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ABOUT HOSTING PROGRAMS

COMMUNITY SERVICES WITH GO GLOBAL INDONESIA

GGI'S HOSTING PROGRAMS ARE CURATED TO ENSURE REAL IMPACT TO LOCAL COMMUNITIES, IN SUPPORT OF UNITED NATIONS' SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS (SDG) TO END POVERTY, PROTECT THE PLANET, AND ENSURE PROSPERITY FOR ALL.

CONTRIBUTE TO REAL EFFORTS

We work in partnership with local organizations on ground in Indonesia, contributing to the real efforts done by the local organizations to ensure maximum impact to the community.

ESTABLISHED ORGANIZATION & PARTNERSHIP

Go Global Indonesia is strongly supported by a network of volunteers that are spread out in all 20 chapters of Bina Antarbudaya in Indonesia.

We are a partner of AFS International and member of Sentio Global Education Network .

24 HOUR SUPPORT

Our program comes with the 24 hour local emergency contact and additional support from the local chapters & national office

**VOLUNTEER IN
DEAF-MUTE
COMMUNITY
DEVELOPMENT
PROGRAM**

in Bali



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1. PROGRAM OVERVIEW

Program Title

Community Service Program (Volunteering in an Inclusive Deaf-Mute Community in Bali)

Hosting Partner

Indonesia

Program Duration

4 weeks

8 weeks

12 weeks

Participant Type

Adult

Participant Age

18 – 30 years old

Skills Required

Knowledge and interests desired to volunteer in this program (participant's relevant skill will help us assign a suitable role for maximum impact):

1. Basic household and financial management
2. Waste management
3. Arts and crafts
4. Basic computer skills
5. Interest in tourism
6. Knowledge in sign language is a plus

Participants are NOT required to be an expert on the above skills (but would be beneficial if they do), as they will be sharing their knowledge of basic life skills with the local deaf-mute community.

Other Requirements

- Men & Women, 18-30 years old
- Open minded, flexible, self-aware with desire to be a culturally sensitive individual



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- Willing to adapt, learn and adjust in a foreign environment and work alongside people with disabilities
- Eager to contribute to the community development

Language Level

Ability to communicate with basic English. Basic knowledge of Indonesian and International Sign Language is an advantage.

Program Description

The program is situated in this small village of Bengkala, where the deaf-mute community known as the *Kolok* seamlessly interact and integrate with the rest of the people using the local sign language. It focuses on community development by facilitating basic life skill trainings, such as household financial management and development of various means of creative economy, as well as sustainable tourism, and literacy workshops. This program aims to take the integration of the deaf-mute population one step further, by giving them the equipment to financially and personally thrive.

Highlights of the program include:

- Become a part of a tight-knit community that embraces diversity
- Learn a new language in both spoken and sign
- Experience life in the pristine area of rural Bali
- An opportunity to share and exchange knowledge with people of completely different backgrounds
- Learn the often-overlooked beauty of deaf culture

Language Lessons & Extra Activities

Basic Indonesian lesson is provided. In between the volunteer work, participants can enjoy immersion activities to explore the beautifully captivating Bali. Learn more about the rich and vibrant Balinese culture by spending time with the locals. Discover the local history and mythology in their arts and souvenirs, which can be found in the local markets. During the downtime, volunteers can unwind at one of the sprawling, pristine beaches or lush rainforests that the island has to offer.

2. PROGRAM'S ARRIVAL-DEPARTURE DATE

We can facilitate arrivals at the beginning, the middle, or the end of the month. The orientations are included in the program duration.

3. VISA & TRAVEL

Types of Visa Needed

Social/Cultural Visa (Visa 211)



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Can Participants Extend Their Stay?

Possible, after program release

Visa Information

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 - b. Letter of invitation from the applicant's family/ relatives/ friends/ social organizations in Indonesia;
 - c. Evidence that the applicant has sufficient funds to maintain him/herself during his/her stay (e.g. a recent bank statement etc.) or a third-party letter guaranteeing to support the applicant financially during his/her stay, together with documentary evidence of ability to do so;
 - d. Evidence of obligation in the applicant's country of permanent residence (e.g. letter from the employer/college certifying the applicants' intention to return there after the visit to Indonesia). Visa validity is 60 days with a possible extension of 30 days up to four times.
2. During their stay in Indonesia, participants undergoing the program for 12 weeks will have to do a visa extension. Please follow these steps:
 - a. As soon as his/her arrival at the location, participant has to report to the nearest police station. (Participant will be assisted by a support case officer to get a living permit)
 - b. Before 60 days he/she must extend visa to local immigration office for a 30-day validation.

How Participants Travel to the Community

To reach the project location, participant will go on an approximately two-hour flight from the capital city (Jakarta) to the volunteering community in Bali, which is 953 km away from the capital city. The community project is located in the village of Bengkala, Buleleng regency, approximately 3 hours from the airport. Inland transportation allowance is also provided for the participants going to and from project site and their accommodation.

When Will Participants Meet Their Host Families

Immediately within 2 days after the Immediate Arrival Orientation.

Independent Travel Policy

Independent travel within the country is permitted only if travel waivers have been presented to the Go Global Indonesia office. The independent travels must not affect the compliance with the NGO partner's schedule, Go Global Indonesia's activities (national or local) or host family's activities



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previously scheduled or expected (including holidays). Independent travel outside the country is forbidden unless to obtain visa extension.

Participants' Extra Cost Upon Arrival

Visa extension will be paid by participants. The estimation cost is approximately USD 50 per extension.

4. ORIENTATIONS

Information to be Distributed to the Participant

Country information.

Immediate Arrival Orientation Location

Yes. Orientation will be held in the Capital City in Jakarta for 2 days. Transportation to and from the orientation location will be provided. If the project site is located outside of Jakarta, transportation (by ground or air) is covered in the program fee.

