: The EVS volunteer will give support mostly in the Volunteering Area of SCI-Catalunya, working as Volunteers Placement Officer. Her/his main tasks will be: giving information to local people who want to participate in a workcamp, collecting and sending their application forms and keeping in contact with the hosting associations. She/he will also give information about other volunteering opportunities, such as Long Term Volunteering (LTV) or EVS. In addition, during the summer, the volunteer will have the opportunity to directly participate in a local workcamp. The EVS volunteer is expected to work 6 hours per day, 5 days per week. The volunteer may be asked to work on weekends for special activities, whenever her/his presence will be considered important (both for the organization and for her/his personal learning). Free days will be given to compensate

Requirements: The volunteer need to be fluent both in Spanish and English, and have excellent writing skills. The volunteer will be asked to learn Catalan during her/his stay, as it will be the main language in the office as well as during the local activities. Highly valued skills are: flexibility, sense of responsibility, self-initiative and the ability of working in a team. Previous experience in other SCI branches, workcamps, youth exchanges or international trainings will be also considered.

Food: SCI-Cat will give to the volunteer a monthly sum for rent and food. The volunteer will manage it as he/she prefers.

Accommodation: SCI-Cat will give to the volunteer a monthly sum for rent and food. The volunteer will manage it as he/she prefers.

Pocket money: 105 EUR per month

Insurance: AXA insurance covered by the EVS programme.

Fees: None

Visa: Visa costs, if any, will be covered by money of the project.

Others: This is a European Voluntary Service project. Restrictive rules concerning the age and country of residence of the participants apply. Please contact an SCI branch, group or partner organisation in your country for further information.

3.4.2 SCI Madrid

3.4.2.1 BASIDA

Theme:	Socially disadvantaged
Location	Aranjuez (MAdrid), Navahondilla (vila) and Manzanares (Ciudad Real)
Duration:	3 months
Application:	volunteer will get a decision about his/her application within 2 weeks
Vacancies	1
Languages:	
↪ Project:	Spanish
↪ Local:	Spanish

Project Description:

BASIDA is an NGO that provides medical and psychosocial support to HIV-positives, drugs addicted people and others with special needs. Since 1987, it has opened three centres; all of them run by a multi-professional voluntary staff. The physical and psychological recovery as well as the social rehabilitation of Basida residents are being achieved thanks to close teamwork focused on proving them that someone really cares for them. Basida team tries to help those attending the centre to regain hope and self-esteem.

Work: -Participating in the everyday life of the Centre -Personal care of residents who might need it (such as helping out to get dressed -An important part of your stay will be socialising with the community of the centre - Helping in physical and psychological rehab activities - Preparing workshops (wood, gardening, sports, alphabetization, children, etc.) - Daytrips accompaniment - Centre maintenance (laundry, cleaning, kitchen, etc.)

Requirements: - Maturity - Interested in AIDS and drug abuse problematics. - Motivated in learning Spanish culture and language - Basic knowledge on spoken Spanish. - Reliable (non drug use is allowed in the centre, including tobacco and alcohol) - Dynamic

Food: Meals will be taken with the residents in the common dining-room.

Accommodation: Double rooms with bathroom

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Volunteers must have their own travel and health insurance, unless covered by the EEU

Fees: None

Visa: SCI Madrid will issue a certificate of sponsorship for anyone living outside the EEU and who requires an entry visa. Details of how to do this are given to each volunteer by SCI.

Others: –

Chapter 4

Latin America

4.1 Brazil

4.1.1 SVI Brasil

4.1.1.1 Experiencing Agroecology

Theme:	Environment
Location	Bocaiuva do Sul. About 30 Km from Curitiba. PARANÁ
Duration:	At least 30 days, up to 90 days
Application:	volunteer will get a decision about his/her application within 2 weeks
Vacancies	2
Languages:	
↪ Project:	Portuguese
↪ Local:	Portuguese

Project Description:

The Aopa association was born in 1998 with the aim of unifying agroecological producers of Paraná.

