Shades of volunteering



The project's mission

We are searching for 2 volunteers to bring happiness to kindergartens and to different target groups by handcrafting, music and art. You will be invited to bring joy especially to kindergartens, schools, elderly people's homes and disabled people's houses. They appreciate your songs in your language, they will enjoy dancing and playing with you or make handcraft workshops with your leading. We are waiting for your proactivity and creative ideas as well. During your volunteering you would also make workshops, create funny outdoor activities and sport activities. In conclusion, you would make complex activities for the everyday life of children and the other target groups. In the summer, the volunteers would also make an English camp for Hungarian teenagers in collaboration with foreigner university students of Szeged.

Talentum Foundation

TALENTUM ALAPÍTVÁNY AZ ÖNKÉNTESSÉG TÁMOGATÁSÁÉRT

We are a regional volunteer center coordinating local and international volunteers. Besides we organize trainings in the topic of volunteer management, museum volunteering, hospital volunteering and elderly care.

The location: Szeged

Szeged is a regional center on the Great Hungarian Plain of Hungary as the third biggest town of the country, located 160 km from Budapest. It is often referred to as The City of Sunshine in Hungary, as on average, it receives the biggest number of sunlit hours a year. Szeged offers a lot of places like festivals, museums, cinemas and pubs, and the vibrant atmosphere attracts more and more people in every season. The University of Szeged is among the best in the country, and with its 25,000 students, it contributes significantly to Szeged's youthful picture.



Your tasks

You will be invited to bring joy to kindergartens, schools, elderly people's homes or clubs, and disabled people's houses with music and art. They appreciate your songs in your language, they will enjoy dancing with you or make handcraft workshops with your leading. We are waiting for your proactivity and creative ideas as well. These target groups like to hear about other cultures and traditions. For this purpose, we'll ask you to make presentations about your country, gastronomy, folk songs or dance and traditions.

Your task will be to speak about your country and culture in different institutions, intercultural events, and to promote the international mobility to make more people experience this special journey. In the summer, the volunteers would also make an English camp for Hungarian teenagers in collaboration with foreigner university students of Szeged. Our goal is to help as many young adults as possible to let them travel and get experiences and to develop their skills.

The social media is very important for us, on our platforms we advertise our programs and share our work. We would like to request you to post pictures, videos about your ESC experience on Instagram and Facebook, too.

One of the tasks is also the preparation and administration of your work and working together with the Talentum's coworkers in the office.







Ideal volunteer

You are our ideal volunteer if you can **play an instrument**, **love to sing** and have a portable instrument. We can provide you simple instruments such as flute, guitar, synthesizer. Also, you are the perfect applicant if you can **speak English fluently**, you are **communicative**, **socially sensitive and creative**. The ideal candidate likes to do **handcrafts**, to lead workshops and does **not worry about talking in front of people**.







Supports

Volunteers will receive pocket money and monthly allowance for food and livelihood every month. We'll give you a public transport monthly ticket, and you can also use our bicycles. Travel costs are covered under a limit defined by the European Solidarity Corps. Our applicants will receive free HENNER health insurance.



Accommodation

The volunteers will stay in a flat in a ten-storey house (with an elevator) on the 9th floor with a beautiful view to a park with a small lake. The volunteers will sleep in seperated bedrooms. Although we can provide simple circumstances, the kitchen is equipped, with a washing machine and hair dryer in the bathroom, bed linen and towels can be also found in the apartment. Supermarkets, public transport are very easily accessible.

Application & selection

APPLICATION DEADLINE: IST DECEMBER 2024

The application should be submitted with a professional CV and a motivational letter specifically written for this project in the European Solidarity Corps system.

We will gladly accept it if you also attach a portfolio to your application. Its content can be anything, which fits the program professionally.

If we like your CV and motivations, we'll invite you to an online interview (appr. 30 min.) based on the order of application.

Hope to see you soon at Talentum in Szeged!



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DO YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS ABOUT VOLUNTEERING WITH US?

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