

Youth and Education Focused Internship Opportunities

<i>Education Internship</i>	
Job Title	Education Intern
Internship Focus	Sustainable Tourism and Education
Community Partner	Fundación Alfarcito
Location	Salta, Argentina
Partner Profile	Fundación Alfarcito is made up of resident volunteers of the Quebrada del Toro, Salta, San Lorenzo, Rosario de Lerma, and Campo Quijiano with the mission of discovering, evaluating, and sustainably developing the latent capabilities of the people and communities who live in the hills of Roasario de Lerma. Alfarcito collaborates with residents to assess the tools available and actions needed to strengthen education, training, and the entrepreneurial potential of the region.
Internship Description	Fundación Alfarcito is seeking an education intern to help support educational projects focused on sustainable tourism. Since tourism is a growing sector in Salta, many small communities are trying to stimulate local economies through sustainable tourism. The intern will have the chance to work with diverse sets of people and travel to rural areas of Salta.

<i>Educational Outreach Internship</i>	
Job Title	Educational Outreach Intern
Internship Focus	Environmental Sustainability
Community Partner	Alerta Verde
Location	Cochabamba, Bolivia
Partner Profile	The Foundation "Green Alert" aims to improve the quality of life for the well-being of present and future generations through environmental projects of awareness, education, research and development in urban and rural areas. Among the projects to be developed, are urban horticulture, organic and sustainable agriculture, waste management, improvement of public health to improve the environment, food safety, mitigating the effects of climate change, recovery of environmental habits of our ancestors, and in general raising environmental awareness.
Internship Description	The Educational Outreach Intern will work with Alerta Verde to make sure that their educational programming goes smoothly. This position requires daily travel to local schools, some quite far away. Educational sessions are also frequently held in Alerta Verde's example garden. The interns job is to work with the organization to evaluate, improve, and/or expand their educational outreach. Though knowledge of community gardens and environment basics will be very useful, they are not necessary to apply for this position. It is highly recommended that if you do not have an environmental background, that you do extensive research before arrival.

<i>Childhood Development Internship</i>	
Job Title	Childhood Development Intern
Internship Focus	Youth and Education
Community Partner	ALDEAS SOS
Location	Cochabamba, Bolivia
Partner Profile	Aldeas Infantiles SOS is an international organization which offers a family to children who no

	<p>longer have one, while also teaching them the necessary skills to be able to support themselves and be successful in their lives. The Tiquipaya (area right outside Cochabamba) Aldeas Infantiles location is especially focused on educating these children in productive trades. The goal of Aldeas Infantiles SOS is to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Give children a healthy familial environment with a substitute mother, siblings and the warmth and security of a home and village. ● Create a community environment where children can share values and culture, meet new friends and contribute to its development ● Provide children with the tools to allow them to support themselves in the long run.
Internship Description	The Childhood Development Intern will devote the majority of his/her time to being in the classroom with the children of ALDEAS. He or she will observe and evaluate current methods being used in the classroom and collaborate with ALDEAS to improve upon these. This position focuses inside the classroom and the development of the child. Position requires much time in the classroom, but less traveling overall.

<i>Youth Engagement Internship</i>	
Job Title	Youth Engagement and Education Intern
Internship Focus	Youth and Education
Community Partner	Asociación de Padres de Familia con Hijos con Discapacidad (Los Pipitos)
Location	Ciudad Sandino, Nicaragua
Partner Profile	Los Pipitos is an association of parents and relatives of children, adolescents, and young people with impairments or disabilities. It seeks alternatives to bring their children forward, procure socio-emotional educational attention, recognition as subjects of law; and under this perspective, to promote changes in society so that children with disabilities are respected and able to exercise their human rights. Our aim is to empower families to have a social impact in order to achieve a better quality of life for their children.
Internship Description	Pipitos is seeking an intern to support the Learning Center for Life (CAV) in teaching crafts to children and young people with disabilities from recycled material, which will serve as therapy in promoting their development. The ideal candidate will be creative; skilled in manual work; and able to patiently interact with persons with disabilities. They will also have respect for disabilities and human rights; respect for different cultures; and have a basic command of Spanish.