Arrival orientation activities include:

- Introduction of organization (YBA and GGI)
- Managing hopes and concerns
- Intercultural Learning Workshop
- Basic Bahasa Indonesia
- Project orientation
- Rules and regulations
- Emergency handling procedures

Mid-Stay Orientation

Yes. Orientation will be an online GCC session.

End-of-Stay Orientation

Yes. Orientation will be held in the capital city in Jakarta for 1 day. Transportation to and from the orientation location will be provided.

Description of Activities

Evaluation of program, families, work and experiences for the whole program.



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5. COUNTRY INFORMATION

Participant's Requirements	International Criteria	Country Criteria	Strong Preferences
Age limits (on arrival):	No international criteria	18 – 30 years old	-
Language upon arrival:	No international criteria	English	-
Health restrictions:	Candidates must be in a good medical health and meet partner health criteria	-	-

Environment & Geography

Bali may have made its name as one of the most-desired tourist destinations in the world, with bustling streets and vibrant nightlife. But in the heart of it, it remains abundant with tranquillity and natural beauty, which also houses some of the world's most diverse ecosystems, from spectacular coastlines, exuberant rainforests, to rugged volcanic hillsides.

Balinese people are known to be very hospitable and friendly. They are very keen on getting to know new people and introducing them to their culture and way of life. Volunteers can participate in traditional ceremonies or celebrations, or simply learn more about their values as a society. It is important to be respectful of the procedure of these occasions. Modest clothing is to be expected in most cases.

The people of Bengkulu are known for their strong sense of community and inclusiveness in the face of different abilities. Even though only 43 people identified as deaf-mute (also known as the *Kolok*) out of the total population of 3,039, over 80% of them can understand and communicate using the local sign language, the *kata Kolok*. The language is no longer only used to accommodate the deaf-mute people, but has since become one of the main ways for the entire community.

Smoking

The legal smoking age in Indonesia is 21. Smoking depends the host family's discretion and surrounding circumstances. Please consult the host family on what is considered appropriate in their home and community.

Religion

Bali has a majority Hindu population, and its values and practices can be found almost everywhere in the people's day-to-day lives. Daily offerings made of leaves and flowers can be found anywhere from the sidewalks to shop counters. Tree trunks are wrapped in black-and-white cloths. Communities continue to maintain strong family bonds and hold traditional ceremonies religiously. Ages-old traditions and values are simply integrated into their daily activities.



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Dietary Customs

Rice is the staple and is eaten at every meal in Indonesia. Vegetables, fish, and hot sauces are often served with the rice. Tea and coffee are the most common beverages, although the region also produces liquors called *arak* and *tuak*. Fresh fruit is widely available and is often eaten as dessert. Like most regional Indonesian cuisine, Balinese dishes are rich with spices. Bali is known for its *sate lilit*, or minced pork satay, although some may use chicken, beef or fish as an alternative.

About Indonesia in General

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**VOLUNTEER
IN ENGLISH
WITHOUT
BORDERS**

in West Java



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1. PROGRAM OVERVIEW

Program Title

Community Service Program (English Without Borders)

Hosting Partner

Indonesia

Program Duration

4 weeks

8 weeks

12 weeks

Participant Type

Adult

Participant Age

18 – 30 years old

Skills Required

Skills, knowledge, and interests desired to volunteer in this program (participant's relevant skill will help us assign a suitable role for maximum impact):

1. Fun learning
2. English teaching
3. Arts and crafts
4. Performing arts
5. Youth engagement

Participants are NOT required to be an expert on the above skills (but good if they do), as their role is imparting aspirations for the young learners and assisting their learning process in a creative and non-formal setting.

Other Requirements

- Men & Women, 18-30 years old
- Eager to inspire, open minded, flexible, self-aware with desire to be a culturally sensitive individual



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- Willing to adapt, learn and adjust in a foreign and sometimes challenging environment
- Keen to make a difference
- Ready to help communities and families find solutions, promote learning opportunities for marginalized/ underprivileged youths.

Language Level

Ability to communicate with basic English. Basic knowledge of Indonesian is an advantage.

Program Description

English Art Lab is established under the English Department of the Faculty of Humanities with the aims to empower children and young people through creative education. The organization has since worked on providing English learning opportunities for vulnerable and underserved youths, which continues to this day. They are also about to launch another applied theatre program that allows youths to explore social issues that confront them through performing arts.

Highlights of this program include:

- Contribute to the personal development of local children and young people
- Wonderful cultural exchange opportunity with local volunteers and fellows
- Challenge yourself in a range of exciting and fast-paced activities
- Experience a great campus and project life with diverse student volunteers and local communities

Language Lessons & Extra Activities

Basic Indonesian lesson is provided. In between the volunteer work, participants can enjoy immersion activities to bask in the campus life, try various yummy cuisines in the area, or hop on a short train ride to nearby city Bogor, which is famous for its botanical garden. There is also a wide variation of attractions and activities in the capital city, which is also very accessible.

2. PROGRAM'S ARRIVAL-DEPARTURE DATE

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We can facilitate arrivals at the beginning, the middle, or the end of the month. The orientations are included in the program duration.

3. VISA & TRAVEL

Types of Visa Needed

Social/Cultural Visa (Visa 211)

Can Participants Extend Their Stay?

Possible, after program release.



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Visa Information

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 - d. Evidence of obligation in the applicant's country of permanent residence (e.g. letter from the employer/college certifying the applicants' intention to return there after the visit to Indonesia). Visa validity is 60 days with a possible extension of 30 days up to four times.
2. During their stay in Indonesia, participants undergoing the program for 12 weeks will have to do a visa extension. Please follow these steps:
 - a. As soon as his/her arrival at the location, participant has to report to the nearest police station. (Participant will be assisted by a support case officer to get a living permit)
 - b. Before 60 days he/she must extend visa to local immigration office for a 30-day validation.

