Erasmus+ Programme

EUROPEAN SOLIDARITY CORP
VOLUNTEER Project

Activity Agreement

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| **A. Partner names and division of responsibilities** |
| Project details |  |
| Coordinating organisation | Asociación Juvenil INTERCAMBIA Málaga -Spainwww.europaerestu.euinfo@intercambia.orgTlfno 952002774 / 672028985ECS Contact Person: Pedro Muñoz |
| Hosting organisation | Asociación Juvenil INTERCAMBIA Málaga -Spainwww.europaerestu.euinfo@intercambia.orgTlfno 952002774 / 672028985ECS Contact Person: Pedro Muñoz |
| Sending organisation Details  |  |
| Volunteer details  |  |
| Starting dates: |  |
| Ending dates: |  |

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| **B. Division of rights and responsibilities among organisations and volunteer** |
| Coordinating Organisation | * To bear financial and administrative responsibility for the entire project towards the National Agency
* To coordinate the project in cooperation with the Sending and Hosting organisation
* To distribute the ECS grant between the partners and the volunteer
* To assure a transparent preparation of the volunteer, the Coordinating Organisation can require a full justification of the sending activity costs (bills, invoices etc).
* To ensure that the volunteer attends the full ECS Training and Evaluation Cycle, including the on-arrival training and the mid-term evaluation taking place in SPAIN
* To ensure, with the Sending and Host Organisations, that volunteer is covered by the obligatory ECS group Cigna Insurance plan
* To ensure travel arrangements in cooperation with the Sending Organisation and the volunteer ,
* To Book return Tickets from hosting country to home before two last month of project ending date.
* Coordinationg can not afford Travel costs if they are done without Coordination Authoritzation.
* To identify a qualified mentor who is responsible for providing personal support to the volunteer. (if hosting can not provide).
* To provide suitable accommodation for the volunteer, selected by hosting organization.
* To encourage contact with other ECS volunteers whenever possible
* To transfer to the volunteer monthly pocket money and food allowance in the beginning of the month.
* To arrange language learning opportunities through Online Linguistic Support Platform (ONLINE LANGUAGUE COURSE)
* **In case of COORDINATING/SUPPORTING Organization ESC cancelation, volunteer will have to leave project, flat and activity program in 7 days after notification.**
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| Host Organisation | * To offer supervision and guidance to the volunteer through experienced staff and orientates the volunteer in the new working placement and duties after the arrival
* To provide personal support to the volunteer by well integrating the volunteer in the organisation.
* To cooperate with the project partners, including in conflict solving and crises management, and regularly communicates the project progress with the Coordinating Organisation and Sending organization.
* To offer to the volunteer the opportunity to carry out a well-defined set of tasks (allowing some of the volunteer’s ideas, creativity and experience to be integrated) and in cooperation with the Coordinating Organisation identifies clear learning opportunities for the volunteer
* To support volunteer in filling the Youthpass certificate for those volunteer who want to recieve it at the end of their ECS Activity.
* Medical Support (if is it needed)
* Issuing the Youthpass for the volunteer
* **In case of Hosting Organization cancelation, volunteer will have to leave project, flat and activity program in 7 days after notification.**
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| Sending Organisation | * To help the volunteer to find and contact a Host Organisation
* To provide information about the Erasmus+ Programme and ECS as a non-formal learning possibility (including the Youthpass)
* To ensure the participation of the volunteer in the pre-departure training course or organise preparation training/meeting for the volunteer
* To provide adequate preparation (cultural, language, task related) for the volunteer before departure, according to the individual needs of the volunteer
* To inform the volunteer about the ECS group Insurance plan foreseen in the Erasmus+ Programme and gives all necessary information to the volunteer about the CIGNA procedures
* in case the volunteer cancels his/her participation in the ECS project, the Sending Organisation has to send an official cancellation letter (stating mentioning the reason of the cancellation, the volunteer´s signature and the date) to the Coordinating Organisation and identify new volunteer applicants
* To provide the Coordinating Organisation a full description of the sending activities carried out before the departure of the volunteer within one month after volunteers arrival to host country.
* In a demand of coordinating organisation provide all the financial justification of sending costs (bills, invoices etc)
* To keep in contact with the volunteer and the Coordinating Organisation during the whole project
* To ensure the participation of the volunteer in the evaluation of the Activity
* To give the volunteer the opportunity to exchange and share experiences and encourages the involvement of the volunteer in dissemination and exploitation of results
* To provide guidance regarding further education, training or employment opportunities
* To support the travel of the volunteer to the host country.in cooperation with the Coordinating Organisation.
* To cover from, preparation costs and organization budget, overcosts or damages that volunteer will not cover make during the project, or flight cancelations.
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| Volunteer | * **To read and understand the “Activity Agreement” and “ECS Charter” documents**
* To be actively involved in the preparation and evaluation phases of the activity
* To attend all trainings and information sessions related with the project, before, during and after the ECS placement
* To show commitment to the Sending, Coordinating and the Host organisation and the ECS programme
* To be actively engaged in dialogue with the Host and Coordinating organisation, especially with his/her Project Coordinator and his/her Mentor
* To expresse any concerns, problems or suggestions for improvements
* To carry out dissemination and exploitation activities together in cooperation with the coordinator/host organisation as planned in the application and agreed during the activity and write the Final Report and the Youthpass in the end of the Project
* Participate actively in the monthly evaluation meetings held by the Hosting Organisation or Coordinating if Hosting can not offer.
* To cover over budget of travel costs from the home country to the host country,
* To conclude and sign final report and docs needed before departure to home.
* **Accommodation: to respect the neighbours and the living conditions in the apartment. To take financial responsibility in case of any major damage done in the apartment.**
* **To send a monthly report to coordinating organization about his/her project life.**
* **To respect the signed contract. In case of leaving the project due to educational or professional reasons (finding a job, starting a university degree etc), the volunteer has to cover the costs of a month of his/her apartment rent. In this case the Coordinating Organisation CANNOT cover the cost of return ticket.**
* **To book tickets from Sending Country to Hosting Country previous information and approval of coordinating organization, it has to be done before 1st July.**
* **In case of Volunteer cancelation, volunteer will have to leave project, flat and activity program in 7 days after notification.**
* **VOLUNTEER has to be aware that this is an EUROPEAN program with public funds, focus on personal learning and personal development, not for tourims, holidays or just for languague aims porpouse, hostng has the right to cancel in case volunteer does not fit to Erasmus+ Program Objetives**
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| **C. Division of the Community grant** |
| The Coordinating Organisation will receive the grant and take responsibility for payments to the partners as follows: |
| Applicant organisation / **AJ INTERCAMBIA****18 € x 274** | Total:  |
| Sending organisation / Sending activity costs: Option A) > FACE TO FACE PREPARATION 7% of 18 € by daysOption B) > JUST ONLINE PREPARATION 3% of 18 € by days(The cost of the sending organisation will be paid based on the invoice issued by the Sending Organisation within 30 days after receiving the last part of the community grant from the ERASMUS+ Program from Spaninh National Agency. In case the volunteer is not prepared for the project, or Sending Organisation does not send preparation report and volunteer confirms that he/she has not recieved any preparation the Coordinating Organisation has the right to cut the sending activity costs. The transfer will be done in 1 part | Total: a) b)  |
| TRAVEL COSTS (maximun budget avaible)(Acoording to Erasmus+ regulation) |  |
| Volunteer / Volunteers allowance 150 € per month (nº MONTHS) | Total:  |