The project will take place in the Santo Antonio farm, owned by Marfil family, one of the founder of the regional agroecological movement. The current production consists in a packing unit for cereals, flours and beans, a kitchen for food preparation, different orchards, small animal production and a vegetable garden for family purposes. In the farm 10 persons live and work permanently following the agroecology principles.

Notice: *This is an Abya Yala WG project. Please contact the SCI branch or partner organisation in your country for further information.*

Work: Work: The farm requires the following tasks: - Taking care of animals (chickens, sheep, cows, pigs and ducks), like feeding them and cleaning their stables; - Gardening, collecting vegetables, removing weeds; - Food processing in the kitchen (tomato sauce, jams, bread and other products); - Packing cereals, flours, oil and beans; - Participating in the organic market in Curitiba; - Helping with products delivery; - Eventually will be helping in the informatics system and in the farm website.

Requirements: Languages: It is necessary that the volunteers are able to communicate in basic Portuguese (a good knowledge of Spanish could be enough), in order to get in touch with the family and the locals.

Food: Organic food from local producers (rice, beans, vegetables, meat and fruit) will be provided. There won't be out-of-season nor industrial food. For special needs, there's a market 7 km away. Drugs are not allowed; moderate alcohol consumption is ok.

Accommodation: Volunteers will have a room by their own in a house (inside the farm) which they have to share with some local workers. They will be independent in terms of meals and house cleaning.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: SVI Brasil does not offer any insurance. We suggest the volunteers to get their insurance by themselves

Fees: 350 BRL one time payment. To cover SVI Brasil administrative expenses. SVI Brasil is a not-for-profit NGO with all volunteer based workers (no paid staff). Feel free also to ask any clarification about how the placement fees are used by SVI Brasil.

Visa: –

Others: –

Chapter 5

Mediterranean Region

5.1 Palestine

5.1.1 Tent of Nations Palestine

5.1.1.1 Tent of Nations

Theme:	Peace and disarmament
Location	Nahalin (near Bethlehem)
Duration:	Minimum stay is 1 month, maximum is 3 months (visa expiration) between March 15 - November 15.
Application:	Feedback within 2 weeks. A copy of the applications to this project have to be sent to MIDI WG.
Vacancies	1
Languages:	
↪ Project:	English, German, Arabic
↪ Local:	Arabic

Project Description:

Tent of Nations is an educational and environmental family run farm, growing olives, vines, almonds, various vegetables & fruit trees.

The project aims at bringing people with different backgrounds together, to learn from each other and to try to understand each other. The situation in Palestine plays a central role.

Over 15 years the family fights in a peaceful way to prevent confiscation of a threatened piece of land. Foreign volunteers play an important role by showing international presence, by helping to cultivate the land and by providing information about the project back home.

Notice: *This is a MIDI WG project. Only volunteers from the following organi-*

sations can apply for this project: SCI Belgium, VIA Netherlands, SCI Germany, SCI Switzerland, SCI Catalonia, SCI Italy, SCI Hellas, SCI France, KVT Finland, IVS Great Britain, VSI Ireland. Please contact the SCI branch or partner organisation in your country for further information.

Work: The work takes place on 'Daher's Wineyard'; the land of Tent of Nations. The work will consist of farm work like planting trees, watering plants, cleaning pieces of land, harvesting (tomatoes, grapes, olives, almonds, etc), caring for the animals, helping in the kitchen, creating (wall) painting as well as improving the infrastructure on the land (renovations, building of structures, digging new wells, cleaning caves, etc). Often new facilities will be built underground, because there is no permit to build on the land (the land is located in Area C, which is under full Israeli control).

During the summer children from the surroundings will come to the land and activities will be organised for them.

Of course the exact work will depend on the season and on which larger projects are running. Volunteers are invited to bring ideas and initiatives. However, be aware that there will be restrictions that you might not be used to (occupation, permissions, financial situation, security)

Requirements: Be ready for heavy physical work in rough conditions (hot during summer days and cold during nights) and isolated location.