How Participants Travel to the Community

To reach the project location, participant will travel by car from the capital city (Jakarta) to the volunteering community which is located 20 km away from the capital city. The community project is located in the University of Indonesia campus in a nearby satellite city called Depok, West Java. Inland transportation allowance is also provided for the participants going to and from project site and their accommodation.

When Will Participants Meet Their Host Families

Immediately within 5 days after the Immediate Arrival Orientation.

Independent Travel Policy

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Participants' Extra Cost Upon Arrival

Visa extension will be paid by participants. The estimation cost is approximately USD 50 per extension.

4. ORIENTATIONS

Information to be Distributed to the Participant

Country information.

Immediate Arrival Orientation Location

Yes. Orientation will be held in the Capital City in Jakarta for 2 days. Transportation to and from the orientation location will be provided.

Arrival orientation activities include:

- Introduction of organization (YBA and GGI)
- Managing hopes and concerns
- Intercultural Learning Workshop
- Basic Bahasa Indonesia
- Project orientation
- Rules and regulations
- Emergency handling procedures

Mid-Stay Orientation

Yes. Orientation will be an online GCC session.

End-of-Stay Orientation

Yes. Orientation will be held in the Capital City in Jakarta for 1 day. Transportation to and from the orientation location will be provided.

Description of Activities

Evaluation of program, families, work and experiences for the whole program.

5. COUNTRY INFORMATION

Participant's Requirements	International Criteria	Country Criteria	Strong Preferences
Age limits (on arrival):	No international criteria	18 – 30 years old	-
Language upon arrival:	No international criteria	English	-
Health restrictions:	Candidates must be in a good medical	-	-



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Environment & Geography

Depok is a satellite city on the southern border of the capital city Jakarta. It houses several higher education institutions in the area, most notably the rural campus of University of Indonesia. The university is situated on a sprawling 790 acres of land, most of which are covered in lush greens and lakes. The area can be explored by the campus buses, which are available for free.

The area is mostly populated by university students and families. There are a lot of eateries and amenities that are famous among the local young people, but the sense of family and community remains very strong. People are generally very friendly and welcoming, either in a casual setting or a more formal event where traditions are involved. They are very keen on introducing their culture and community to their guests. It is important to be respectful of the procedure of these occasions. Modest clothing is to be expected in most cases.

Smoking

The legal smoking age in Indonesia is 21. Smoking depends the host family's discretion and surrounding circumstances. Please consult the host family on what is considered appropriate in their home and community.

Religion

Indonesia is a secular democratic country that has a Muslim majority population, whose calls for prayers (*adzan*) are heard through the local mosques five times a day. The practice of the religion can be seen in the small things in daily activities, such as expressions of greeting and farewell. Not all Muslim women wear headscarves, although most people (regardless of religion) would dress modestly and appropriately in general. The metropolitan area is known to be quite diverse, with people of minority faiths having their own congregations and places of worships.

Dietary Customs

Rice is the staple and is eaten at every meal in Indonesia. Vegetables, fish, and hot sauces are often served with the rice; specific dishes vary according to the region, although they are generally rich with spices. Sweet tea and coffee are the most common beverages. Fresh fruit is widely available and is often eaten as dessert. Popular meats include beef and chicken. Being in a Muslim majority area, most people do not eat pork or drink alcohol.

About Indonesia in General

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in Diversity"), articulates the diversity that shapes the country. Despite its large population and densely populated regions, Indonesia has vast areas of wilderness that support the world's second highest level of biodiversity. The country is richly endowed with natural resources, yet poverty remains widespread in contemporary Indonesia.

**VOLUNTEER
IN SPICE
JOURNEY
PROGRAM**

in Flores, East Nusa Tenggara



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1. PROGRAM OVERVIEW

Program Title

Community Service Program (Spice Journey Program in Eastern Indonesia)

Hosting Partner

Indonesia

Program Duration

4 weeks

8 weeks

12 weeks

Participant Type

Adult

Participant's Age

18 – 30 years old

Skills Required

Skills desired to volunteer in this program (participant's relevant skill will help us assign a suitable role for maximum impact):

1. English teaching
2. Social media/blogging
3. Organizing small events
4. Public engagement
5. Basic administrative skills
6. Interest in food production would be a plus

Participants are NOT required to be an expert on the above skills (but good if they do), as their role is to learn about artisan food production and contribute in developing those products for the local farmers.

Other Requirements

- Men & Women, 18-30 years old



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- Eager to inspire, open minded, flexible, self-aware with desire to be a culturally sensitive individual
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- Keen to make a difference
- Ready to help communities and families find solutions, promote learning opportunities for marginalized/ underprivileged youth.

Language Level

Ability to communicate with basic English. Basic knowledge of Indonesian is an advantage.

Program Description

The initiative was founded to help smallholder farmers preserve the agricultural ecosystem and maintain an attractive, lucrative, and self-sustainable business in a highly competitive global industry. This program consists of both outdoor work and general office activities. Volunteers will learn the concept of permaculture and various types of cultivation in the farm, and be involved in the process of making, testing, and packaging the products, as well as the service aspect of the industry.

Highlights of the program activities include:

- Wonderful opportunity to travel to some of Indonesia's most stunning areas
- Experience learning and working in the field
- Insightful look into the artisanal food production
- Take a taste of the exotic Indonesian spices
- Contribute to the improvement of smallholder farmers' capacity and welfare

Language Lessons & Extra Activities

Basic Indonesian lesson is provided. In between the volunteer work, participants can enjoy immersion activities to explore the beautifully captivating land of Ende, Flores, such as exploring the prehistoric site of Rewa Rangga, learn about the colonization era in Watu Api, or discover the rich local history. Ende is not short of natural beauty, with geysers and caves that boasts stunning views, as well as Mount Kelimutu, in which the famous three-colored lakes are located.

