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Nicaragua: February 15 to March 29, 2014

Six (6) week Youth Leaders in Action Project: Community Health Education & Prevention of Violence

Canada World Youth is seeking 18 youth volunteers aged 17 to 25 to take part in a six-week internship in Nicaragua with a focus on community health, gender equity, and prevention of violence against women. English will be the primary language for the project, but come prepared to practice your Spanish with the host community!

What you'll do...

The youth volunteers will support a community health-based project.

Here is what past participants have done:

- Facilitation of mural painting workshops for school children and teenagers in order to address gender equity issues and prevention of violence against women.
- Promotion of an arts based community engagement project in which your actions will also have an impact on the health of community members, particularly that of women and children.
- Teaching English in local schools and learning Spanish from the local youth.

The details...

You will receive training prior to departure and benefit from the support of a Canadian Project Supervisor and a Project Supervisor Intern for the duration of the program, who will oversee your health and safety in the field throughout your stay in Nicaragua as well as facilitate your return to Canada. The volunteers will also be supported by a Nicaraguan Project Supervisor and our Nicaraguan partner FUNARTE. They will stay with local host families during their time abroad.



Before you go...

To take part in this CWY project, YOU will need to:

- Pay a \$250 participation fee
- Pay your project costs ranging from \$2200 - \$2600. Act fast to benefit from an early bird amount!
- Cover your pre-program expenses: (medical exam, passport, vaccines, Criminal Record Check with vulnerable persons sector)
- Bring your own spending money

Here's what WE cover:

- Domestic & International travel
- Food & lodging
- Insurance (life and liability insurance in both countries and health insurance overseas)

****Canada World Youth is committed to equity in recruitment and diversity. We highly encourage applications from aboriginal youth, visible and ethnic minorities, persons with disabilities, persons of minority sexual orientations and gender identities, and others who may contribute to nurture the diversity of our volunteer teams.**

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Six (6) week Youth Leaders in Action Project: Food Security & Rural Entrepreneurship

Canada World Youth is seeking 18 diverse volunteers aged 17 to 25 to take part in a six-week internship with a focus on food security and rural entrepreneurship in Nicaragua. English will be the primary language for the project, but come prepared to practice your Spanish with the host community !

What you'll do...

The youth volunteers will support a rural entrepreneurial project. Past volunteers have taken part in some of these activities :

- Elaboration and support of a medicinal plant garden in Palmira
- Development and maintenance of green spaces in the community (schools, workshops, parks, health centre)
- Trail restoration, *Eco Lodge* maintenance, and soil leveling for gardens
- Working alongside rural youth entrepreneurs in the areas of production and food processing.
- Working alongside community artisans in Palmira.

The details...

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- Cover your pre-program expenses: (medical exam, passport, vaccines)
- Bring your own spending money

Here's what WE cover:

- Domestic & international travel
- Food & lodging
- Insurance (life and liability insurance in both countries and health insurance overseas)
- An amazing experience!

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