Volunteers are expected to be at the land as much as possible, because the international presence is key (also: traveling in Palestine is a luxury).

5 work days a week. Free days will be agreed with the project (not the same for all long term volunteers).

It can happen that Israel refuses entry. This is at your own risk (no refund from SCI or Tent of Nations).

Food: The meals will be simple but nutritious. Home grown vegetables, daily picked eggs, home picked and prepared olives and olive oil will be part of the diet. Usually the family will cook, but sometimes the volunteers will assist or create a meal.

Accommodation: Volunteers will stay in one of the two small houses or in a big tent (containing beds). Primitive living conditions!

Water: project is dependent on self-made cisterns. It is key to be very careful with the use of water. Drinking water is bought.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: to be organized by the volunteer

Fees: 150 EUR per month. To cover food and accommodation. Part of the sum is dedicated to support the project.

Visa: When you enter in Tel-Aviv (Ben Gurion Airport), you will automatically receive a visa for 3 months. If you want to extend it, you will have to leave the country after three months. When re-entering it is unclear what kind of visa you will receive.

Others: The project has installed solar panel, which produces few hours of electricity each evening. There is wifi. If you bring your laptop, you can use it.

Only volunteers from the following organisations can apply for this project: SCI Belgium, VIA Netherlands, SCI Germany, SCI Switzerland, SCI Catalonia, SCI Italy, SCI Hellas, SCI France, KVT Finland, IVS Great Britain, VSI Ireland

5.2 Turkey

5.2.1 GENCTUR Turkey

5.2.1.1 Dreams Academy

Theme:	Disabilities
Location	stanbul (Asian side)
Duration:	Minimum 1 month, maximum 3 months. Start any time between January and May.
Application:	Volunteers can apply any time and we decide within 10 days. Provide a detailed motivation letter (also describing experience related to the project).
Vacancies	6
Languages:	
↔ Project:	English
↔ Local:	Turkish

Project Description:

DA is a project realized with the financial support of UNDP and Turkey Vodafone Foundation. DA has educated over 2000 socially disadvantaged individuals in art education workshops free of charge. DA carried out two innovative and creative projects. Social Inclusion Band which has the motto of “ Music For All “ has youngsters with disabilities and professional volunteer musicians. The band gives concerts regularly in the best clubs in Istanbul. Dreams Dance Company which is a drama and dance group, performed on the scene with professional artists. This year they are performing GREASE Musical.

Work: International volunteers will help the projects in the Dreams Academy Center in Bat-Ataehir (at the Asian site of stanbul) with all aspects of workshop preparation, workshop performances as well as any other office or field work related to the project. Serving and assisting people with disabilities at workshops, assisting the instructors before and after workshops, organizing and running events on and off-site. Volunteers will work 6 days a week and most of the weekends they will be busy. 8 working hours per day is requested.

Requirements: Candidates should be at least 20 years old and have a strong motivation to work with disabled people, socially disadvantaged groups & individuals. Previous experiences are preferable but good mood & good will are more essential. Please be aware that you might be the only volunteer in the project during your stay. Also, you will only have limited time to visit the city, due to long working hours which cannot be bargained. If you do not agree with these conditions please do not apply.

Food: Lunch is supplied at the center. Volunteers will prepare their meals by the given food for breakfast and dinner.

Accommodation: Volunteer rooms near Dreams Academy Center at the Asian site of Istanbul. Sleeping bag and mat are not necessary. No alcohol is permitted at the center.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: Volunteers MUST obtain their travel and health insurance by their own, before arriving in the project.

Fees: None

Visa: Please check <http://www.mfa.gov.tr/visa-information-for-foreigners.en.mfa>
An invitation letter is provided if needed (indicate your full name (as in the passport), place & date of birth, nationality and pass number).