<i>Youth Engagement Internship</i>	
Job Title	Youth Enrichment Intern
Internship Focus	Youth and Education
Community Partner	Sabatia Initiative for Sustainable Community Development (SAIDE)
Location	Kakamega, Kenya
Partner Profile	SAIDE aims to empower and promote participation of vulnerable and disadvantaged members of the society in socio- economic activities through capacity building, training, research and the establishment of IGAs for sustainable development.
Internship Description	SAIDE is seeking an innovative intern who is passionate about literacy and extracurricular to establish mechanisms for sustainability of their existing programs (e.g. debate, mentorship, computer instruction), and to implement additional programs to enhance literacy in the Sabatia area. A background in or some basic knowledge of fundraising would be beneficial (though a willing attitude is welcome as well), since one of SAIDE's desires is for guidance in this area. SAIDE has already seen exciting results in developing a local culture of reading, and would offer the opportunity to work with school-age youth, and overall, a meaningful internship experience.

<i>Youth Development Internship</i>	
Job Title	Youth Development Intern

Internship Focus	Youth and Education
Community Partner	Shibwe Subdistrict Hospital
Location	Kakamega, Kenya
Partner Profile	Shibwe Hospital's mission is to provide a wide range of health services to the rural areas in and around the community of Shibwe.
Internship Description	Shibwe is seeking an intern to bridge gaps between the community and facility, and champion the establishment of a Youth-Friendly Center, where young men and women ("youth" being individuals up through mid-20s) feel safe and welcome seeking relevant medical information and assistance. The intern will work with current staff members, several of whom have already been trained on best practices for such a Center, and who can help the intern ensure the project's long-term sustainability through community involvement and empowerment.

<i>Youth Development Internship</i>	
Job Title	Youth Skill-Building & Education Intern
Internship Focus	Youth and Education
Community Partner	Community Transformation Foundation Network (COTFONE)
Location	Masaka, Uganda
Partner Profile	COTFONE is a registered charity that focuses on improving the lives of marginalized populations targeting orphaned and vulnerable children (OVCS) below the age of 17 in the Masaka district. By developing community-based initiatives, this organization works to address the basic unmet needs of underprivileged children & their families.
Internship Description	COTFONE is seeking an intern that would focus on educating children affected/infected with HIV/AIDS that lack access to a complete and safe education. The intern will help the orphans and vulnerable children (OVC) gain the knowledge, life skills, technical and vocational training and attitudes needed to achieve their potential and secure their future. Interns will work to evaluate the current program to assess needs and resources; Assist in strategic planning and program development; Participate in grant writing and fundraising process to acquire more program resources and equipment; Promote knowledge and technical skill to target populations; Facilitate apprenticeship programs to build capacity; other work assigned by the supervisor.

<i>Youth Empowerment Internship</i>	
Job Title	Youth Empowerment Intern
Internship Focus	Youth and Education
Community Partner	Support Activities in Poverty Eradication and Health (SAIPEH)
Location	Kakamega, Kenya
Partner Profile	SAIPEH provides structural and sustainable support services to alleviate poverty and increase ways of improving the living standards of all members of the community, especially orphans and vulnerable children, youth, women and the marginalized. The organization develops strategies and initiatives at the grassroots level in the community that will enable these groups to be self-supported and independent.
Internship Description	The Youth Empowerment Internship opportunity is multi-faceted, and could include: working with education and scholarship programs for bright but needy students who otherwise have no way to attend school, and in this way empowering them to work hard for a bright future. SAIPEH is also seeking to bolster its programming at a care center that offers additional support services to local Orphans and Vulnerable Children (OVCS).