2. PROGRAM'S ARRIVAL-DEPARTURE DATE

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3. VISA & TRAVEL

Types of Visa Needed

Social/Cultural Visa (Visa 211)



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 - a. As soon as his/her arrival at the location, participant has to report to the nearest police station. (Participant will be assisted by a support case officer to get a living permit)
 - b. Before 60 days he/she must extend visa to local immigration office for a 30-day validation.

How Participants Travel to the Community

To reach the project location, participant will travel by plane from the capital city (Jakarta) to Ende in the island of Nusa Tenggara, 2,337 km away. The community project is located in Detusoko village, a 45-minute car ride from the airport. Inland transportation allowance is also provided for the participants going to and from project site and their accommodation

When Will Participants Meet Their Host Families

Immediately within 2 days after the Immediate Arrival Orientation.

Independent Travel Policy

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Participants' Extra Cost Upon Arrival

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4. ORIENTATIONS

Information to be Distributed to the Participant

Country information.

Immediate Arrival Orientation Location

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Mid-Stay Orientation

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End-of-Stay Orientation

Yes. Orientation will be held in the Capital City in Jakarta for 1 day. Transportation to and from the orientation location will be provided.

Description of Activities

Evaluation of program, families, work and experiences for the whole program.

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Language upon arrival:	No international criteria	English	-



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Health restrictions:	Candidates must be in a good medical health and meet partner health criteria	-	-
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Environment & Geography

Ende is a small town in Flores, East Nusa Tenggara, which mostly serves as a gateway between Flores and Sumba. This area boasts many attractions, both natural and historical, around them. 60 km from Central Ende is the holy mountain Semeru, which possesses three crater lakes that changes colors depending on the volcanic activity.

Ende is rich with traditions and local mythologies. These values are interwoven into their daily lives, such as keeping sacred items in traditional houses and using motifs on sarongs and shawls to show social status. This is a wonderful opportunity for volunteers to learn about the local culture, through participating in their traditional ceremonies and local events first-hand. It is important to be respectful of the procedure of these occasions. Modest clothing is to be expected in most cases.

Smoking

The legal smoking age in Indonesia is 21. Smoking depends the host family's discretion and surrounding circumstances. Please consult the host family on what is considered appropriate in their home and community.

Religion

Although Indonesia is a secular democratic country that has a Muslim majority population, the local population is almost entirely Catholic. It is considered one of the religious borders from the Catholic expansions in the region and the spread of Islam from the west of Indonesia.

Dietary Customs

The staple food of the region is corn, although rice is also quite common. Vegetables, fish, and hot sauces are often served with the staple food, and the flavors are generally rich with spices. Sweet tea and coffee are the most common beverages. Fresh fruit is widely available and is often eaten as dessert. Popular meats include beef, chicken, and pork.

About Indonesia in General

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**VOLUNTEER
IN LUMAJANG'S
HOUSE OF
LEARNING**

in Lumajang, East Java



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1. PROGRAM OVERVIEW

Program Title

Community Service Program (Lumajang Village of Learning)

Hosting Partner

Indonesia

Program Duration

4 weeks

8 weeks

12 weeks

Participant Type

Adult

Participant Age

18 – 30 years old

Skills Required

Skills, knowledge, and interests desired to volunteer in this program (participant's relevant skill will help us assign a suitable role for maximum impact):

1. Basic computer skills
2. English teaching
3. Social media/blogging
4. Handicrafts
5. Youth engagement
6. Interest in education would be an advantage
7. Knowledge in environment would be an advantage

Participants are NOT required to be an expert on the above skills (but good if they do), as their role is to assist in the local community's empowerment towards a self-sustainable development.

Other Requirements

- Men & Women, 18-30 years old



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- Eager to inspire, open minded, flexible, self-aware with desire to be a culturally sensitive individual
- Willing to adapt, learn and adjust in a foreign and sometimes challenging environment
- Keen to make a difference
- Ready to help the local community in their empowerment and development.

Language Level

Ability to communicate with basic English. Basic knowledge of Indonesian is an advantage.

Program Description

The program was initially established in 2014 as a community service initiative to provide the learning opportunity for self-empowerment and capacity improvement for the village children and young people in Lumajang, East Java, Indonesia. The initiative has grown vastly from the first it was established. It has now opened new facilities, teaches more children and started new activities such as permaculture garden to empower local villagers and improve their economy as well as promoting sustainable agriculture in the area.

Highlights of this program include:

- Farming & assisting with eco – projects
- Teaching English to local children and youths
- Creating a module for alternative education (English, gardening, handicrafts)
- Cataloguing books at the community library
- Providing contents for the website and the community's official social media
- Creating strategies to engage more youth involvement

Language Lessons & Extra Activities

Basic Indonesian lesson is provided. In between the volunteer work, participants can enjoy immersion activities to try delicious local cuisines or even learn to cook the traditional food, explore the grand Mount Semeru, check out the Tumpak Sewu waterfall, or take morning treks that lead to picturesque caves near the project site.

2. PROGRAM'S ARRIVAL-DEPARTURE DATE

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We can facilitate arrivals at the beginning, the middle, or the end of the month. The orientations are included in the program duration.

3. VISA & TRAVEL

Types of Visa Needed

Social/Cultural Visa (Visa 211)

Can Participants Extend Their Stay?

Possible, after program release.



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 - d. Evidence of obligation in the applicant's country of permanent residence (e.g. letter from the employer/college certifying the applicants' intention to return there after the visit to Indonesia). Visa validity is 60 days with a possible extension of 30 days up to four times.
2. During their stay in Indonesia, participants undergoing the program for 12 weeks will have to do a visa extension. Please follow these steps:
 - a. As soon as his/her arrival at the location, participant has to report to the nearest police station. (Participant will be assisted by a support case officer to get a living permit)
 - b. Before 60 days he/she must extend visa to local immigration office for a 30-day validation.