Others: Project code: GEN-MTV2

Chapter 6

North America

6.1 USA

6.1.1 SCI-IVS USA

6.1.1.1 American Conservation Experience – Santa Cruz

Theme:	Environment
Location	California
Duration:	minimum 12 weeks
Application:	decision within two weeks
Vacancies	1
Languages:	
↗ Project:	English
↗ Local:	English

Project Description:

diverse project opportunities in a range of settings and ecosystems in Yosemite and Kings Canyon National Park State Parks along the coastline Redwood Forests

Work: trail construction and maintenance planting native species weed removal fence construction erosion control wilderness restoration

Requirements: This project is only open to US Residents from 18-35 years old. Must speak at least intermediate English, very physically fit, capable of hard work (10 hr. days, 40 hrs.a week). 3 days off each week. Projects in remote locations require 8 consecutive days of work followed by 6 straight days off.

Food: provided on work days not provided on free days plan USD10.00-USD20.00 on average of 3 days per week

Accommodation: tents on work days youth hostels and student dormitories during free time

Pocket money: None

Insurance: provided

Fees: None

Visa: SCI will provide documents for Visa

Others: No drugs ever! No drinking on projects, even after hours; no smoking or drinking in accommodations or vehicles

6.1.1.2 Camphill Soltane

Theme:	Disabilities
Location	Pennsylvania
Duration:	12 months preferred
Application:	decision within 2 weeks
Vacancies	8
Languages:	
↪ Project:	English
↪ Local:	English

Project Description:

A college experience for young adults with disabilities. We build community with young adults with developmental disabilities, recognizing the dignity, spiritual integrity and contributions of each and every individual. For over 60 years, Camphill communities like ours have challenged the notion of what it means to be developmentally disabled, and shown that each of us is a unique and essential link in the circle of humanity.

Work: Life is full and challenging and we need our volunteers to be willing to help in all areas. We have a strong sense of teamwork and mutual support. Volunteers live in a family home and share in the work of the home and community. This would include cooking, helping in our educational as well as vocations program We have a wonderful cultural and social life where members join in creating and sharing celebrations, festivals and events in and beyond the community. For more information please visit our website: www.camphillsoltane.org or look us up on facebook. (facebook.com/camphillsoltane)

Requirements: Minimum age 21 years, drivers license, at least intermediate level of speaking English, high level of initiative and self-motivation. Illegal drugs will not be tolerated.

Food: provided

Accommodation: private room in a house, shared bath

Pocket money: 190 USD per month

Insurance: after 3 months

Fees: None

Visa: SCI will provide documents for Visa

Others: USD875.00 vacation funds at the end of service

Americans may join us as AmeriCorps members to qualify for the Education Award of USD5,350.00 after one year of service.

6.1.1.3 Camphill Special School

Theme:	Disabilities
Location	Pennsylvania
Duration:	Commitment of 1 year preferably starting in August.
Application:	decision within two weeks
Vacancies	2
Languages:	
↪ Project:	English
↪ Local:	English

Project Description:

A large Camphill Community committed to students with special needs. The school runs from grades 1-12. Volunteers live in the homes with a family and the special needs children.

Work: The coworkers are a part of a team of 4-5 coworkers and are expected to integrate themselves as active members of the house community.

Requirements: Independence, maturity, and a sense for responsibility would be important personality traits for these positions, as well as humor and patience.

Food: provided

Accommodation: In one of the homes, private room, shared bath.

Pocket money: 160 USD per month

Insurance: yes

Fees: None

Visa: SCI will provide documents for Visa

Others: –

6.1.1.4 Camphill Special School Transitional Program

Theme:	Disabilities
Location	Pennsylvania
Duration:	A year or more, starting late August 2009.
Application:	Application to the project partner is required in addition to SCI application.
Vacancies	5
Languages:	
↗ Project:	English
↗ Local:	English

Project Description:

Beaver Hill is a large house community for young adults from 18 to 21 with developmental disabilities. Most of the volunteer caregivers live at the house. It celebrates special events and other activities together. Care is continuous at Beaver Hill (no shift changes). Living together like this does not constitute a job so much as a way of life. The house community plays a key role in providing stability in human relationships and engendering a warm, positive, and well structured environment.