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| **D. Role and tasks of the volunteer:**  |
| Our organisation can offer volunteers different learning elements: how a youth organisation works in Spain, different working methodologies with youth,...Another learning element is related with the search and diffusion of youth information, one of our mainstays, as they will study local, regional, national and international information sources and diffuse it among youth, as we see that many information does not reach youth.Another important aspect: development of social and cultural skills, as volunteers will have the opportunity of relating with an enormous number of youth from very different backgrounds and this will provide volunteers with a real view of youth in Spain.Another learning aim: related with the use of new technologies, as we work with web platforms, graphic supports, videos,... in our different campaigns and activities, so volunteers may also develop this field.Volunteers will also learn Spanish language, as this is our working language. Furthermore, they can also learn English and German (if they have some basic knowledge of them), as we have contact with international organisations.Volunteers will participate in the normal working hours, with the mentor or responsible of the activity. Volunteers will participate in different activities:* Promotion of intercultural participation and learning. We manage an information desk in Malaga (Europa Más Cerca), in which local youth are informed about European mobility programmes. Volunteers may help giving information and counselling.
* We also help and advise other organisations to develop European programmes. Volunteers also participate.
* We also organise seminars and information sessions related with Europe, European Citizenship, as well as other more informal activities (cinema forum, multicultural meetings,...) in which we diffuse information about the EU, intercultural values and participation. In this campaigns, volunteers may present their European citizenship experience.
* We also participate in and organise other YiA actions, so the groups receive pre-departure training with the aim of giving more value to their multicultural experience, so in this training process, EVS volunteers may talk about their experience of living in another culture and country.
* Campaigns of promotion of volunteering. We organise workshops and training seminars together with the Andalusian volunteering agency and citizen participation area, at a local and regional scale. Volunteers may collaborate with these activities with the training team in the whole process: contact with organisations, planning training sessions, development and evaluation of sessions and they may also form active part of them if they want to talk about their experience as a volunteer.
* Youth Information. Volunteers will search, select and diffuse local, regional and national youth information with the mentor through the organisation's web site and electronic bulletins.
* We form part of Eurodesk, so volunteers may have access to the information site and help youth using this service to solve their questions about Europe.
* We work on YOUTH INFORMATION FIELD on
	+ WEBSITE
	+ FACEBOOK
	+ INSTAGRAM
* SPORTS EVENTS
* Information and raising-awareness campaigns about Europe. We participate in several projects to make the EU and the possibilities it gives youth known, so volunteers may participate in this projects.

