



Project “FIND YOURSELF IN VOLUNTEERING”
European voluntary service in Bratislava, Slovakia
01.06.2018 – 30.09.2018

We are currently looking for one motivated volunteer from Germany to take part in a European Voluntary Service in Bratislava, the capital city of Slovakia. The project is already approved.

Sending organisation: European Intercultural Forum e. V. (reference 947425191 in the EVS database) and website: <http://european-intercultural-forum.org/>

Hosting organisation: Bratislava Volunteering Centre, (reference 946398349 in the EVS database) and website: <http://www.dobrovolnictvoba.sk>

About the project:

We involve the inhabitants of Bratislava and the Bratislava region into activities that benefit the place they live in and the people who need their help. We also teach organizations how to work with volunteers: we match organizations with volunteers and vice versa; we communicate with volunteers and provide them with information; we recommend volunteers to organizations, inform new volunteers about volunteer opportunities, about their rights, duties, ethical principles, and we ask about their expectations; we reward and support volunteers; we provide trainings, consultations, and supervisions in the field of volunteer management; create new volunteer programmes; cooperate with schools and companies etc <http://www.dobrovolnictvoba.sk>

General objectives of the project:

Through this project we would like to contribute to the personal development of an EVS volunteer, to the development of services of BVS and the strengthening of local communities in Bratislava and Bratislava region.

The main role and tasks of the volunteer in the project will be:

1. To promote volunteering on secondary schools/ within students in Bratislava region and help them to find the right volunteer opportunity.
2. To promote volunteering in Bratislava region, inform foreigners about volunteer opportunities and this way give them a chance to find out where they can help.
3. To create a database of potential volunteers living in Bratislava region who are willing to volunteer.
4. Continue to develop the existing database of volunteer opportunities for Non-Slovak speakers through contacting and visiting different organizations working in Bratislava region.
5. To help BVC with organization of various activities for wide public and NGOs and involving especially young volunteers into volunteer events in Bratislava region.
6. To help in our partners organizations (based on what volunteer choose- spending time with children, seniors, people with disabilities, administrative work atc.) on regular basis
7. To contribute regularly to the blog on our webpage, about his/her EVS experience in BVC (<https://www.dobrovolnictvoba.sk/europska-dobrovolnicka-sluzba/evs-diary/>), about volunteering in Bratislava and about our partners organization and our projects.
8. Develop photographical skills, as volunteer will help with photo documentation of various events and volunteering activities.
9. If volunteer has a graphic design skills or/and is willing to develop them, he/she will be welcome to come with his/her own ideas, proposals for a new propagation material of BVC.
10. To create her/his own volunteer based project and work on it during the EVS in BVC.

During the service, the volunteer will acquire following competencies: intercultural learning and working in a multicultural team, knowledge of volunteering/ management of volunteers, history/culture

of Bratislava and Slovakia, communication skills, organization skills, knowledge about the evs, creativity, problem solving, team work, individual work. time management, tolerance and respect, and solidarity and active citizenship

Application procedures: send Europass-CV and motivation letter in English to eif.volunteer@gmail.com

Deadline for application: March 15, 2018

Profile of the candidates:

- responsible, creative and motivated person open to new challenges
- no qualification or experience in the area of development of volunteering needed
- communicative, willing to work with people but able to work by her/his own too
- fluency in English an advantage, but not necessary
- willing to learn and come up with new ideas
- interest in writing, photography and graphic design is an advantage, but not a must
- resident in Germany (of any citizenship) and age 18-28 years old

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