Work: The work is varied - cooking, cleaning, laundry and other community living support tasks for people with disabilities including person 1 care, recreational activities and household routines.

Requirements: Sensitivity to the needs of others, energy and enthusiasm, English speaking. Willingness to offer some physical care for people with special needs; driver's license No smoking, drugs or alcohol allowed.

Food: Mostly organic foods provided

Accommodation: Private room, shared bath.

Pocket money: 160 USD per month

Insurance: provided

Fees: None

Visa: SCI will provide documents for Visa

Others: –

6.1.1.5 Innisfree Village Project

Theme:	Disabilities
Location	Innisfree Village, Crozet VA
Start:	2013-07-15
End:	2014-07-15
Application deadline:	2013-07-01
Decision date:	2013-07-07
Vacancies	4
Languages:	
↗ Project:	English
↗ Local:	English

Project Description:

A residential community with adults with intellectual disabilities is nestled in the foothills of the Blue Ridge Mountains. Coworkers (residents with intellectual disabilities), volunteers and staff create a dynamic lifestyle on 550 acres. Located near the center of our community are eight homes, a community center, weavery, bakery, woodshop, office, and gardens.

Work: Volunteers live in family homes of 2-10 adults with disabilities, helping with personal care, cooking, cleaning and working in the therapeutic workstations of weaving, woodworking, gardens, kitchens, and bakery. Two days off a week.

Requirements: Willing to work in a community, patience, humour, housekeeping skills, desire to care for adults with disabilities, 21 years or older. Must speak at least advanced intermediate English. Experience with special needs populations a bonus but not required

Food: provided

Accommodation: a room in one of our family style houses or cabin shared bathroom

Pocket money: 250 USD per month

Insurance: provided

Fees: None

Visa: SCI will provide documents for Visa

Others: Drivers of at least one-year experience can have access to automobiles for days off and drivers of 3 years can take out residents (called co-workers). Volunteer gets 15 paid vacation days at 50 USD/day.

6.1.1.6 Philadelphia Community Farm

Theme:	Disabilities
Location	Wisconsin
Duration:	12 months sometimes 6 months
Application:	Decision within 4 weeks.
Vacancies	2
Languages:	
↗ Project:	English
↗ Local:	English

Project Description:

Assistant Houseparent: Caring for adults with special needs and managing a community household on a CSA farm.

Work: Assistant Houseparent caring for adults with special needs and managing a community household on a CSA farm.

Requirements: Skills of the volunteer expected by the hosting project Organizational skills, cooking, cleaning, household maintenance, social skills, sense of humor, all helpful. We will train volunteers in those areas of the work that they may be unaccustomed to doing. Must speak at least intermediate English.

Food: Biodynamic from our own farm and organic whole foods are provided

Accommodation: Private bedroom, shared bathroom in a community household

Pocket money: 80 USD per month

Insurance: Insurance not provided

Fees: None

Visa: SCI will send documents for visa

Others: Applications must include criminal background check from every country/state applicant has resided for the past five years. Americans may join us as AmeriCorp members to qualify for the Education Award of USD4725.00 after 1 year of service

6.1.1.7 Stanton House – Life Needs Co-op

Theme:	Disabilities
Location	Great barrington, Massachusetts
Duration:	6 to 12 months
Application:	decision within 2 weeks, Police background check report required
Vacancies	1
Languages:	
↗ Project:	English
↗ Local:	English

Project Description:

In a large farmhouse, greenhouse and weavery, adjacent to a family run farm about 20 people work collaboratively at being a community. Five of us have special needs that require support from us all. We believe that the most important thing in life is relationships. Everything else is how we give substance, value, and meaning to those relationships.