How Participants Travel to the Community

To reach the project location, participant will travel by plane from the capital city (Jakarta) to the volunteering community which is located 811 km away from the capital city. The community project is located in the city of Malang, East Java. Inland transportation allowance is also provided for the participants going to and from project site and their accommodation.

When Will Participants Meet Their Host Families

Immediately within 5 days after the Immediate Arrival Orientation.

Independent Travel Policy

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Participants' Extra Cost Upon Arrival

Visa extension will be paid by participants. The estimation cost is approximately USD 50 per extension.

4. ORIENTATIONS

Information to be Distributed to the Participant

Country information.

Immediate Arrival Orientation Location

Yes. Orientation will be held in the Capital City in Jakarta for 2 days. Transportation to and from the orientation location will be provided.

Arrival orientation activities include:

- Introduction of organization (YBA and GGI)
- Managing hopes and concerns
- Intercultural Learning Workshop
- Basic Bahasa Indonesia
- Project orientation
- Rules and regulations
- Emergency handling procedures

Mid-Stay Orientation

Yes. Orientation will be an online GCC session.

End-of-Stay Orientation

Yes. Orientation will be held in the Capital City in Jakarta for 1 day. Transportation to and from the orientation location will be provided.

Description of Activities

Evaluation of program, families, work and experiences for the whole program.

5. COUNTRY INFORMATION

Participant's Requirements	International Criteria	Country Criteria	Strong Preferences
Age limits (on	No international criteria	18 – 30	-



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arrival):		years old	
Language upon arrival:	No international criteria	English	-
Health restrictions:	Candidates must be in a good medical health and meet partner health criteria	-	-

Environment & Geography

Lumajang is a small town in East Java. Surrounded by lush greens and mountainous backdrop in Lumajang, Omah Sinau prides themselves on being close to nature. It is the home of scenic caves such as Piket Nol and Goa Tetes, as well as Mount Semeru and a pristine shoreline on its southern borders.

The people of Lumajang are generally family-oriented and upholds the local traditional values. Despite so, they are very warm and welcoming towards guests of various backgrounds. They are very keen on introducing their local culture and learning more about their guests' in exchange. Volunteers can participate in traditional ceremonies or celebrations, or simply learn more about their values as a society. It is important to be respectful of the procedure of these occasions. Modest clothing is to be expected in most cases.

Smoking

The legal smoking age in Indonesia is 21. Smoking depends the host family's discretion and surrounding circumstances. Please consult the host family on what is considered appropriate in their home and community.

Religion

Indonesia is a secular democratic country that has a Muslim majority population, whose calls for prayers (*adzan*) are heard through the local mosques five times a day. The practice of the religion can be seen in the small things in daily activities, such as expressions of greeting and farewell. Not all Muslim women wear headscarves, although most people (regardless of religion) would dress modestly and appropriately in general. The metropolitan area is known to be quite diverse, with people of minority faiths having their own congregations and places of worships.

Dietary Customs

Rice is the staple and is eaten at every meal in Indonesia. Vegetables, fish, and hot sauces are often served with the rice; specific dishes vary according to the region, although they are generally rich with spices. Sweet tea and coffee are the most common beverages. Fresh fruit is widely available and is often eaten as dessert. Lumajang is known for its *pisang agung* or arm-sized banana, which are commonly steamed or processed into chips. Popular meats include beef and chicken. Being in a Muslim majority area, most people do not eat pork or drink alcohol.



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**VOLUNTEER
IN WOMEN &
YOUTH
EMPOWERMENT
PROGRAMS**

in Malang, East Java



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1. PROGRAM OVERVIEW

Program Title

Community Service Program (Youth Development in Malang, East Java)

Hosting Partner

Indonesia

Program Duration

4 weeks

8 weeks

12 weeks

Participant Type

Adult

Participant Age

18 – 30 years old

Skills Required

Skills, knowledge, and interests desired to volunteer in this program (participant's relevant skill will help us assign a suitable role for maximum impact):

1. Basic computer skills
2. Developing a presentation
3. Social media/blogging
4. Basic knowledge on research will be an advantage

Participants are NOT required to be an expert on the above skills (but good if they do), as their role is to take part and contribute in collaborative projects with local communities that focuses on their development.

Other Requirements

- Men & Women, 18-30 years old
- Eager to inspire, open minded, flexible, self-aware with desire to be a culturally sensitive individual
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- Keen to make a difference
- Ready to help communities and families find solutions, promote learning opportunities for marginalized/ underprivileged youths.

Language Level

Ability to communicate with basic English. Basic knowledge of Indonesian is an advantage.

Program Description

Our NGO partner is a youth-driven sustainable development community based in Malang, East Java. The organization assists in researching market demands and facilitating learning process for underserved communities on need-based projects. They are also in the process of developing a community-based tourism according to the potentials of the location and the inhabiting community. As an international volunteer, you will join this tight-knit mini-society in tackling the daily tasks of the organization, such as archiving, and making inventories. You will also take part in conducting research and facilitating community service projects on the field.

Highlights of this program include:

- Contribute to the personal development of local children and young people
- Wonderful cultural exchange opportunity with local volunteers and fellows
- Challenge yourself in a range of exciting and fast-paced activities
- Experience a great campus and project life with diverse student volunteers and local communities

Language Lessons & Extra Activities

Basic Indonesian lesson is provided. In between the volunteer work, participants can enjoy immersion activities to try delicious local cuisines in the area, explore the famous Singosari temple, visit the Mangun Dharma Art Center, get some fresh air at the Purwodadi Botanical Gardens, or frolick at the Balekambang Beaches just outside of the city.