Volunteers will have a mentor for all these activities and will never be responsible for them. |

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| **E. Practical arrangements** |
| Working hours (Maximun 38 Hors according to ESC regulation in Spain) | MONDAY TO FRIDAY FROM 9:00 TILL 15:00SOME MONDAYS AND/OR THURSDAY FROM 17:00 TILL 20:00 |
| Food | Volunteers could cook their meals by their own in their flats, they are going to receive 150 euros each month. |
| Accommodation | *Accommodation will be in rented flats shared with other ESC volunteers or Spanish people. They will be provided with standard equipment and essential household goods. and electricity, water, gas will be covered by the hosting organization. Internet connection is not facilitated by the hosting organization.**Accomodattion info pack and flat rules will be provided, before to book tickets to project.**Volunteer will have to make 300 euros Deposit that will be reimbursed once project is ended and volunteer leave tidy,clean and with no damage in the private room and commomn areas* |
| Local transport | Local transport will be priovided for distance over 2,5 km from home to office.If transport is needed, Each volunteer will have a chance to choose BIKE or BUS CARD |
| Holidays | **Holidays Days:** the volunteer will have 21 calendar days or 15 labour days of holidays that should be agreed with hosting organization. |
| Language Course | ONLINE PLATFORM PROVIDED BY COMISSION, There is no possibility to offer face to face languague support granted by the project costs., or modify activity program to attend to other languagues courses. |

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| **F. Expected learning outcomes*** Broader understanding about different cultures and nations, nurturing tolerance and open mindedness of the volunteer.
* New organisational and better abilities in operating a wide range of activities and facilities for the target group of the activity.
* Work with certain target group.
* Language and cultural skills. The format, duration and frequency of linguistic support depend greatly on volunteers’ needs and abilities.
* Experiences working in an intercultural team, development of teamwork, cooperation and communication skills.
* Knowledge about Erasmus+ programme and international projects.

Certification of learning acquired, through the *Youthpass* scheme. |
| **F1. Expected Activities**  |

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| **G. Partners and Volunteer signatures** |
| We, the undersigned, certify that all information contained in this application is truthful and accurate and that no relevant information has been withheld. We also undersigned tha like volunteer i get all details and info i was needed for this project, and questions I did not make before to sign are not important or relevant to carry out this project.We agree to carry out our part of the project, as specified in Part A to F above. We agree to comply with the guidelines of the *ERASMUS+* YOUTH Programme, the specific description of the project, the tasks of the volunteer, the starting and ending dates, the division of costs and other details as described in the application form. We will allow the European Commission and the National Agencies to make available and to use all data provided in this form for the purposes of managing the programme. The data, on paper or electronically, will always be used respecting the privacy of individual persons. We undertake to inform the National Agency of all changes affecting the project. |

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| **Supporting/Coordinating organisation** |  |
| Responisble person (name and position) |  |
| Date and place |  |
| Signature and stamp |  |
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| **Hosting organisation** | **(** |
| Responisble person (name and position) |  |
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| **Supporting/Sending organisation** |  |
| Responisble person (name and position) |  |
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| Signature and stamp |  |

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| **Volunteer** |  |
| Date and place |  |
| Signature |  |

This agreement is binding on all partner promoters and the volunteer involved in the Activity.

A copy of the signed Activity Agreement is handed out to all partner promoters and the volunteer involved in the Activity.