Work: Helping with the needs of others and work around the house. Assisting with the needs of others can be giving someone a ride to a therapy or to work, helping someone with personal care and hygiene, writing a letter, making a phone call, growing fresh greens, weaving a baby blanket or attending a play or concert. Our social awareness extends beyond the house, to neighbors, friends, and community needs, so we are active in recycling, hospice work, community clean ups, etc. Working around the house includes opportunities to take leadership roles in doing repairs, cleaning, gardening, cooking, building, maintaining a compost bin and working administratively. We are very flexible and aim to utilize individual strengths / interests to support our community so that as a group we can achieve results we can all enjoy.

Requirements: : openness, willingness to work together collectively as well as independently, driver's license, must speak at least intermediate English, Police background check required

Food: provided - We emphasize local, fresh and when possible organic.

Accommodation: In the house, private bedroom, shared bath.

Pocket money: 160 USD per month

Insurance: yes

Fees: None

Visa: SCI will provide documents for Visa

Others: An ongoing course in English as a Second Language is available locally. Smoking only outside the house.

6.1.1.8 The Bridge

Theme:	Disabilities
Location	Virginia
Duration:	12 months
Application:	within two weeks
Vacancies	1
Languages:	
↪ Project:	English
↪ Local:	English

Project Description:

The Bridge provides a family-like living environment for the full support of adults with traumatic brain injuries

Work: Provide companionship in scheduled activities. This includes accompanying residents with disabilities to physical rehabilitations and community functions. Help residents with daily skill development. Serve as liaison between residents and the senior house counselor and the director. Plan and cook meals. Provide transportation when needed. Facilitate social interactions among all Bridge residents and support interaction between the houses.

Requirements: Drivers License

Food: provided

Accommodation: private room with shared bathroom

Pocket money: 300 USD per month

Insurance: not provided

Fees: None

Visa: SCI will provide documents for Visa

Others: –

6.1.2 Volunteers For Peace USA

6.1.2.1 Community Reentry, Social Justice

Theme:	Socially disadvantaged
Location	Rutand, Vermont
Duration:	Minimum 10 weeks, Maximum 6 months
Application:	Applications are accepted year round. Placement takes 2 weeks due to need for Skype interview.
Vacancies	4
Languages:	
↪ Project:	English
↪ Local:	English

Project Description:

The project provides a transitional drug, alcohol and violence free housing opportunity to men and women getting out of prison so they can successfully reconcile with the community before living independently.

Work: Vols will work 5-6 hrs/day doing computer and office work, participation in various components of fundraising activities, student recruitment, representing Dismas at speaking engagements on college campuses and at civic organizations, working with clothing and food donations, participating in house group activities, and visiting prisons. As a resident of the house, volunteers will live as an equal to and with the same expectations as the former prisoner residents: presence at the evening meal Monday through Friday is required, as is presence at the weekly house meeting one evening during the week; no smoking inside the house; no intimate relationships between residents and/or volunteers permitted.

Requirements: Vols must be 22+, speak fluent English and have basic computer skills. Absolutely NO alcohol or drug use permitted during the stay. VFP Motivation Form and email interview required

Food: : Modestly furnished shared room in a large Victorian house; sheets, towels, meals, laundry provided.

Accommodation: : Modestly furnished shared room in a large Victorian house; sheets, towels, meals, laundry provided.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: SCI Insurance is provided for all volunteers in this project.

Fees: None

Visa: Visa may be required depending on the country the volunteer comes from. VFP provides the needed invitation letter.

Others: –

6.1.2.2 Community Reentry, Social Justice

Theme:	Socially disadvantaged
Location	Burlington, Vermont
Duration:	minimum 10 weeks, maximum 6 months
Application:	Applications are accepted year round. Placements take 2 weeks due to the need for a Skype interview with the potential volunteer.
Vacancies	3
Languages:	
↗ Project:	English
↗ Local:	English

Project Description:

The project provides housing and opportunities to men and women getting out of prison so that they can successfully transition back into the community.

Work: Vols will be working as a Resident Advisor as well as on administrative tasks in small office. Volunteers are also expected to support the residential community by participating in group activities.

