



Are you curious about Romanian culture, myths and traditions?

We will introduce you to the country of Dracula! But, first...

Let us introduce ourselves as:

- the fruitful outcome of years of teamwork and development in the NGO sector regardless of beautiful or sad moments, crossroads or clear roads, open hands, emotions or discovering, hopes or fears.

- a team which have the will of changing the world near them into a better one, who share the same value systems and common interests, and are eager to grow because of the ideas promoted every day

- putting soul in everything we do:

<http://www.millenniumcenter.org>

<http://www.clusters.evsromania.ro>

- still working on:

<http://www.volunteers.ro>

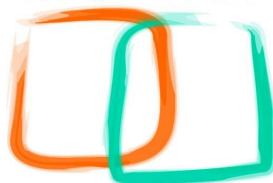
Get yourself a ticket to:



*activities and eligibility criteria described on the next pages

Gets in to Arad, Romania!

Ready to catch it?



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Who offers:

- young people the suitable environment and necessary resources for knowing and respecting all the legal rights and obligations of themselves
- support youth initiatives and ideas through upholding and supporting them at all levels
- promoting ideas of ecological principles, environment protection, promotes blood donations through local campaigns as an important gesture of every individual
- members the opportunity to participate in various thematically projects, trainings and seminars organized in the framework of "YiA" Program
- young people the possibility to become volunteers in EVS projects as well as implementing EVS projects in Romania such as "Youth for Youth II" and "Cultural Clusters - To be discovered"



Sending organizations have to:

- be accredited as a sending organization (meaning to have an EI reference number which will have to be sent to us)
- take a look here: http://ec.europa.eu/youth/evs/aod/hei_en.cfm and see if your organization is accredited or not
- send us a contact (phone number of the person in charge of EVS projects, e-mail and other relevant contact if you may consider useful for further communication)
- be from: European Union state members, Iceland, Turkey, Liechtenstein, Norway, Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Croatia, Former Yugoslav, Republic of Macedonia (FYROM), Montenegro, Serbia, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Moldova, Russian Federation, Ukraine, Algeria, Egypt, Israel, Jordan, Lebanon, Morocco, Palestinian Authority of the West Bank and Gaza Strip, Syria, Tunisia or other countries of the world
- send us the Part III form (Partnership agreement) which is attached with all fields completed on the fax, no. 0040 357 408524 or as a scanned copy at evsexpress@gmail.com and after that 2 (two) originals on our address before 25th of august 2008 even though you don't have now interested volunteers to participate

EVSEXPRESSION is more.

Just make the first step.

"[...] my first impression started in the road, then we were driving to Abrud. I was really astonished if I saw cows on the road. I had heart that cows are running on the car roads, but I was thinking that its more overloaded story [...]" (Kaire Tekku—volunteer in the "Cultural Clusters—To be discovered" project)

"[...] I can't say my first experience teaching English and volunteering abroad has been altogether stress free [...] Still, getting to know my students dramatically increased the extent to which they allowed me to teach them. Day by day and joke by joke, the kids have warmed up to me as both their academic authority and their friend [...]" The kids have given me a gift I never expected: they've taught their teacher how meaningful the craft of teaching can be [...]" I'm really beginning to comprehend the truth behind the notion that touching kids' minds does indeed spark transformations in their lives [...]" (Wesam Mulla—volunteer in the "Cultural Clusters—To be discovered" project)

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Volunteers have to:

- be people from 18 to 30 years old
- be available from 4 up to 12 months
- be able to speak English at least at a basic level of understanding
- be flexible enough to work 4-5 hours/day, 5 days/week but oriented towards achieving objectives
- send a CV and a motivational letter to evsexpress@gmail.com emphasizing their interest in the project and background
- send us their contact (phone number, e-mail, other relevant contact like Yahoo messenger ID, Skype ID, etc)
- pleased to develop activities in small communities as: Arad, Alba, Hunedoara, Bihor and Galati as well as historical areas such as Maramures, Transilvania, or Moldova (Tara Oasului, etc)
- able to face challenge and ready for unpleasant moments as well, as it's not a vacation, but an opportunity given to improve your-self

We will:

- cover food, accommodation, pocket money
- provide mobile phones and internet access
- provide a mentor, a local coordinator and a Romanian lessons teacher
- give opportunity to the volunteers to develop own initiatives and to travel around Romania

Still not convinced? Just turn the page...



1. Street animation?

Do you enjoy working with kids? Do you like fishing game, making jewelry, face painting, bag jumping, drawing? Here is your place!!!



Other former volunteer briefs:

- “Teaching English.
- Being a country boy. An interview on the local TV channel.
- Hitchhiking as a mean of public transport. Meeting the local Roma community. Having a baby-deer at home.
- Circling around a church during orthodox Easter. Just a few examples of things I never dreamt of before coming to Arad, but which became reality. Expect the unexpected.”
- Olwin Schrauwen (actual volunteer in Millennium Center—“Cultural Clusters—To be discovered” project)

2. Activities in youth centers and youth camps?



Interested in promoting events organised by the local youth structures and local communities?

Interested in discovering the ethno-cultural diversity from one place, developing the abilities achieved in an educational context, losing prejudices and be more tolerant towards others and other cultures? Here is your place.

We teach you intercultural sensitivity, empathy and confidence in yourself. You learn about civic rights, get more knowledge about the roles and responsibilities of institutions of these kind in our society, you learn how to act with solidarity with local communities and people and you will know what means to respect values of equality and privacy.



3. Corporate Social Responsibility?



A concept whereby organizations consider the interests of society by taking responsibility for the impact of their activities on shareholders, communities as well as the environment. This

obligation is seen to extend beyond the statutory obligation to comply with legislation and sees organizations voluntarily taking further steps to improve the quality of life for employees and their families as well as for the local community and society at large.

4. Intercultural communication



Training?

To be a good intercultural communicator means to have real abilities in understanding the others and their perspective of thinking. These abilities have to be developed and improved per-

manently. There are the main thing in achieving each interpersonal ability and the more you know about how this things work, the better you will know how to communicate.

- Individual communication?
- How does the communication actually works?

Methods or ways of communication going through conflict resolution and much more expects you. Verbal or non-verbal, we all communicate. Let's do it well!



5. Blood donation campaign?

We believe everybody can imagine life and death, everybody knows how it is to see a man suffering, an injured man,



a baby borned with problems, persons that can live (or not!) depending on (or not...) a reserve of blood. Depending on the possibility and willingness to donate of everyone of us.



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