2. PROGRAM'S ARRIVAL-DEPARTURE DATE :

We can facilitate arrivals at the beginning, the middle, or the end of the month. The orientations are included in the program duration.

3. VISA & TRAVEL

Types of Visa Needed

Social/Cultural Visa (Visa 211)

Can Participants Extend Their Stay?

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Participants' Extra Cost Upon Arrival

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Information to be Distributed to the Participant

Country information.

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Mid-Stay Orientation

Yes. Orientation will be an online GCC session.

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Description of Activities

Evaluation of program, families, work and experiences for the whole program.

5. COUNTRY INFORMATION

Participant's Requirements	International Criteria	Country Criteria	Strong Preferences
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Health restrictions:	Candidates must be in a good medical health and meet partner health criteria	-	-
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Environment & Geography

Malang is the second largest city in East Java. Despite having increasingly been urbanized, the city remains full of character with its rich history and culture. It is also known for its natural beauty, since it sits between Mount Semeru and the Bromo-Tengger-Semeru National Park.

Being a university town, the area houses a lot of university students from Indonesia. There are a lot of eateries and amenities that are popular among the local young people, but the sense of family and community remains very strong. People are generally very friendly and welcoming, either in a casual setting or a more formal event where traditions are involved. They are very keen on introducing their culture and community to their guests. It is important to be respectful of the procedure of these occasions. Modest clothing is to be expected in most cases.

Smoking

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Religion

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Dietary Customs

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**LEARNING
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& MUSICAL
INSTRUMENTS**

in Ubud, Bali



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1. PROGRAM OVERVIEW

Program Title

Cultural Immersion Program (Learn Balinese Traditional Culture (Music & Dance) while Volunteering in Community Library)

Hosting Partner

Indonesia

Program Duration

4 weeks

Participant Type

Adult

Participant Age

18 – 30 years old

Skills Required

Knowledge and interests desired to volunteer in this program (participant's relevant skill will help us assign a suitable role for maximum impact):

1. Keen on learning traditional Balinese culture
2. Teaching English or native language
3. Arts and crafts
4. Library management

Participants are NOT required to be an expert on the above skills (but would be beneficial if they do), as they will be learning the local music and dance as well as sharing their skills and experience with the local youths.



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Other Requirements

- Men & Women, 18-30 years old
- Open minded, flexible, self-aware with desire to be a culturally sensitive individual
- Willing to adapt, learn and adjust in a foreign environment
- Eager to contribute to the community development

Language Level

Ability to communicate with basic English. Basic knowledge of Indonesian is an advantage.

Program Description

Our NGO partner has been an insightful place of learning for over two decades. Since 1995, the community has established a library and learning center, which has been the home of over 30,000 books and numerous learning opportunities for its community. The program aims to introduce the reading culture and provide such a priceless opportunity for underprivileged local youths. The community also offers the opportunity to teach people from all corners of the world to learn Balinese dance and music in the effort to preserve the love of culture in children and youths, which slowly fading in the face of the modern world.

Highlights of the program include:

- Intensive lessons of Balinese traditional dance and Gamelan music (4 hours/day)
- Volunteer in community library such as organize reading activities for youth, administrative work in library
- Teach English (or your native language) to children
- Participate in daily Balinese cultural activities such as going to temple, making offerings, or any traditional ceremony that are held at the time

Language Lessons & Extra Activities

Basic Indonesian lesson is provided. In between the volunteer work, participants can enjoy immersion activities to explore the beautifully captivating Bali. Learn more about the rich and vibrant Balinese culture by spending time with the locals. Discover the local history and mythology in their arts and souvenirs, which can be found in the local markets. During the downtime, volunteers can unwind at one of the sprawling, pristine beaches or lush rainforests that the island has to offer.

2. PROGRAM'S ARRIVAL-DEPARTURE DATE

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3. VISA & TRAVEL

Types of Visa Needed

Social/Cultural Visa (Visa 211)

Can Participants Extend Their Stay?

Possible, after program release

Visa Information

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2. During their stay in Indonesia, participants undergoing the program for 12 weeks will have to do a visa extension. Please follow these steps:
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 - b. Before 60 days he/she must extend visa to local immigration office for a 30-day validation.

How Participants Travel to the Community

To reach the project location, participant will go on an approximately two-hour flight from the capital city (Jakarta) to the volunteering community in Bali, which is 953 km away from the capital city. The community project is located in the cultural hub of Ubud, 35 km from the airport. Inland transportation allowance is also provided for the participants going to and from project site and their accommodation.

When Will Participants Meet Their Host Families

Immediately within 2 days after the Immediate Arrival Orientation.



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Participants' Extra Cost Upon Arrival

Visa extension will be paid by participants. The estimation cost is approximately USD 50 per extension.

4. ORIENTATIONS

Information to be Distributed to the Participant

Country information.

Immediate Arrival Orientation Location

Yes. Orientation will be held in the Capital City in Jakarta for 2 days. Transportation to and from the orientation location will be provided. If the project site is located outside of Jakarta, transportation (by ground or air) is covered in the program fee.

Arrival orientation activities include:

- Introduction of organization (YBA and GGI)
- Managing hopes and concerns
- Intercultural Learning Workshop
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- Project orientation
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Mid-Stay Orientation

Yes. Orientation will be an online GCC session.

End-of-Stay Orientation

Yes. Orientation will be held in the capital city in Jakarta for 1 day. Transportation to and from the orientation location will be provided.

Description of Activities

Evaluation of program, families, work and experiences for the whole program.



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5. COUNTRY INFORMATION

Participant's Requirements	International Criteria	Country Criteria	Strong Preferences
Age limits (on arrival):	No international criteria	18 – 30 years old	
Language upon arrival:	No international criteria	English	
Health restrictions:	Candidates must be in a good medical health and meet partner health criteria		

Environment & Geography

Bali may have made its name as one of the most-desired tourist destinations in the world, with bustling streets and vibrant nightlife. But in the heart of it, it remains abundant with tranquillity and natural beauty, which also houses some of the world's most diverse ecosystems, from spectacular coastlines, exuberant rainforests, to rugged volcanic hillsides.