Requirements: Vols must be 22+, speak fluent English and have basic computer skills. Absolutely NO alcohol or drug use permitted during the stay. VFP Motivation Form and email interview required.

Food: Shared room in large Victorian house, meals & laundry provided.

Accommodation: Shared room in large Victorian house, meals & laundry provided.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: YES, SCI insurance is provided for all volunteers.

Fees: None

Visa: Depending on country the volunteer is coming from a visa may be required.

Others: –

6.1.2.3 Explore New York

Theme:	Disabilities
Location	New York City, New York
Duration:	Minimum 3 weeks, Maximum 3 months
Application:	Applications are accepted year round. Placement takes up to 2 weeks and requires a Skype interview.
Vacancies	4
Languages:	
↪ Project:	English
↪ Local:	English

Project Description:

The project is dedicated to helping individuals with developmental disabilities and mental retardation to grow through challenging and safe travel experiences.

Work: Vols will co-lead small groups of adults with special needs on short vacations to various destinations. Responsibilities include ensuring safety, providing emotional and physical support, enhancing fun, budgeting, driving and activity planning 24 hours a day while on trips. Vols must be willing to assist with all Adult Daily Living skills (brushing teeth, separating dirty clothes, showering etc). This is very challenging work, yet also very rewarding and fun. Experience work-

ing with this population is an asset but not required. Training will be provided. Between trips, some light office work or assistance is required.

Requirements: Responsible, motivated vols age 21-35 with drivers license strongly preferred. No alcohol during trips. Fluent English. VFP Motivation form and phone/Skype interview required.

Food: While on trips you will stay in hotels. In between trips, you will stay at a youth hostel. Volunteers will be responsible for their own meals, transportation and activities when not on a trip.

Accommodation: While on trips you will stay in hotels. In between trips, you will stay at a youth hostel. Volunteers will be responsible for their own meals, transportation and activities when not on a trip.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: SCI insurance is provided for all volunteers.

Fees: None

Visa: Visa may be required depending on the country the volunteer comes from. VFP provides required invitation letter.

Others: –

6.1.2.4 Explore New York (VFPMTV03-13H)

Theme:	Disabilities
Location	New York City, New York
Start:	2013-08-22
End:	2013-10-21
Application deadline:	2013-08-08
Decision date:	2013-08-09
Vacancies	3
Languages:	
↪ Project:	English
↪ Local:	English

Project Description:

Sprout New York is dedicated to helping individuals with developmental disabilities and mental retardation to grow through challenging and safe travel experiences.

Work: Vols will co-lead small groups of adults with special needs on short vacations to various destinations. Responsibilities include ensuring safety, providing emotional and physical support, enhancing fun, budgeting, driving and activity planning 24 hours a day while on trips. Vols must be willing to assist with all Adult Daily Living skills (brushing teeth, separating dirty clothes, showering etc). This is very challenging work, yet also very rewarding and fun. Experience work-

ing with this population is an asset but not required. Training will be provided. Between trips, some light office work or assistance is required.

Requirements: Responsible, motivated vols age 21+ with drivers license strongly preferred. No alcohol during trips. Fluent English. VFP Motivation form and phone/Skype interview required.

Food: See Accommodation

Accommodation: While on trips you will stay in hotels. In between trips, you will stay at a youth hostel. Volunteers will be responsible for their own meals, transportation and activities when not on a trip.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: VFP does not provide insurance for volunteers on this project. Sprout insurance only covers volunteers when they are on group trips.

Fees: None

Visa: –

Others: –

6.1.2.5 Explore New York (VFPMTV03-13I)

Theme:	Disabilities
Location	New York City, New York
Start:	2013-10-09
End:	2013-11-13
Application deadline:	2013-09-25
Decision date:	2013-09-26
Vacancies	3
Languages:	
↪ Project:	English
↪ Local:	English

Project Description:

Sprout New York is dedicated to helping individuals with developmental disabilities and mental retardation to grow through challenging and safe travel experiences.

Work: Vols will co-lead small groups of adults with special needs on short vacations to various destinations. Responsibilities include ensuring safety, providing emotional and physical support, enhancing fun, budgeting, driving and activity planning 24 hours a day while on trips. Vols must be willing to assist with all Adult Daily Living skills (brushing teeth, separating dirty clothes, showering etc). This is very challenging work, yet also very rewarding and fun. Experience working with this population is an asset but not required. Training will be provided. Between trips, some light office work or assistance is required.

Requirements: Responsible, motivated vols age 21+ with drivers license strongly preferred. No alcohol during trips. Fluent English. VFP Motivation form and phone/Skype interview required.

Food: See Accommodation

Accommodation: While on trips you will stay in hotels. In between trips, you will stay at a youth hostel. Volunteers will be responsible for their own meals, transportation and activities when not on a trip.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: VFP does not provide insurance for volunteers on this project. Sprout insurance only covers volunteers when they are on group trips.

Fees: None

Visa: –

Others: –

6.1.2.6 Explore New York (VFPMTV03-13J)

Theme:	Disabilities
Location	New York City, New York
Start:	2013-10-25
End:	2013-12-19
Application deadline:	2013-10-11
Decision date:	2013-10-12
Vacancies	3
Languages:	
↪ Project:	English
↪ Local:	English

Project Description:

Sprout New York is dedicated to helping individuals with developmental disabilities and mental retardation to grow through challenging and safe travel experiences.

Work: Vols will co-lead small groups of adults with special needs on short vacations to various destinations. Responsibilities include ensuring safety, providing emotional and physical support, enhancing fun, budgeting, driving and activity planning 24 hours a day while on trips. Vols must be willing to assist with all Adult Daily Living skills (brushing teeth, separating dirty clothes, showering etc). This is very challenging work, yet also very rewarding and fun. Experience working with this population is an asset but not required. Training will be provided. Between trips, some light office work or assistance is required.

Requirements: Responsible, motivated vols age 21+ with drivers license strongly preferred. No alcohol during trips. Fluent English. VFP Motivation form and

phone/Skype interview required.

Food: See Accommodation

Accommodation: While on trips you will stay in hotels. In between trips, you will stay at a youth hostel. Volunteers will be responsible for their own meals, transportation and activities when not on a trip.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: VFP does not provide insurance for volunteers on this project. Sprout insurance only covers volunteers when they are on group trips.

Fees: None

Visa: –

Others: –

6.1.2.7 House and Building Restoration

Theme:	Others
Location	New Orleans, Louisiana
Duration:	Minimum 1 month, Maximum 3 months
Application:	Applications are accepted year round. Placement takes up to 2 weeks and may require a Skype interview.
Vacancies	15
Languages:	
↔ Project:	English
↔ Local:	English

Project Description:

Non-political, secular organization dedicated to helping this historic neighborhood recover and return to its former vibrant self.

Work: Experienced carpenters, roofers, plumbers, painters and other tradesmen needed for rebuilding homes in the flood-damaged Lower Ninth Ward of New Orleans. Unskilled volunteers will be trained by skilled staff. All aspects of home rebuilding will be addressed, from roofing to finish carpentry. 5-day week of full work days. Medium-term volunteers provide free labor to neighborhood residents, so they can return home after Hurricanes Katrina and Rita.

Requirements: VFP Motivation Form required. Volunteers must have some English language skills in order to ensure workplace safety. EXTRA FEE: USD480 regardless of length of stay. Fee due in US Dollars upon arrival.

Food: Housing is in dormitory style bunkrooms. No smoking in the house. No drugs allowed. Vegetarian meals available.

Accommodation: Housing is in dormitory style bunkrooms. No smoking in the house. No drugs allowed. Vegetarian meals available.

Pocket money: None

Insurance: SCI Insurance is provided for all volunteers.

Fees: 480 USD one time payment. Housing, food and supplies.

Visa: Visa may be required depending on the country the volunteer comes from.
VFP provides required invitation letter.

Others: –