Balinese people are known to be very hospitable and friendly. They are very keen on getting to know new people and introducing them to their culture and way of life. Volunteers can participate in traditional ceremonies or celebrations, or simply learn more about their values as a society. It is important to be respectful of the procedure of these occasions. Modest clothing is to be expected in most cases.

Smoking

The legal smoking age in Indonesia is 21. Smoking depends the host family's discretion and surrounding circumstances. Please consult the host family on what is considered appropriate in their home and community.

Religion

Bali has a majority Hindu population, and its values and practices can be found almost everywhere in the people's day-to-day lives. Daily offerings made of leaves and flowers can be found anywhere from the sidewalks to shop counters. Tree trunks are wrapped in black-and-white cloths. Communities continue to maintain strong family bonds and hold traditional ceremonies religiously. Ages-old traditions and values are simply integrated into their daily activities.

Dietary Customs

Rice is the staple and is eaten at every meal in Indonesia. Vegetables, fish, and hot sauces are often served with the rice. Sweet tea and coffee are the most common beverages, although the region also produces liquors called *arak* and *tuak*. Fresh fruit is widely available and is often eaten as



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dessert. Like most regional Indonesian cuisine, Balinese dishes are rich with spices. Bali is known for its *sate lilit*, or minced pork satay, although some may use chicken, beef or fish as an alternative.

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**VOLUNTEER IN
BEE
CONSERVATION
PROGRAM**

in West Bali



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1. PROGRAM OVERVIEW

Program Title

Community Service Program (Bee Conservation in Bali)

Hosting Partner

Indonesia

Program Duration

4 weeks

8 weeks

12 weeks

Participant Type

Adult

Participant Age

18 – 30 years old

Skills Required

Knowledge desired to volunteer in this program (participant's relevant skill will help us assign a suitable role for maximum impact):

1. Social media
2. Basic computer skills/web design
3. Organizational skills
4. Community engagement
5. Content writing
6. Interest in environmental conservation
7. Knowledge/interest in bees is a plus

Participants are NOT required to be an expert on the above skills (but would be beneficial if they do), as they will be learning about honey bee conservation and raise awareness on the issue according to their strengths.

Other Requirements

- Men & Women, 18-30 years old



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- Open minded, flexible, self-aware with desire to be a culturally sensitive individual
- Willing to adapt, learn and adjust in a foreign environment with various team members
- Eager to engage with local communities to raise awareness on the issue

Language Level

Ability to communicate with basic English. Basic knowledge of Indonesian is an advantage.

Program Description

To conserve the honey bee population, our partner organization in West Bali works in partnership with local farmers who ensures that the bees are thriving in their ideal natural environment. The effort to educate extends beyond the local community and are also aimed towards the public, in order to raise awareness about how important it is to take great care of the small aspects of nature.

Highlights of the program include:

- Help with the setup and the development of the West Bali Plan Bee Center
- Learn to draft a project plan with the organization
- Help to manage the crowd funding campaign
- Work with local communities to spread the words about the importance of the honey bees.
- Help to develop training support tools for farmers
- Help with public and social media engagement.

Language Lessons & Extra Activities

Basic Indonesian lesson is provided. In between the volunteer work, participants can enjoy immersion activities to explore the beautifully captivating Bali. Learn more about the rich and vibrant Balinese culture by spending time with the locals. Discover the local history and mythology in their arts and souvenirs, which can be found in the local markets. During the downtime, volunteers can unwind at one of the sprawling, pristine beaches or lush rainforests that the island has to offer.

2. PROGRAM'S ARRIVAL-DEPARTURE DATE :

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3. VISA & TRAVEL

Types of Visa Needed

Social/Cultural Visa (Visa 211)

Can Participants Extend Their Stay?

Possible, after program release



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4. ORIENTATIONS

Information to be Distributed to the Participant

Country information.

Immediate Arrival Orientation Location

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 - d. Evidence of obligation in the applicant's country of permanent residence (e.g. letter from the employer/college certifying the applicants' intention to return there after the visit to Indonesia). Visa validity is 60 days with a possible extension of 30 days up to four times.
2. During their stay in Indonesia, participants undergoing the program for 12 weeks will have to do a visa extension. Please follow these steps:
 - a. As soon as his/her arrival at the location, participant has to report to the nearest police station. (Participant will be assisted by a support case officer to get a living permit)
 - b. Before 60 days he/she must extend visa to local immigration office for a 30-day validation.

How Participants Travel to the Community

To reach the project location, participant will go on an approximately two-hour flight from the capital city (Jakarta) to the volunteering community in Bali, which is 953 km away from the capital city. The community project's head office is located in the beach-side town Sanur, whereas the honey bee farm is situated 125 km away in the quaint village of Melaya, West Bali. Inland transportation allowance is also provided for the participants going to and from project site and their accommodation.

When Will Participants Meet Their Host Families

Immediately within 2 days after the Immediate Arrival Orientation.

Independent Travel Policy

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arrival:			
Health restrictions:	Candidates must be in a good medical health and meet partner health criteria	-	-

Environment & Geography

Bali may have made its name as one of the most-desired tourist destinations in the world, with bustling streets and vibrant nightlife. But in the heart of it, it remains abundant with tranquility and natural beauty, which also houses some of the world's most diverse ecosystems, from spectacular coastlines, exuberant rainforests, to rugged volcanic hillsides.

Balinese people are known to be very hospitable and friendly. They are very keen on getting to know new people and introducing them to their culture and way of life. Volunteers can participate in traditional ceremonies or celebrations, or simply learn more about their values as a society. It is important to be respectful of the procedure of these occasions. Modest clothing is to be expected in most cases.

Smoking

The legal smoking age in Indonesia is 21. Smoking depends the host family's discretion and surrounding circumstances. Please consult the host family on what is considered appropriate in their home and community.

Religion

Bali has a majority Hindu population, and its values and practices can be found almost everywhere in the people's day-to-day lives. Daily offerings made of leaves and flowers can be found anywhere from the sidewalks to shop counters. Tree trunks are wrapped in black-and-white cloths. Communities continue to maintain strong family bonds and hold traditional ceremonies religiously. Ages-old traditions and values are simply integrated into their daily activities.

Dietary Customs

Rice is the staple and is eaten at every meal in Indonesia. Vegetables, fish, and hot sauces are often served with the rice. Tea and coffee are the most common beverages, although the region also produces liquors called *arak* and *tuak*. Fresh fruit is widely available and is often eaten as dessert. Like most regional Indonesian cuisine, Balinese dishes are rich with spices. Bali is known for its *sate lilit*, or minced pork satay, although some may use chicken, beef or fish as an alternative.

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1. PROGRAM OVERVIEW

Program Title

Community Service Program (Helping Underprivileged Youth in Indonesia Gain Equal Learning Opportunities)

Hosting Partner

Indonesia

Program Duration

12 weeks

Participant Type

Adult

Participant Age

18 – 30 years old

Skills Required

Skills desired to volunteer in this program (participant's relevant skill will help us assign a suitable role for maximum impact):

1. Basic Photography/Basic Film/Basic video shooting
2. Social media/Blogging
3. Creative writing
4. Arts/Performance
5. Home economic: Sewing/Cooking/Culinary/Gardening
6. Doing presentation
7. Basic Computer/IT/Web Design
8. Accounting

Participants are NOT required to be an expert on the above skills (but good if they do), as their role is imparting aspirations for the youth learners and coach them simple practical skills that can help improve their chance to live a better life

Other Requirements

- Men & Women, 18-30 years old



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- Eager to inspire, open minded, flexible, self-aware with desire to be a culturally sensitive individual
- Willing to adapt, learn and adjust in a foreign environment
- Keen to make a difference.
- Ready to help communities and families find solutions, promote learning opportunities for marginalized/ underprivileged youth.

Language Level

Ability to communicate with basic English. Basic knowledge of Indonesian is an advantage.

Program Description

Contribute to sustainable, long-term youth empowerment initiatives in Bogor, West Java Indonesia, and help give underprivileged youth access to equal learning opportunities. This initiative is led by our NGO partner who focuses their effort in giving the underprivileged youth practical skills as well as English language to find suitable opportunities for employment or further education. The project is about instilling aspiration to marginalized youths that they can change their lives and that nothing is impossible.

Language Lessons & Extra Activities

Basic Indonesian lesson is provided. In between the volunteer work, participants can enjoy immersion activities to explore the beautifully captivating land of West Java, such as: a visit to a stunning idyllic little lake in the middle of the woods at Situ Gunung, or going tea picking and learn traditional cooking, or experience extreme river rafting in Green Canyon Pangandaran, or explore the lost pyramids in Gunung Padang Megalithic Site in Cianjur.

2. PROGRAM'S ARRIVAL-DEPARTURE DATE

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We can facilitate arrivals at the beginning, the middle, or the end of the month. The orientations are included in the program duration.

3. VISA & TRAVEL

Types of Visa Needed

Social/Cultural Visa (Visa 211)

Can Participants Extend Their Stay?

Possible, after program release.

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How Participants Travel to the Community

To reach the project location, participant will travel by car from the capital city (Jakarta) to the volunteering community which is located 58 km away from the Capital city. The community project located in a small town called Bogor, in West Java. Inland transportation allowance is also provided for the participants going to and from project site and their accommodation

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Immediately within 2 days after the Immediate Arrival Orientation.

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Participants' Extra Cost Upon Arrival

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4. ORIENTATIONS

Information to be Distributed to the Participant

Country information.

Immediate Arrival Orientation Location

Yes. Orientation will be held in the Capital City in Jakarta for 2 days. Transportation to and from the orientation location will be provided.

Arrival orientation activities include:

- Introduction of organization (YBA and GGI)
- Managing hopes and concerns
- Intercultural Learning Workshop
- Basic Bahasa Indonesia
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Environment & Geography

Bogor is a satellite city just outside the capital city. Dubbed as the rainiest city in Java, this metropolitan area is one of the most densely populated in the world. It is rich with history of the Dutch colonization era, with the Botanical Gardens being one of the most famous landmark and tourist attraction around.

English is not very prevalent in Bogor, although some may have basic knowledge of the language. Despite so, the local people are very friendly and hospitable. They enjoy having visitors to their city, learning their culture, and getting to know their community. Volunteers can truly feel like a part of their family, and participate in social gathering, traditional ceremonies, and local events, or simply learn more about their traditional values. It is important to be respectful of the procedure of these occasions. Modest clothing is to be expected in most cases.

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Religion

Indonesia is a secular democratic country that has a Muslim majority population, whose calls for prayers (*adzan*) are heard through the local mosques five times a day. The practice of the religion can be seen in the small things in daily activities, such as expressions of greeting and farewell. Not all Muslim women wear headscarves, although most people (regardless of religion) would dress modestly and appropriately in general. The metropolitan area is known to be quite diverse, with people of minority faiths having their own congregations and places of worship.

Dietary Customs

Rice is the staple and is eaten at every meal in Indonesia. Vegetables, fish, and hot sauces are often served with the rice. The dishes are generally flavorful and rich with spices. Sweet tea and coffee are the most common beverages. Fresh fruit is widely available and is often eaten as dessert. Popular meats include beef and chicken. Being in a Muslim majority area, most people do not eat pork or drink alcohol.

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